



Press Release

Ekinops Founder Will Present at WDM & Next Generation Optical Networking Conference (WDM Cannes)

Paris, France - June 22, 2007 - Offering a vision for the future of optical networking, the founder of optical transport solutions provider Ekinops will be part of a panel discussing Next Generation Networks and the future growth in the optical market at next week's Optical Networking conference in Cannes, France.

Francois-Xavier Ollivier, Ekinops' chief operating officer and founder, will present at "The Future of Optical Networking" session led by Eve Griliches, program manager within IDC's Telecommunications Equipment group.

Ollivier, who has more than 22 years of telecommunications industry experience and holds 14 optical transmission patents, will address the architectural considerations that are vital to the success of next generation optical networks.

WDM Cannes is Europe's largest optical networking conference and exhibition. It has provided a venue for optical networking professionals to exchange information for over 10 years.

At the conference, Ekinops will also showcase its newly launched Ekinops 360 platform, designed to fill the needs of metro, regional, and long haul CWDM and DWDM networks. The Ekinops 360 aggregates and transports any Ethernet, Fibre Channel, SONET, or SDH traffic and is designed to address the growing need to transport video, to backhaul broadband and wireless traffic and for the ever growing demand for Ethernet services.

About Ekinops

Ekinops is a provider of innovative optical transport and aggregation solutions for service providers and enterprise networks. Its advanced TDM technology enables the wire-speed aggregation and transport of multiple high-speed data channels using standard 2.5G and 10G signals, significantly lowering the cost of building and maintaining scalable optical networks. Ekinops' carrier-grade solutions leverage expertise in 10G transmission, aggregation, and Forward Error Correction to allow carriers to increase transport capacity over dark fiber, CWDM, DWDM, SONET/SDH and IP networks. The company is headquartered in Lannion, France, with sales offices in Europe and the US. More information about Ekinops is available at www.ekinops.net

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