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Accelerated Manual Inspection System From Sonoscan

Elk Grove Village, IL, July 7, 2010 – At the upcoming Semicon West Show (July 13-15), Sonoscan will introduce its new FastLine™ Acoustic Microscope. Specifically designed for accelerated inspection throughput in manual screening of microelectronic devices on the manufacturing floor, it is the industry's newest generation of ultrasonic test equipment.

At Semicon West, demonstration of the new system will be by appointment only. Interested parties should contact their Sonoscan Regional Sales Manager before the show to schedule a private demonstration of the system's capabilities during the show. The new system will not be displayed in the Sonoscan exhibit booth.

For a list of Regional Sales Managers, please visit <http://www.sonoscan.com/leadership/contact-us.html> or call Sonoscan headquarters at 847 437-6400.

About Sonoscan®: Sonoscan is the leading developer and manufacturer of acoustic microscopes and sophisticated acoustic micro imaging systems, widely used for nondestructive analysis of defects in industrial products and semiconductor devices. For over 30 years, Sonoscan's attention to customer needs and investment in R&D has created systems that set industry standards for speed and accuracy. Key products include C-SAM® systems for off-line and laboratory analysis and FACTS²™ for automated production inspection.

Through its SonoLab® division Sonoscan applications engineers, with experience totaling more than two centuries in acoustic microscopy, assist hundreds of customers annually in solving materials problems and quality control issues. SonoLab operates applications testing laboratories in multiple global locations to serve the inspection needs of customers that do not have their own capability.

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