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PoINT Jukebox Manager supports new DISC ArXtor Series

Siegen. PoINT Software & Systems GmbH has extended its successful PoINT Jukebox Manager with the support of the new DISC ArXtor Series. The high connectivity of the new DISC Libraries facilitates easy integration into an existing infrastructure. Users interested in a compliant cost-effective and energy-saving long-term archiving solution benefit from an automated administration of their optical media by combining both products.

With PoINT Jukebox Manager, the integration of optical libraries in an existing IT-infrastructure is quite simple. The intelligent middleware offers a standardized file system access, which is incorporated by the attached optical library. The optical storage of the library can be used by applications and users in the same way as hard disk.

The current release of PoINT Jukebox Manager now supports the new ArXtor Series of iSCSI-based Blu-ray Libraries. They are available as two product lines ArXtor Lite and ArXtor Appliance (incl. Virtual Server) and supply technologies for tiered Archive and Enterprise Content Management (ECM) Solutions for fulfilling governmental regulations and for implementing long-term archiving. Furthermore the DISC ArXtor Libraries score with their very low energy consumption in comparison with other storage products.

The combination of PoINT Jukebox Manager and DISC ArXtor Libraries allows users a fast and smooth installation of their data archive solution. Additionally the handling and maintenance is simplified and changing requirements for storage capacities are supported by the flexible scalability.

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PoINT Jukebox Manager offers in addition to the new DISC Library support various enhancements like Disc Rescan Process as a background job and Multiple Selection for the slot rescan.
Furthermore users of the new PoINT Jukebox Manager version benefit from a performance improvement for the directory cache recovery. For sequentially written media no rescan of already closed media is necessary. Thus the recovery time of the jukebox file system is reduced significantly.

About DISC
DISC Archiving Systems (DISC) is a leading manufacturer of optical storage solutions for the long-term retention of digital data. DISC has been providing innovative solutions for over 20 years and thousands of installations worldwide. Engineered and manufactured in Germany, the DISC ArXtor Series offer a full range of 21st century iSCSI Blu-ray Libraries and scalable Appliances with integrated server, utilizing KVM open-source Hipervisor/Intel VT-x technology. In addition, The ArXtor front-panel touch display and Web GUI set new standards for intelligent and remote support of Blu-ray Library Systems.
Designed to meet rigorous regulatory compliance and long-term archival storage requirements, the DISC Blu-ray Optical Solutions are a superior green technology component for tiered Archive and Enterprise Content Management (ECM) Solutions offering the lowest power and cooling consumption of any comparable storage product for Corporate, Education, Entertainment, Finance, Government, Healthcare, Imaging, Insurance, Pre/Post Audio/Video Production, Law Enforcement/Surveillance Markets and more. DISC uses next-generation BDXL Blu-ray drive technology and works closely with industry-leading middleware storage management software solutions to provide a turnkey Archival Storage Automation Solution for managing 120mm optical media (BD/BDXL/DVD/CD). DISC worldwide headquarters is located in Haarlem (The Netherlands), the production facility in Bingen (Germany) and North-American Sales and Support operations in Denver, Colorado.
More information: http://www.disc-group.com

About PoINT
PoINT Software & Systems GmbH is specialized in the development of software products and systems solutions for storage and management of data using all available mass storage technologies like hard disks, magnetic tapes and optical media. Close collaboration with leading hardware manufacturers enables an early support of innovative storage technologies. Besides these complete solutions PoINT also offers its know-how as Toolkits, which can be easily integrated in other applications by the programming interface. Furthermore PoINT projects entire storage solutions and provides consultancy with his long-term and versatile experience. PoINT products are distributed by 50 partners in more than 25 countries world-wide and have been installed successfully in more than 2 million installations. PoINT customers range from end users expecting a compact and secure solution to large corporations, which comply with our solutions their complex demands by providing the necessary reliability and perfection.

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