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FIELDBUS INTERNATIONAL AS, FINT, INTRODUCES A NEW, EMBEDDED WIRELESSHART[®] ADAPTER with Modbus[®] interface.

Combining Fint's Wired HART[®] expertise with Linear Technology's excellence in radio technology makes an affordable embedded WirelessHART[®] adapter for the instrumentation industry.

Oslo, Norway, April 22nd, 2013:

Fint launched its new WirelessHART[®] adapter with Modbus[®] interface, the T810, for embedded applications at the Hannover trade show in April. TheT810 is based on the Dust LTP 5902 WirelessHART Radio Module. The T810 enables manufacturers of battery driven measurement devices to operate on a WirelessHART[®] network in a straightforward way and with a bare minimum of investments.

"Fint has a very strong position as a provider of HART technology," said Joy Weiss, President of Linear Technology's Dust Networks Product Group. "The availability of the T810 module, combining Linear Technology's SmartMesh WirelessHART with a wired HART stack and hardware, will make the task of creating a WirelessHART instrument easier and faster for customers."

The T810 adapter is characterized by its small dimensions, 42mm x 42mm, and the energy consumption is in the µpower range. User flexibility is emphasized. The T810 is WirelessHART compliant with proven HART technology. It is the first product in a series of new WirelessHART communication modules, tailored for manufacturers of battery operated measurement devices as well as devices without battery.

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