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## **DRC and Synective Labs Partner to Extend Innovative Coprocessor Solutions to European Customers**

### ***Swedish Reconfigurable Computing Expert adds DRC's Coprocessor Platform to its FPGA-based Product Portfolio***

SANTA CLARA, CA—November 15, 2006—DRC Computer Corporation, a leading provider of coprocessor systems, today extends its Reconfigurable Processor Units (RPUs™) to the European marketplace with the announcement of a partnership with Synective Labs of Gothenburg, Sweden. Synective Labs offers high-performance computing solutions, based on reconfigurable technologies, and will help deliver the preeminent benefits of DRC's RPUs, including acceleration, space, power, and cost efficiencies, to European companies.

The RPUs from DRC plug directly into server/workstation processor sockets for direct access to adjacent Double Data Rate (DDR) memory and AMD Opteron™ processors at full HyperTransport™ speed and ultra-low latency. Powered with the Xilinx Virtex™ -4 series of FPGAs, DRC RPUs offer tremendous application acceleration capabilities.

Synective Labs specializes in large-scale FPGA systems and reconfigurable computing that speeds compute-intensive calculations. The company will help DRC customers port their applications to the DRC reconfigurable platform.

"Synective Labs' expertise in reconfigurable computing makes it an excellent partner to help us deliver acceleration technologies to customers throughout Europe," said Clay Marr, vice president of sales and marketing at DRC. "Synective Labs adds a local presence for DRC's complete solutions and will provide high-caliber development services and support to our customers."

"The DRC reconfigurable coprocessors complement Synective Labs' other offerings, enabling us to reach new customers and markets," said Magnus Peterson, Synective Labs' chief marketing officer. "Our experience in the FPGA field will help customers take full advantage of this acceleration technology."

### **About Synective Labs AB**

Synective Labs provides high-performance solutions for compute-intensive applications. With extensive experience in customer-tailored systems, algorithms and application development, Synective Labs provides in-depth technical knowledge as well as installation, training and support services. The company excels in the area of reconfigurable computing, offering customers worldwide application acceleration solutions based on FPGA technology. Go to [www.synective.se](http://www.synective.se) for more information.

### **About DRC**

DRC delivers complete solutions for compute-intensive problems and for accelerating high-performance applications in a tightly coupled coprocessing environment. DRC is the leading provider of coprocessor systems that plug directly into a systems processor socket. Offloading CPU-intensive software subroutines to hardware in a DRC Reconfigurable Processor Unit (RPU) makes applications run many times faster than ordinary solutions connected to a peripheral bus. Coprocessor bandwidth and latency bottlenecks are all but eliminated. The company's RPU and development systems also solve the high-performance computing industry's growing physical limitations of heat, clock speed, and density. Industry leaders Cray, AMD, Xilinx and Microway are promoting, deploying and supporting DRC solutions to their customers. In addition, leading EDA providers Celoxica, CebaTech, DSPlogic, Impulse Accelerated Technologies, Mitronics, and Synplicity provide development software supporting the DRC RPU. More information about DRC is available at <http://www.drccomputer.com>

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