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FingerWorks Announces the ZeroForce iGesture Pad for Macs and PCs.

Newark, Delaware - February 13, 2003 - FingerWorks Inc., the creator of MultiTouch Gesture Recognition technology, today announced the ZeroForce iGesture Pad - a gesture-based user interface for Windows, Mac, and Linux computers.

The iGesture Pad is an ultra-thin, hand-size, superduper touchpad that is both mouse and powerful multi-finger gesture input interface. Mouse operations like point, click, drag, scroll, and zoom are combined seamlessly with multi-finger gesture anywhere on the iGesture Pad's surface. The iGesture Pad gives user's unprecedented control of graphical objects using gestures, and it works equally well with either hand.

"Our iGesture line of products are single-hand MultiTouch interfaces that pack a lot of power." explains John Elias, FingerWorks founder and CEO. "People don't realize just how powerful multi-finger gesture input is until they try it. And, our products are getting even more useful to the average user. With soon-to-be-released gesture customization utilities, users will be able to map any gesture to any function in their favorite application. It will even be possible to enable password generation by secret gestures known only to the user".

One user of the iGesture Pad said "This technology is so cool, and it's so awesomely fast and responsive. I love being able to just slightly twist my hand to open and close files or expand and contract my hand to zoom."

The iGesture Pad is available now through multiple resellers and through FingerWorks online store (www.fingerworks.com).

About MultiTouch Technology.
MultiTouch technology comprises hardware and software elements for sensing, tracking, and interpreting the motion of multiple hands and multiple fingers on a touch imaging surface. It allows people to use simple and easy-to-remember gestures that make computer use faster, more effective, and more productive. MultiTouch technology was invented and developed in the Electrical and Computer Engineering Department at the University of Delaware by the company founders, Dr. Wayne C. Westerman and Dr. John G. Elias. For more info see <http://www.fingerworks.com/multoverview.html>

About FingerWorks, Inc.
FingerWorks designs and produces multi-finger and multi-hand touch-based user interaction devices for use in a wide range of computer applications. Multi-finger and multi-hand touch-based systems provide unprecedented control of graphical objects and seamlessly combine normal touch typing and mouse operations with gesture input on the same overlapping area of a MultiTouch surface. FingerWorks is a Delaware based, private company. The company can be contacted on the web at www.fingerworks.com, or via email at sales@fingerworks.com.

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