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Resources Within Your Organization**

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**Phoenix Software International New Product Announcement - zHISR**

As the UK partner of [Phoenix Software International](#), [Value-4IT](#) are pleased to include the [zHISR](#) software solution within their product portfolio. Michael Moss, CEO of Value-4IT states, “this new product addition from Phoenix Software International further demonstrates their commitment to deliver cost-efficient high-function products for the IBM zSeries Mainframe platform. This continuing commitment to TCO reduction demonstrated by Phoenix Software International is clearly aligned to the Value-4IT mission of perpetually lowering TCO with fair software pricing and a demonstrable short-term ROI”.

MIPS reduction and optimization for any IT platform has demonstrable and obvious benefits, reducing TCO and delivering more consistent and predictable performance for all business applications. Michael Moss further states, “as a Mission Critical platform, the IBM zSeries Mainframe delivers a high performance, function rich and secure environment, but just as any other IT resource, a modicum of performance tuning can often go a long way! zHISR provides a cost-efficient solution for all IBM Mainframe customers alike, whether big or small, safeguarding optimized MIPS usage, by identifying hot spots of inefficient code”.

zHISR is a new product that uses data created by z/OS Hardware Instrumentation Services (HIS) to produce hot spot analysis reports. These reports can be used to help tune applications by locating the specific sections of code that are the biggest CPU consumers. This product can assist many zSeries Mainframe technicians, including Software Developers, Performance Analysts and System Programmers, et al.

zHISR includes a z/OS UNIX file system interface for navigating, browsing and deleting files. Programmers can use zHISR to start or stop a HIS data collection event or view the status of a current or prior run. If zIIP specialty engines are available and zHISR is APF authorized, nearly all of the CPU processing used by zHISR is redirected to a zIIP.

Fred Hoschett, President of Phoenix Software International states, “Our company and products are built on the principle that software should be resource-efficient, making minimal demands on existing hardware resources. It is fitting that we are now helping others write more efficient code with this new entry in the Phoenix Software International product line. And it is consistent with our philosophy that zHISR itself runs efficiently and inexpensively”.

**About Phoenix Software International**

Phoenix Software International is a major systems software development company providing software solutions to enterprises around the world. Phoenix Software International offers a wide range of products for IBM and compatible mainframes as well as Windows and Web based workstation platforms. For more information, please visit [Phoenix Software International](#).

**Summary**

For more information regarding zHISR, please feel free to [Contact Value-4IT](#) for a no obligation discussion regarding your requirements. Thank you.