



CONTACT INFORMATION

Telephone: 574.935.8484
Fax: 574.935.8488
E-mail: marketing@imagestream.com
Web: <http://www.imagestream.com>

P R E S S R E L E A S E

ImageStream Ships Industry's Lowest Cost DS3/E3 Router

(Plymouth, Indiana — April 29th, 2002) ImageStream Internet Solutions is shipping its new Rebel Router™. According to company officials, the new router is the lowest cost DS3/E3 router on the market. When bundled with ImageStream's new single-port DS3 card, the Rebel can deliver wire-speed performance specifications at a list price of less than \$4,000.

The new Rebel Router includes a low-profile 19" rackmount chassis that is only 10" deep. The base Rebel includes two built-in 10/100 ethernet ports and two PCI expansion slots. The expansion slots can be populated with 1, 2, 4 or 8-port T1/E1 cards, 1-port DS3/E3 cards, as well as 1 or 4-port 10/100 ethernet cards.

The Rebel Router is designed to work in a wide range of network designs for core, edge, and premise applications. For example, the Rebel may be used as a core router for a small ISP that needs up to 16 T1 or E1 ports. The same ISP could then upgrade to DS3 or E3 speeds, and still support up to 8 T1 or E1 connections in the same chassis. Once an ISP finally outgrows the Rebel as a core router, the Rebel can be moved to the edge, and any of its cards may be moved into a more suitable core router such as ImageStream's popular Gateway Router™.

According to ImageStream's President, J.C. Utter, the new entry point for DS3/E3 routers will allow many ISPs to offer more competitive services. Utter says, "We expect to sell a lot of Rebels to carriers and ISPs who already deploy a large number of DS3 and E3 circuits." According to Utter, a number of ISPs are planning to deploy the new Rebel, and several carriers are also looking at the new low-cost chassis. Utter adds, "Most ISPs are pleased to find they can buy two routers and put a spare on the shelf for less than the price they were paying for any other DS3 router."

About ImageStream

ImageStream is a supplier of LAN and WAN solutions for small offices, corporate LANs and WANs, Internet backbone providers, and telecommunications carriers. ImageStream products include Linux routers, WAN cards, and network management software. ImageStream is headquartered in Plymouth, Indiana.