

## For Immediate Release

## Adacel Receives Contract Extension to Support Portuguese Oceanic ATM System

Adacel's Air Traffic Management division to provide system support

**Montreal, Canada** and **Lisbon, Portugal** (February 10, 2004) Adacel, the leading developer of simulation, voice recognition, operational air traffic management and software for civil and military aviation, announced today that the Company's Air Traffic Management (ATM) division has secured a contract extension from NAV Portugal to support the Oceanic Flight Data Processing and Visualization System (OFDPVS) used to control air traffic in the Santa Maria Flight Information Region in the North Atlantic.

Commissioned in July 2001, the OFDPVS was the first completely new oceanic flight data processing system to be successfully introduced in the North Atlantic Region since the 1980"s. The systems objectives are to increase controller productivity, provide better service to aircraft operators while maintaining the highest level of safety, satisfy operator's requests to fly random routes and meet the forecasted traffic demand.

"Having Adacel as our support contractor gives us the assurance of continuous support by the leading experts in oceanic air traffic management technology," says Alexandre Oliveira, Member of the Board of Directors of Nav Portugal. " With Adacel's support we can be confident that our OFDPVS system will continue to meet the present and future needs of our customers".

The contract extension covers a three-year period commencing January 2004. The OFDPVS utilizes Adacel's Aurora software for advanced flight data processing functions including automated conflict probe capability.

"We are very pleased to play this important role in supporting Nav Portugal's oceanic air traffic management system," said Bill Lang, Vice President of Adacel's Air Traffic Management division. "The OFDPVS is one of the most sophisticated oceanic ATM systems in the world and we will be helping to support and enhance the system in the coming years."

## About Adacel's ATM Business Unit

Adacel's ATM division is a leading developer of systems that implement the CNS/ATM concept. In addition to Nav Portugal, Adacel's Aurora software is currently in operation with Airways New Zealand and the Icelandic Civil Aviation Administration. Adacel's Aurora software is providing the oceanic automation for the FAA's Advanced Technologies and Oceanic Procedures (ATOP) Program, which will bring advanced CNS/ATM capabilities to all of the US controlled oceanic airspace beginning with the Oakland FIR later this year.

## **About Adacel**

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research and development, Adacel is recognized as the leader in its chosen fields of Simulation and Software solutions, Air Traffic Management (ATM) systems and Professional Services (ASG).

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