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### **TS-ASSOCIATES SELECTS COMTECH AHA'S GZIP COMPRESSION CARD FOR THEIR TIPOFF G4 APPLIANCE**

*AHA363-PCIe compression/decompression hardware enables TS-Associates'  
Middleware Analysis product to outperform the competition*

**Moscow, ID – February 3, 2009** – Comtech AHA Corporation (AHA), a wholly owned subsidiary of Comtech Telecommunications Corp. (NASDAQ:CMTL), and TS-Associates plc, a leading developer of middleware analysis solutions, today announced that TS-Associates has integrated Comtech AHA Corporation's AHA363-PCIe GZIP compression board into their TipOff™ G4 appliance.

TS-Associates TipOff™ platform is a real time middleware analysis appliance. It provides unique capabilities in areas such as middleware operational analysis, passive latency monitoring, application behavior validation, infrastructure utilization chargeback and capacity planning. TipOff™ supports an ever increasing spectrum of market data and transaction middleware products and standards. The fourth generation TipOff G4 appliance with the AHA GZIP compression card will be deployed by a large German bank across all of its regional banking centers to provide passive latency monitoring of direct exchange feeds and real time middleware analysis. It will also be deployed by a major U.S. financial institution for real time analysis and monitoring. For more information, please visit the TS-Associates website at <http://www.ts-a.com>

"TS-A chose AHA's AHA363-PCIe GZIP compression board because it offered the performance and low latency we needed to give our TipOff G4 appliance a competitive advantage," said Henry Young, Director of Product Development at TS-Associates. "AHA's GZIP board outperformed all other options that were available. It enables TipOff to compress and store more data captured in real time, off-loading an otherwise CPU intensive task, leaving TipOff with more resource for its other tasks".

Comtech AHA Corporation's AHA363-PCIe card is the fastest GZIP compression solution on the market today. Implementing the open standard compression algorithm GZIP also known as Deflate, the AHA363-PCIe supports both compression and decompression at a throughput of up to 5.0 Gigabits per second. Ideal for manufacturers of load balance appliances, network servers, storage appliances, virtual tape emulation backup systems, point-to-point communication link servers and SSL accelerators, the

AHA363-PCIe will improve the speed or performance of nearly any system requiring compression or decompression.

#### **About AHA**

Comtech AHA Corporation develops and markets application-specific integrated circuits (ASICs), boards, and intellectual property core technology for networking and communications applications worldwide. Comtech AHA provides flexible, cost-effective solutions for today's growing bandwidth and reliability challenges. Located in Moscow, Idaho, Comtech AHA has been providing leading edge Forward Error Correction and Lossless Data Compression technology for more than twenty years and offers a variety of standard and custom hardware electronic solutions. Comtech AHA Corporation is a wholly owned subsidiary of Comtech Telecommunications Corp. (NASDAQ:CMTL). For more information, visit [www.aha.com](http://www.aha.com).

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