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VEXCEL IMAGING OPENS OFFICE IN CHINA

Vexcel Imaging GmbH, Austria, announced the opening of its newest office in Shenzhen, P.R. China. China is a highly important market for Vexcel Imaging. Vexcel Imaging began providing cutting-edge photogrammetry-grade aerial film scanners into the China market as early as 1998 followed by introducing digital aerial cameras 2005 in China. In response to the demand due to China's economic growth, combined with its global network advantages, Vexcel Imaging establishes the office in Shenzhen Special

Economic Zone. It is a strong testament to the firm's long-term commitment to serve the China market while support customers in building their business. The office opening will create both challenges and opportunities for businesses. Vexcel Imaging will make use of global network advantages, coupled with local experience, to provide strategic support to the smart city mapping transformation and state-of-art photogrammetry and related software processing technology.

www.vexcel-imaging.com



CHC NAVIGATION INTRODUCES THE APACHE 3 PORTABLE USV SOLUTION.

CHC Navigation announced the immediate availability of its new **APACHE 3**, a lightweight portable unmanned surface vessel. "Featuring triple-hulled and shallow draught design, the APACHE 3 is a portable autonomous USV for bathymetric surveys of lakes, inland rivers and coastal areas," said **Yann Yan, Product Manager of USV Solutions**.

"Its compact size and light weight allows one person to operate the system easily." The APACHE 3 USV solution embeds the CHCNAV's absolute straight-line technology which enables fully-automated course in autonomous mode in all current

and flow conditions. Multi-directional data transfer options from shore to the APACHE 3 are available including TCP protocols with high bandwidth multi-channel transmission. The APACHE 3 can be fitted with various instruments such as single beam echo-sounder, GNSS RTK receiver and other sensors to match diverse application requirements. CHCNAV's APACHE 3 unmanned surface vessel brings portable and highly integrated solution to marine survey professionals to complete hydrographic mapping or bathymetric survey projects efficiently.

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TERRA DRONE AND PLIMSOLL UAV IN BRAZIL SIGN A JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENT

Terra Drone Japan and Plimsoll UAV announce the establishment of a joint venture called Terra Drone Brazil. Plimsoll UAV, in which Terra Drone has acquired a major stake, is a leading drone service provider in Brazil. Plimsoll UAV is specialized in the inspection of Floating Production Storage and Offloading System (FPSO) among Oil & Gas (O&G) fields. Brazil has the largest number of FPSO in the world. With this agreement, we are capable of providing the most updated technical know-how of 3D surveying and hard & soft technology to enhance the wide network in Brazil that has been established by Plimsoll UAV. Thus, this new partnership will bring the latest technology to our customers, providing great benefits to their needs and delivering world-class service to our clients in Brazil. With this new Joint Venture, Terra Drone Brazil will be able to enhance technical solutions for O&G industries in Brazil.

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