

FireSocket Tops Deloitte's Orange County Technology Fast 50 Ranking of Fastest-Growing Companies, With 6,180 Percent Revenue Growth Over Five Years

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Orange County Technology Fast 50 Winners Experience Average Revenue Growth of 643 Percent

COSTA MESA, Calif., Oct. 4 /PRNewswire/ -- FireSocket tops the list of the fastest-growing companies in Orange County, as recognized by Deloitte & Touche USA LLP at an award event held Tuesday evening at the Marconi Automotive Museum in Tustin.

The "Orange County Technology Fast 50," an annual award program, ranks technology, media, telecommunications and life sciences companies located in the Orange County area by revenue growth over five years.

"We congratulate the winners of the Orange County Technology Fast 50 and the recipient of our Rising Star award," said Rick Rayson, managing partner of the Orange County office. "These thriving, successful enterprises are a testament to the ongoing growth and health of the Orange County business community."

Winners are selected based on percentage revenue growth over five years from 2001 to 2005. To be considered, Technology Fast 50 entrants must: have operating revenues of at least \$50,000 in 2001 and at least \$5,000,000 in 2005; be headquartered in Orange County; own proprietary technology or proprietary intellectual property that contributes to a significant portion of its operating revenues, or devote a significant proportion of revenues to the research and development of technology. Using other companies' technology or intellectual property in a unique way does not qualify. Subsidiaries and divisions are not eligible, unless they have some public ownership and are separately traded.

The Technology Fast 50 company ranking is as follows:

Rank	Company Name	Percent Growth	City
1	FireSocket	6180 %	San Clemente
2	eyeonics, Inc.	5596 %	Aliso Viejo
3	IntraLase Corp.	5232 %	Irvine
4	RealtyTrac Inc.	4647 %	Irvine
5	SenoRx	2477 %	Aliso Viejo
6	DispenseSource, Inc.	1361 %	Irvine
7	HireRight, Inc.	1034 %	Irvine
8	Ceradyne, Inc.	712 %	Costa Mesa
9	Masimo Corporation	423 %	Irvine
10	Clarient, Inc.	312 %	Aliso Viejo
11	Irvine Sensors Corporation	275 %	Costa Mesa
12	BIOLASE Technology, Inc.	275 %	Irvine
13	Accurate Background, Inc.	265 %	Lake Forest
14	I-Flow Corporation	230 %	Lake Forest
15	KOR Electronics	191 %	Cypress
16	Broadcom Corporation	178 %	Irvine
17	Powerwave Technologies, Inc.	175 %	Santa Ana
18	Ritz Interactive, Inc.	166 %	Irvine
19	Raining Data Corporation	138 %	Irvine
20	American Vanguard Corporation	128 %	Newport Beach
21	ICU Medical, Inc.	128 %	San Clemente
22	Universal Space Network, Inc.	127 %	Newport Beach

23	Envision Financial Systems, Inc.	123 %	Tustin
24	Quality Systems, Inc.	123 %	Irvine
25	Endocare, Inc.	117 %	Irvine
26	Smith Micro Software, Inc.	113 %	Aliso Viejo
27	Liberty Information Management Solutions	104 %	Costa Mesa
28	Allergan, Inc.	103 %	Irvine
29	Quest Software, Inc.	93 %	Aliso Viejo
30	ACME Communications, Inc.	90 %	Santa Ana
31	Western Digital Corporation	86 %	Lake Forest
32	TTM Technologies, Inc.	86 %	Santa Ana
33	Autobyte Inc.	77 %	Irvine
34	Advanced Medical Optics, Inc.	70 %	Santa Ana
35	Epicor Software Corporation	69 %	Irvine
36	Iteris, Inc.	65 %	Anaheim
37	QLogic Corporation	60 %	Aliso Viejo
38	SimpleTech, Inc.	60 %	Santa Ana
39	Emulex Corporation	53 %	Costa Mesa
40	Universal Electronics Inc.	52 %	Cypress
41	SRS Labs, Inc.	51 %	Santa Ana
42	Sybron Dental Specialties Inc.	48 %	Newport Beach
43	Edwards Lifesciences Corporation	44 %	Irvine
44	The TriZetto Group, Inc.	34 %	Newport Beach
45	Conexant Systems, Inc.	33 %	Newport Beach
46	Valeant Pharmaceuticals International	33 %	Costa Mesa
47	FileNet Corporation	26 %	Costa Mesa
48	Beckman Coulter, Inc.	23 %	Fullerton
49	Microsemi Corporation	22 %	Irvine
50	CAM Commerce Solutions, Inc.	20 %	Valley Fountain

A special category called "Rising Stars" recognizes the fastest-growing technology, media, telecommunications and life sciences companies based on revenue growth over three years (2003-2005).

This year's Rising Star is Aliso Viejo-based SiliconSystems, Inc., which has experienced revenue growth of 7,204 percent.

This year's Orange County Technology Fast 50 program is co-presented by Deloitte & Touche USA LLP and Porsche Motorsport, Continental Airlines, DLD Insurance, McDermott & Bull, Comerica, Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth, Cresa Partners and Merrill Corporation, in association with AeA and the Technology Council of Southern California.

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