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MultiLogPRO™ System Ideal for Scientific Experimentation

New handheld tool from Fourier Systems combines the capabilities of a graphing calculator and data logger

AUSTIN, TEXAS (April 20, 2005) – We know that children learn best by doing – and this is especially true in the science classroom, where students have the opportunity for inquiry and experimentation. Today’s learners, however, can benefit from the use of hands-on technology, such as the MultiLogPRO system from Fourier Systems, Inc., which allows students to instantly make the connection between experimental data and scientific concept.

The MultiLogPRO system is the most popular innovation from Fourier, an international leader in the development and distribution of compact portable data logging devices for the science classroom. The MultiLogPRO is used in more than 26 countries, helping students perform almost any kind of measurement using a variety of more than 50 sensors spanning the science curriculum.

As a portable data logger, the MultiLogPRO can be used in the classroom, lab or in the field. Running as a stand-alone device or connected to a desktop computer, the MultiLogPRO displays student experiment data in several forms, including meters, tables and graphs. Students can save and replay data from up to a hundred different experiments before having to download them to a desktop or handheld computer. Students can also send experiment results to each other via the MultiLogPRO device.

“The MultiLogPRO has taken my students to a higher level,” said Elizabeth Arthur, a teacher at Greenbrier Middle School in Columbia County, Ga. “Using technology to enhance lab activities allows them to truly experience the topics we are studying. The energetic atmosphere created through the use of this hands-on tool empowers students and allows them to take ownership of their learning.”

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After conducting experiments with MultiLogPRO, students can export data to their computer or handheld and use the Fourier MultiLab software to analyze the data. Multimedia features within the software allow students to link audio and video recorded during the experiment with the data being analyzed. The MultiLab software is compatible with PCs and Macintosh computers, as well as Palm and Pocket PC devices.

“A common adage in education is that what students hear, they forget; what they see, they remember; and what they do, they understand,” said Dov Bruker, CEO. “MultiLogPRO is designed to help students ‘do’ as many types of scientific research and exploration as possible.”

The MultiLogPRO system includes curriculum materials covering physics, biology, chemistry and environmental science. Pricing starts at \$199. For more information about MultiLogPRO, visit www.fourier-sys.com.

About Fourier Systems, Inc.

Established in 1989, Fourier is a world leader in the manufacture and distribution of compact portable data logging devices and accessories for the education market. The company’s science kits continue to push the standards of science education higher, now in over 30 countries around the world. With the wide range of sensors, user-friendly software and relevant curriculum material, Fourier’s products demonstrate a commitment to high quality. Fourier has earned accolades both nationally and internationally, including the Worlddidac award for the EcoLog™ in 1998 and for ExperiNet™ in 2002. For more information, visit www.fourier-sys.com or phone 866-352-6994.

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