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## AIM-USA, LLC Acquires Precision Fibre Channel, LLC to Consolidate Fibre Channel Product Line

**AIM-USA, LLC Provides Aerospace and Defense Customers with Avionics Databus Test and Simulation Products, including Fibre Channel Products**

**Precision Fibre Channel offers Fibre Channel Products to Commercial and Storage Network Companies**

**Omaha, NE, Jan 8, 2008** – AIM-USA LLC and Precision Fibre Channel (PFC) LLC announced today that their Articles of Merger have been finalized. Both companies will be combined under AIM-USA.

**Bill Fleissner**, current President of AIM-USA, will continue as President of the combined company. The new company's board of directors will consist of members of AIM-USA and Precision Fibre Channel. The combined company will benefit from a highly experienced engineering team from both companies with extensive industry knowledge in both Fibre Channel technology and Avionics products.

The combination creates a Fibre Channel provider with a stronger platform for future innovation within the Aerospace and Commercial Storage Area Network industries. The technology that PFC owns can be applied to AIM-USA's aerospace applications to engineer an expanding array of new Avionics and Weapons Interface products. The merger enables the combined company to better compete in the rapidly evolving Avionics and Weapon Systems Databus marketplace.

"The recent buyout of our foreign minority owners/partners in AIM-USA allowed for this merger," said Fleissner. "Now with 100% U.S. ownership by employees, AIM-USA is able to combine the already tightly coupled PFC relationship, and further improve our combined efficiencies for customer value. We are excited to be able to offer an expanded product family with consistent architectures.

"With the development of Avionics Bus (FPGA based) interface products, we can now solve more embedded and classified applications, in addition to continuing the fine line of Test and Simulation equipment previously offered," he continued. "A new, stronger AIM-USA product line is now available to solve all North American Avionics Bus applications, while continuing to provide high level Fibre Channel Analyzer interfaces to the Commercial Storage Area Network industry."

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### About AIM-USA

AIM-USA designs and manufactures precision flight, test, and simulation modules, databus analyzers, and systems for MIL-STD-1553, ARINC429, Fibre Channel, Gigabit Ethernet, ARINC818, AFDX/ARINC664, STANAG3910/EFEX, and Panavia Serial Link applications. AIM-USA builds its products on an innovative, field proven hardware design providing consistency and compatibility through all modules and across all platforms.

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