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## **New HighBand Patch-by-Exception Technology from ADC KRONE**

- *Offers Next-Generation HighBand Wall Mount Technology*
- *Provides Material, Installation and Operational Cost Savings*
- *Initial Installation at Adelaide University*

**BERKELY VALE – 22 February 2010** – ADC KRONE (NASDAQ: ADCT; [www.adc.com](http://www.adc.com)) has launched the next generation of HighBand cross-connect solutions which allows for maximum network throughput and a convenient, secure termination point. The new look HighBand product is a sleek, slimline design with a black metal finish. Based on Patch-by-Exception technology, HighBand systems provide material, installation and operational cost savings, offering a competitive alternative to traditional RJ45 products.

"ADC KRONE continues to meet the needs of its customers with the design of innovative products developed and manufactured here in Australia," said Glen Johnston, senior product manager for ADC KRONE. "The HighBand cross-connect solution is the ideal cabling solution for companies who require efficiency, guaranteed performance and appealing aesthetics. HighBand is comprised of high-performance, disconnection modules, user-friendly cable management and innovative anti-snag patch cords. "

The HighBand Wall Mount Patch-by-Exception Solutions are flexible and can be either hard wired or patched, depending on the requirements of the network. The system utilises ADC KRONE's silver plated, world-renowned LSA-PLUS contact principle, which has become the industry standard in over 140 countries.

Adelaide University received prototypes of the HighBand product which was installed in its new Plant Accelerator building. "The HighBand's redesigned cable troughs provide more space for jumpers in our communications room which also makes for easier tracing of jumpers," said Jerry Gibson, a network infrastructure specialist at the University. "The new cable management with left/right doors is also a vast improvement. We no longer need to lift the cable management covers off and store them while making changes, so it's a great time saver. With the redesign of the frames, the amount of flex on the modules when terminating cables has been improved."

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ADC KRONE's HighBand solution is a unique design, offering the latest in cross-connect and cable management technology, delivering immediate cost savings, operational benefits, added security and guaranteed performance.

### **About ADC KRONE**

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