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Xitron and ZH Basch Collaborate for Successful All in Print Exhibition

***Navigator DFEs driving Memjet VersaPass and DuraLink-based inkjet presses
developed by Basch***

Ann Arbor, MI – November 19, 2018 – Xitron, the leading independent developer of RIP and workflow products for commercial, digital, and high-speed inkjet printing partnered with China’s ZH Basch Digital Technology Company, introducing two new inkjet presses at All in Print, China. Xitron developed the Navigator Digital Front Ends to drive the Panthera 3322C and Leopard DL-220, both of which incorporate Memjet print head technology.

The Panthera 3322C uses the Memjet VersaPass print head to provide high-quality four-color labels at a maximum speed of nearly 60 feet per minute. Xitron’s Navigator DFE controls job input, queuing, and spot color matching for color accuracy. The workflow offers a server-client architecture, which provides network-wide visibility to production as well as job preview and access to live printhead and ink status.

The Leopard DL-220 uses the Memjet DuraLink technology, which allows the press to run at an astonishing 668 feet per minute. This implementation is a monochrome system aimed at the specific needs of the express delivery labels and logistics industry in China. The Navigator DFE driving the DL-220 is based on Global Graphics’ Harlequin RIP core and drives the system at full rated speed even when variable data is present.

Both DFE implementations are localized in Simplified and Traditional Chinese, making integration into China’s large printing market easier and faster. “The introduction of these two presses and the Navigator DFE’s driving them is the culmination of a development agreement signed in August of 2017,” said Karen Crews, president of Xitron. “We look forward to strengthening our partnership with ZH Basch as they continue to create innovative solutions for their growing market.”

About Xitron

Xitron develops advanced workflow systems and interfaces to drive the prepress industry's most popular new, and legacy output devices, prolonging our customers' investments. In addition, Xitron's pressroom workflow solutions extend the functionality of press consoles from a number of industry-leading press manufacturers. Xitron's Navigator RIP, Raster Blaster TIFF Catcher, and Sierra Workflow solutions are recognized as prepress standards. Built around the Harlequin RIP core technology from Global Graphics and the Adobe PDF Print Engine from Adobe Systems, Xitron engineers continue to develop solutions for the graphic arts market, driving hundreds of different models of imagesetters, proofers, platesetters, inkjet printers, and digital presses. With shipments of more than 35,000 RIPs, Xitron is the largest independent provider in the market. For more information about Xitron, visit us at www.xitron.com.

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