

OakGate Technology and Myce Announce Joint Partnership to Test and Review Solid State Storage Technology Solutions

OakGate's Industry-Leading Test, Validation and Benchmarking Systems Will Be Used by Myce to Conduct Reviews

Loomis, California and Groningen, Holland, March 15, 2013 — OakGate Technology, the industry leader in test, validation and benchmarking platforms and Myce, the world's largest computer storage community that enables professionals to connect, interact and share their knowledge of storage products, announced a joint program to implement a world-class test bench for Enterprise level Solid State Storage Technology (SSST) solutions. Myce will conduct reviews of Enterprise SSST products based exclusively on tests performed on OakGate's proven platforms.

“We are pleased to assist Myce in their endeavor to provide the storage industry with an independent and accurate review of enterprise solid state storage technology solutions” said Bob Weisickle, CEO and founder of OakGate Technology. “For over five years, our products have been utilized by enterprise SSD suppliers, storage system OEMs, flash controller vendors and large end users during various stages of development and qualification cycles. We have earned a solid reputation for our high performance, flexible traffic generation capabilities and our ability to control IO workloads. These capabilities are built into all our platforms and support popular storage protocols, including SAS, PCIe, SATA and Fibre Channel” added Mr. Weisickle.

“Enterprise SSST testing demands a completely different approach to that adopted for consumer SSDs, OakGate's state of the art test systems will enable Myce to provide the most authoritative, consistent, repeatable and reliable Enterprise grade reviews to be found on the net” said Jeremy Reynolds, Head of Enterprise Testing at Myce. “Use of OakGate's test systems will enable us to add significant value in serving the storage industry” added Mr. Reynolds.

About OakGate Technology

OakGate Technology Inc. (www.oakgatetech.com) is a leading provider of test, validation, and benchmarking test platform to the storage industry. The privately held company is a recognized leader in test and validation tools for solid state storage. OakGate's highly-capable and flexible platforms support all popular storage protocols and are based on advanced, proprietary software, and industry standard hardware. OakGate's products have been deployed by top tier components suppliers, drive manufacturers, and storage system OEMs worldwide. Based in Loomis, California, OakGate Technology was founded in 2008 by industry veterans from storage and server industries.

About Myce

Myce is the world's largest computer storage community that offers latest news, reviews, products and interesting discussions to visitors, volunteers, enthusiasts, and professionals. Myce has over 3.5 million unique monthly visitors and over half a million members who connect, interact, share knowledge, and discuss their passion for digital storage products.

Myce is supported by its team of highly motivated news writers, reviewers, and experts that regularly advise in their forums and strive to provide the ultimate online digital storage resource.