

Synaptics Capacitive Scrolling Solution Featured in New Version MoGo Mouse X54(TM)

Newton Peripherals integrated Synaptics ScrollStrip(TM) technology into the MoGo Mouse X54 to enhance the usability and industrial design

SANTA CLARA, Calif., April 24, 2007 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX News Network/ -- Synaptics Incorporated (Nasdaq: SYNA), a leading developer of interface solutions for mobile computing, communications, and entertainment devices, today announced that its custom scrolling solution is being used in the new revolutionary MoGo Mouse X54 by Newton Peripherals.

Newton Peripherals' MoGo Mouse X54 is a Bluetooth-enabled wireless mouse unlike any other mouse on the market, weighing only .5oz. Folding it flat and storing it in the ExpressCard/54 slot, recharges it. The Synaptics capacitive ScrollStrip(TM) makes navigating through documents easy and comfortable for the user.

Synaptics' ScrollStrip(TM) technology provides intelligent sensing features, including:

- -- Speed-adjustment, which allows users to control the distance scrolled by the speed that their finger moves along the sensor. The faster the finger moves, the further the user scrolls.
- -- Immunity to moisture, dirt and surface scratches, durability and reliability, as there are no moving parts to wear out with repeated use.

"Synaptics is very pleased to provide a robust scrolling solution for the compact MoGo Mouse X54," said Mariel van Tatenhove, Synaptics Senior Product Line Director. "The Newton Peripherals MoGo Mouse X54 is an excellent example of how our technology and experience in custom design enables our customers to create small form factor devices without compromising the user experience."

"One of the biggest obstacles we had with the MoGo Mouse is finding a compact scrolling solution for our mouse," said Matt Westover, CEO of Newton Peripherals. "There was no way a traditional scroll wheel would fit in our MoGo Mouse because of its compact design. Synaptics' capacitive ScrollStrip integrated with the MoGo Mouse X54 allowed us to add the important scrolling feature without changing the compact industrial design that the MoGo Mouse is known for."

Availability: MoGo Mouse X54 will be available in the second quarter of this year from a worldwide network of authorized resellers at an MSRP of \$79.99. More information about the new MoGo Mouse X54 is available at http://www.newtonperipherals.com/mogo_mouseX54.html. More Information on Synaptics' scrolling solutions can be found at http://www.synaptics.com/products/scrso.cfm.

About Synaptics

Synaptics is a leading developer of interface solutions for the mobile computing, communications, and entertainment industries. The company creates interface solutions for a variety of devices including notebook PCs, PC peripherals, digital music players, and mobile phones. The TouchPad(TM), Synaptics' flagship product, is integrated into a majority of today's notebook computers. Consumer electronics and computing manufacturers use Synaptics' solutions to enrich the interaction between humans and intelligent devices through improved usability, functionality and industrial design. The company is headquartered in Santa Clara, California. www.synaptics.com

About Newton Peripherals

Newton Peripherals LLC designs, develops and manufactures a complete line of patent-pending products designed to enhance productivity for mobile computing users, including the award-winning MoGo Mouse, a wireless, Bluetooth-enabled, optical, rechargeable mouse. Its other products include the MoGo Dapter and the MoGo Headset. For further information and product photography, please visit <u>www.newtonperipherals.com</u>.

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