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**A2iA Voted a *Best Channel Vendor* for 2009, Excelling in the Categories of Product Features, Product Innovation and Product Reliability**

*Reseller community rates A2iA a top vendor partner in one of the largest surveys conducted of its kind.*

**NEW YORK, January 5, 2009** – A2iA, a leading provider of document analysis and handwritten data extraction technology, announced today that Business Solutions Magazine (BSM) has named A2iA a *Best Channel Vendor* for 2009. Results were determined based on a survey conducted by BSM, in which more than 17,000 votes were cast, making it one of the largest surveys of its kind. A2iA is recognized in the ECM and Data Capture Software category, and excelled in the Product Features, Product Innovation and Product Reliability areas.

“This survey provides an excellent tool for the channel because it indicates vendors that have highly satisfied VARs,” said Jim Roddy, Jameson Publishing President. “These details will help resellers make more informed decisions when selecting new partners and new products to resell.”

After being asked by their readers for this information, Business Solutions Magazine conducted a survey to reveal who the industry deemed a leading channel vendor. Survey participants were asked to rate their vendor partners on a scale of 0 to 5 in seven categories through a web-based questionnaire, and an overall score for each vendor was then determined. The more than 17,000 votes cast represent 1,604 unique resellers, and an estimated \$10.5 billion in annual sales.

“This year marks the 10-year anniversary of A2iA Corp., the North and Latin American subsidiary of A2iA,” said Jean-Louis Fages, A2iA President and Chairman of the Board. “We are proud to be recognized by our industry partners as a market leader, and for our long-standing dedication and innovative solutions.”

A2iA, a cursive extraction and recognition software company, has been working with hundreds of resellers and integrators worldwide to process documents automatically in the payment, mail, and forms processing markets for nearly 20 years. The A2iA toolkits are available in 22-country

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versions and 6-languages, and are proven to reduce data-entry costs and improve workflow automation.

### **About Business Solutions Magazine**

*Business Solutions* magazine inspires executives of IT channel companies (VARs, integrators, and solutions providers) to grow their businesses by teaching them how to sell new IT products and services, penetrate thriving vertical markets, and integrate complementary technologies. *Business Solutions* delivers its insight through channel success stories and advice from industry analysts, vendors, and our expert technology editors.

### **About A2iA**

A2iA, Artificial Intelligence and Image Analysis, is a software company that operates one of the world's largest research centers focusing on ways to extract information from everyday paper documents that contain handwritten information. A2iA's Document Classification, OCR, ICR and IWR technologies have been reducing data-entry costs and improving business process automation for 18 years. A2iA recognition engines can be used to enhance the forms-processing, transaction-processing, content management, document management, and knowledge management systems from leading vendors. For more information: [www.a2ia.com](http://www.a2ia.com).

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