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**NetEx HyperIP Achieves VMware Ready™ Status**

**MINNEAPOLIS, MN, May 3, 2010** — NetEx®, the leader in WAN optimization software, today announced that its HyperIP® product has achieved VMware Ready™ status. This designation indicates that HyperIP has passed a detailed evaluation and testing process managed by VMware and is now listed as such on both the VMware Partner Product Catalog and Virtual Appliance Marketplace.

Passing the extensive VMware-specified testing helps ensure that HyperIP integrates consistently with VMware technology and is ready for deployment in customer environments.

“We are pleased that HyperIP qualifies for the VMware Ready logo, signifying to customers that it has passed specific VMware testing and interoperability criteria and is ready to run in production environments,” said Bernie Mills, Senior Director, Alliance Programs, VMware.

“Customers that chose a VMware Ready solution will benefit from a safe and reduced risk solution with lower integration costs. A VMware Ready solution tells our customers that HyperIP will fit into their long term virtualization investment, leveraging the unique capabilities of VMware virtualization while accelerating virtual machines and other VMware application data across geographically dispersed WANs. It also automates and accelerates disaster recovery operations such as VMware Site Recovery Manager and eliminates the distance and performance bottlenecks that can hamper WAN-based operations for virtual machines running leading backup, migration and DR applications,” said Robert MacIntyre, NetEx Vice President of Business Development and Marketing.

The VMware Ready program is a VMware co-branding program for qualified partner products and is a benefit of the VMware Technology Alliance Partner (TAP) program. The VMware TAP program works with best-of-breed technology partners to provide them a comprehensive set of VMware technical and marketing services, support, tools and expertise to deliver enhanced value to joint customers.

NetEx HyperIP can now be downloaded from the VMware Virtual Appliance Marketplace: <http://www.vmware.com/appliances/directory/155643>.

### **About HyperIP**

HyperIP is NetEx's award-winning business continuity and disaster recovery optimization solution for backup, recovery and data replication applications. Patent-pending technology accelerates and optimizes industry-leading data replication and file transfer applications by aggregating multiple data replication applications over a shared connection while mitigating the inherent network latency and network disruption for long-distance remote TCP data transmissions. HyperIP supports long-distance data transfers at up to 800 Mb/s, the highest performance of any WAN optimization solution on the market, and 25 to more than 100 percent faster than competitive products. Transfer speed is optimized for the full range of data management applications, including backup & remote replication and business continuance/disaster recovery (BC/DR). NetEx offers HyperIP for cloud infrastructures as a software configuration, enabling customers to quickly deploy the acceleration software into their existing VMware infrastructures. NetEx leads the industry in supporting the top backup, DR and replication applications from companies such as IBM, HP/Lefthand, EMC, NetApp, FalconStor, VEEAM, DataCore and many more. A complete list the BC/DR solutions supported by HyperIP is available at: <http://www.netex.com/products/hyperip/supported-applications>.

### **About NetEx**

Formed in 1999 as a spin-off of Storage Technology Corporation (StorageTek®), privately-held NetEx is providing the world's fastest WAN optimization software in the industry, along with guaranteed data delivery, for over 20 years to more than 100 of the world's largest and most sophisticated organizations, including some of the most prestigious providers of financial, transportation and telecommunications services and government entities. Customers include BP, Telstra, NTT, Verizon, Qwest, Royal Bank

of Scotland Group, Lloyds TSB, NDC Health, IRS, American, United Airlines and Kellogg. As a VMware Technology Alliance Partner, NetEx's HyperIP WAN optimizer software is leading the way in demonstrating impressive performance results for supercharging VMware applications worldwide. For more information about NetEx, NetEx/IP or HyperIP, visit [www.netex.com](http://www.netex.com) or call +1-763-694-4300.

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