

Press Release

adesso expands IT services in the business of banking and finance

Comprehensive portfolio including portal solutions and linking and migration of host systems

***Dortmund, 10 July 2008* – The adesso AG expands its service offers for financial service providers. The company reacts to an increasing demand in the segment of finance for providers that are able to provide professional as well as technical support in implementing company critical requirements. adesso focuses on the fields of customer portals, e-banking, sales support as well as payments and securities business. In order to meet the new assignments, adesso enlisted Mark Lohweber, an expert for finance IT, who is responsible for the strategic coordination and allocation of all activities in this segment.**

The adesso AG can already show numerous successfully realized major projects, which cover the scope of mobile banking as well as the implementation of regulatory standards in host systems. In the course of upcoming changes in fiscal law, e.g. the reorganization of capital gains taxes or the introduction of home annuity („Wohn-Riester“), banks request increasingly for services in process modelling and in the development of corresponding host systems. “Our reference in the insurance sector as a reliable partner for sales supporting applications helps us to gain good ground as experts in financial sales as well,” comments Michael Kenfenheuer, head of Consulting and Sales at adesso. “Our specialized finance IT division possesses sufficient professional knowledge to support the financial sector in the transformation of national as well as EU standards.”

Due to specialized subsidiaries, adesso is able to respond to sector specific requirements in mobile Internet or Enterprise Content Management, besides its core business of IT consulting and development.

adesso's customers in the financial sector are i.a. AWD, Commerzbank, Cortal Consors, Credit Suisse, DWS, HSBC Trinkaus, Postbank and Jung, DMS & Cie.

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With more than 500 members of staff and seven headquarters, adesso is one of the leading IT providers in the German-speaking regions. The core business processes of the customers manifest the focus of consultancy and software development of adesso. These processes which are important for business success are becoming ever more flexible and productive by the clever implementation of information technology.

adesso customers, who are mainly large and medium-sized businesses, appreciate the long-term experience of the consultants and software developers resulting from complex and often international tasks. adesso also offers fixed prices for software development projects which are of a large-scale nature, thus granting customers financial security. adesso very much puts an emphasis on members of staff with an entrepreneurial spirit who act with a high degree of communicative competence and who know about and master the special tasks of the customers in their respective branches. Their corporate culture is characterized by transparency, also in the context of internal communication, and by members of staff who strongly identify themselves with adesso.

adesso was founded in Dortmund in 1997. The share is listed on the regulated market. The most important customers are Allianz, Hannover Rück, Westdeutsche Lotterie, Zurich Gruppe, DEVK, BKK Bundesverband und DAK.

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