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Brazilian Patent Office adopts empolis solution

Following its implementation in Europe and China, the empolis EPOQUE-Net solution is now also in use on the South American continent. Since July 1, 2005, 145 Brazilian Patent Office (INPI) users have access to the European Patent Office (EPO) server located in The Hague (220 users will have access shortly). The EPO's World Patent Search Service has therefore gained its first non-European Community state, in addition to the European Community (EC) member states.

The EPOQUE-Net Solution was developed in close cooperation with the European Patent Office (EPO) and was implemented at The Hague, Munich and Berlin, as well as in several other EPO EC member states.

Another full version of the system, including PCT-data, was implemented with the Chinese Patent Office (SIPO) in Peking and is currently being updated.

Further information about the EPOQUE-Net solution can be found [here](#) or contact Michael.Wischmeyer@empolis.com.

 **Announcement! A date to note:**

**User Conference
empolisexchange
November 24-25, 2005
Bertelsmann Repräsentanz, Unter den Linden 1, Berlin, Germany**

empolis invites you to the empolisexchange user conference! Use this forum to meet likeminded people to network and exchange knowledge. Find out first hand how to improve business processes with the help of our solutions. Discuss your ideas and daily challenges and assist us in tailoring our solutions even more to your individual requirements. We will present the latest developments exclusively to you at this occasion and break-out sessions will provide ample opportunity to discuss particular application

areas and technologies and to get advice for problems you might have encountered. Gain new insights and experience and feel free to voice your opinion!



The event starts on Thursday afternoon and we will end the day in style with a great evening agenda. We will wrap up on Friday afternoon.

Invitations including details and programme will be mailed to you closer to the date. But please make a note of this event already today! We look forward to your participation!

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e:Information Access Suite 5.1 - new release of the search infrastructure solution

The e:Information Access Suite (e:IAS) makes enterprise-wide search infrastructures possible. The solution delivers fundamental technologies for information access and information structuring. In addition to specialized access mechanisms, it offers a comprehensive framework for customizing to specific needs and for easy integration into existing hardware and software infrastructures.

The latest version 5.1 of the empolis Information Access Suite (e:IAS) was released on July 20, 2005. Numerous functionality extensions were integrated and the primary goals of the developments were targeted at high scalability and secure operation of an e:IAS-based solution in an enterprise.

The most important changes in summary:

- **When the e:IAS is implemented in a productive scenario with extremely high demands to workload distribution and accessibility, it is now possible to distribute the corresponding services to a computer cluster.** Depending on the current system workload, e.g. in times of extremely high or low workloads, individual services in operation can be added or dropped.
- **The import framework was significantly enhanced:** An import from Microsoft Exchange is equally as possible as the precise handling of archives and other document databases. A variety of improvements allow for the import of distributed operational modules from a single computer network. In addition, alternative import filters for traditional Office formats are available, and much more.
- The e:IAS functionality spectrum has been expanded with an entire range of pipelets to make **associative search processes, the display of dynamic hits or the connection to web services** possible, just to name a few.
- The proven modelling tool **Creator has been ported to eclipse** to allow for much easier project-specific enhancements.
- **An included and documented operating concept takes realistic productive scenarios into consideration.** It considers diverse environments (authoring, testing and productive environments) and their required processes for monitoring and updating subsystems.

The e:Information Access Suite Release 5.1 can be implemented and applied on a broad scale. A specific license key determines whether only full text search is installed or whether associative search capability, service support modules or the full range of functionalities is available.

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THE German Patent Industry Event: PATENTE 2005 8th Annual Conference for Patent Experts Organized by Management Circle Steigenberger Hotel Frankfurter Hof Frankfurt, Germany October 5th-6th, 2005



Innovativeness and efficiency in Research and Development secure the competitive advantage for your organization. Corporate decisions that are sustainable and trendsetting demand fast access to all relevant information resources. A powerful patent department plays a decisive role and represents an investment in the future of your organization.

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PATENTE 2005 will draw a large audience of patent specialists from a wide variety of areas: Patent, License and Trademarks, Intellectual Property, Research & Development, Innovation Management, Legal Departments and Patent Attorneys.

Register today for your personal appointment at the empolis booth: **Michaela.Cleve-Kempf@empolis.com** empolis customers receive a discount of € 150 on the conference registration fee. We are looking forward to seeing you in Frankfurt!

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