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eWON enhances its free Talk2M Internet connectivity service

A new Talk2M free service, called "Free +", supporting various protocols including Modbus TCP gateway, with multiple users and connections reporting features, is available. This new service also allows an easy and seamless upgrade to the "Pro" version, with no local change in eWON configuration nor any disruption in eWON connections. A completely renewed PC client (eCatcher 3) interfaces both Free+ and Pro services. Clearly, remote Modbus devices are just one click away and at broadband speed.

Pittsburgh, March 21st – eWON, a leading European manufacturer of remote connectivity products for the automation market, has just released an enhanced version of its free instant Internet connectivity service.

Talk2M, one single powerful remote access platform

With an easy and seamless transition from the Free+ to Pro service of Talk2M, customers can now really "try before they buy" and validate the Talk2M solution for their use, without losing any time when going live on Pro.

The new Free+ service is set to replace the old Talk2M Free, which met great success among machine builders and system integrators. It complements the historical and pioneering Talk2M Free offering with several added-value features.

eCatcher 3, one single user interface for all Talk2M services

Launched at the same time, eCatcher 3, the new version of the PC client for Talk2M, serves now both the Free+ and the Pro services of Talk2M, with the same intuitive user-interface.



The new eCatcher 3 version lies in a more user-friendly and icon-based presentation. More than ever, the incentive is put on automation users' ownership and independence, so they can manage users and sites, without the need for IT experts' assistance.

eCatcher 3 brings detailed connection reports monthly, itemized by sites to make management and control clearer and easier. The dedicated "My Talk2M" Web portal (<u>www.talk2m.com</u>) allows each Talk2M account manager to download current and archived reports at anytime, anywhere.

"With thousands of machines connected to Talk2M, we want to provide our customers with a single, scalable and powerful remote access platform for their remote service activities.", says Serge Bassem, CEO of eWON.

About eWON:

eWON sa, a member of the ACT'L Group, is an innovative Belgian manufacturer of hardware products and Internet services that offer secure industrial connectivity across the Internet. Over the last 10 years, eWON has become a market leader for intelligent Internet remote access devices and a partner of choice for PLC and automation systems manufacturers worldwide. With its leading-edge technology expertise, combined with a sound knowledge of industrial needs in terms of remote access, eWON distinguishes itself by its innovation, passion, integrity, quality and long-term vision. For more information about eWON, please visit the company's website at www.ewon.biz.

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