

1 **Press release 2008-04**

2 **Lino GmbH awarded the status of a TactonWorks 3 Certified Service Partner**

4 **Stockholm - Mainz October 9, 2008 - Lino GmbH has been acting as an
5 authorised business partner of Tacton Systems since November 2007 and was
6 today awarded the status of a *TactonWorks Certified Service Partner* by Tacton,
7 the worldwide leader in configuration solutions. Tacton has thus recognised the
8 special expertise of Lino GmbH in the field of the SolidWorks 3D CAD system
9 and knowledge-based engineering (KBE).**

10 TactonWorks represents the direct integration of Tacton Configurator into the
11 professional SolidWorks® 3D CAD system and it is a gold partner product of
12 SolidWorks®. For over ten years, Tacton Configurator has been the leader in product
13 configurators and supports manufacturers around the world in creating custom
14 configured solutions, offers, parts lists and production documentation.

15 "We are pleased to have gained Lino GmbH as a partner and as a support for our
16 customers, especially in the SolidWorks environment," says Christer Wallberg, CEO of
17 Tacton. Dr Klas Orsvärn, the Co-founder of Tacton, adds: "We have come to know Lino
18 GmbH as an extremely reliable and competent partner who creates customer value
19 through the effective and efficient use of TactonWorks."

20 "Dr Klas Orsvärn already presented his first ideas about linking Tacton Configurator with
21 SolidWorks to me in 2004. At the time, I was able to confirm the basic concepts and
22 offered my recommendations for better integration. I am thus particularly pleased that
23 TactonWorks is now a gold partner product of SolidWorks and that I can help to make
24 this product a market leader in Germany," says Rüdiger Dehn, executive director of Lino
25 GmbH.

26 Lino supplies the software and provides first-level support, training, workshops and
27 project orders. Process quality is ensured by means of remote tools and tracking
28 systems.

29 **About Tacton Systems**

30 For the past two decades, Tacton Systems AB has undertaken extensive research and
31 development work in the field of product configuration and KBE. The research project
32 was commenced at the Swedish Institute for Computer Science (SICS) in 1987. This
33 resulted in the Tacton Configurator, which has proven its worth worldwide in companies
34 of various sizes and in various sectors since 1998, for example at ABB Robotics, Albany
35 Door Systems, ASSA ABLOY, Ericsson, FläktWoods and GE HealthCare. Tacton owes its
36 expertise and mature technology to its cooperation with leading companies and to their
37 feedback. Tacton solutions now automate sales and product configuration processes,
38 including price calculations, the compilation of offers and the generation of parts lists and
39 other documentation. Tacton Configurator can be integrated into ERP, CRM, E-commerce,
40 PLM and CAD systems. The sophisticated technology of the Tacton Configurator is a main
41 component of all TactonWorks solutions.

42 www.tacton.de

43 **About Lino GmbH - Leading Innovation**

44 The Mainz-based company Lino GmbH has more than 30 years of development and
45 project experience in the support of customers in the IT, CAD, design and manufacturing
46 sectors. The company only implements high-quality, innovative products for its
47 customers and ensures the desired increase in efficiency by means of targeted
48 implementation concepts. Lino sells and supports solutions in the field of 3D CAD
49 systems to international companies dealing in machine and systems design, automation
50 technology, electrical technology, the plastics and wood industries, medical technology,
51 as well as to design and engineering service providers. At the same time, Lino focuses on
52 data exchange and the integration of 3D CAD systems with products in the fields of PDM,
53 PLM, configurators, classification, ERP and FEM.

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