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Press Release

SunGard Awarded Green Data Center of the Year 2009

- *Energy efficiency was the key to success in Coromatic's annual competition*

Coromatic, Sweden based experts in IT continuity, has awarded SunGard's new data center in Sättra south of Stockholm the award Green Data Center of the Year 2009. SunGard receives the prize for having committed to the latest innovative technology and design methods, completing a data center where environmental concerns and energy efficiency is top of class.

The SunGard data center, which was inaugurated in the spring 2009, reaches a very high energy efficiency level and leaves a minimal impact on the environment, without compromising either security or accessibility. By leveraging the cool Swedish climate for cooling during a large part of the year and by retaining a high utilization factor, the data center has achieved a PUE* level of 1.3, compared to the average of 1.5 to 2. The data center is designed to deliver very high energy efficiency levels also with a low utilisation.

“Today, IT has as large an effect on the climate as the entire aviation industry, and it is likely to increase rather than decline. With the Green Data Center of the Year award, we encourage companies which are good role models. SunGard proves that it is possible to drastically improve energy efficiency in a data center by using smart and innovative solutions,” said Maths Waxin, CEO of Coromatic.

The annual award Green Data Center of the Year was created by Coromatic to honour those customers which lead the way within the fields of energy and environment in a prominent and innovative manner. Last year's award was won by Tekniska Verken in Linköping, Sweden. Among this year's nominees were Hammarö Kommun, Energimyndigheten, Svenska Kraftnät, TDC Hosting AB, Östersund Kommun and Invid Jönköping. The award is part of Coromatic's commitment to energy efficiency, with the objective of delivering data centers which are as green as possible.

From the data center in Sättra, SunGard offers their clients to rent a safe space in one of the 300 racks available. In Sweden, all SunGard's data centers are operated using electricity produced by wind power. This way, CO2 emission can be reduced by 713 tonne annually.

“Our vision with the data center was to set a new green standard for companies and organizations willing to rent a server slot based on operational stability and environmental concerns. Together with Coromatic, we have achieved a 50 percent reduction in the energy consumption of the center's support systems and it saves one million SEK annually, which fully benefits our customers as a lower electricity bill. We are very honoured to receive the award,” said Håkan Björklund, Managing Director SunGard Availability Services in Sweden.



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** Power Usage Effectiveness (PUE) is a metric used to determine the energy efficiency of a data center. PUE is determined by dividing the amount of power entering a data center by the power used to run the computer infrastructure within it. PUE is therefore expressed as a ratio, with overall efficiency improving as the quotient decreases toward 1.*

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