



Fusion Geophysical and Arcis Form Strategic Alliance In Seismic Imaging and Analysis

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Fusion Petroleum Technologies Inc. and **Arcis Corporation** announced today that the two companies have formed a strategic alliance in the field of seismic analysis. The alliance will allow Arcis to provide Fusion's proprietary technologies to their clients in the Canadian market, including the application of Fusion's revolutionary ThinMAN™ broadband spectral inversion technology, and REVEL™ residual velocity analysis. Under the terms of the agreement, Arcis and Fusion will work together to provide integrated services to clients, and Arcis will offer Fusion's commercial software products to Arcis clients in Canada including the leading-edge SpecMAN™ spectral analysis toolkit, Fusion's proprietary ExSpect™ spectral decomposition software, and other tools.

"Fusion is very excited about this alliance with Arcis", said Dr. John P. Castagna, Chairman of Fusion. "Through this alliance, Arcis and Fusion can together provide the Canadian petroleum industry with world-class integrated seismic analysis and interpretation services along with the expertise of some of the industry's top experts."

"We are very excited about working with the Fusion team to offer Arcis' clients specialized services for seismic analysis based on the latest technology developed by Fusion," said Peter Boyd, CEO of Arcis. According to Satinder Chopra, Manager, Reservoir Services for Arcis, "Arcis and Fusion will be able to provide our clients with a high level of project integration between imaging and other techniques such as inversion, spectral analysis, geopressure prediction and direct detection of hydrocarbons."

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