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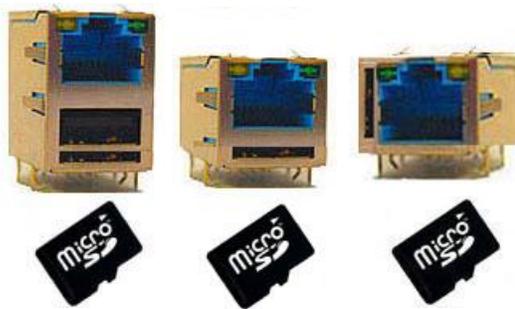

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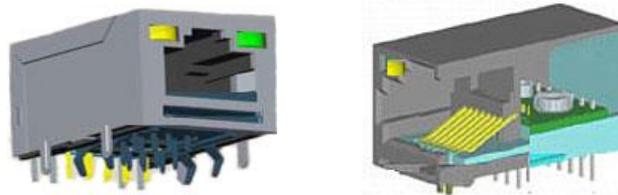## Xmultiple X-SMART™ RJ45, USB and MicroSD Connector Combined into a Ultra Low Profile

Our Patent Pending X-SMART™ Connector is a perfect solution for any MicroSD requirement- Combining is Better

Los Angeles, CA., April 19, 2013 – Xmultiple, a global manufacturer of connectivity products and a leading manufacturer of interconnect solution products has developed an innovative RJ45 connector and MicroSD card connector combo which is smaller and lighter than most standard RJ45 connector in the marketplace.

The Xmultiple X-SMART™ Connector Series combine RJ connectors with MicroSD card reader connectors. Xmultiple has developed an innovative line of RJ / MicroSD combo connectors to include versions also integrated with USB, HDMI and eSATA connectors as well. Our MicroSD connectors have been designed to reduce memory card fly-out and sticking problems. Our X-SMART connectors are an excellent solution to reduce printed circuit board space on motherboards and other desktop peripherals. With the expanding use of MicroSD cards for smartphones, tablets, cameras and other mobile devices, users of these devices want an easy way to access the information on their MicroSD cards with their desktop computers and other desktop devices. With X-SMART combo connectors, MicroSD cards can be read and copied to a desktop computer without the need for adapters. The Xmultiple X-SMART MicroSD connectors are available in various profiles with superior wiping function to assure a good electrical contact with smooth and controlled card ejection.

Xmultiple named this connector the X-SMART connector because optionally we integrate a logic chip which uses a portion of the MicroSD capacity to store data being collected regarding the per port status of the connection. In addition to logic chips, the new X-SMART connectors have versions integrated with magnetics for transmission of 10/100/1000Mbps as well as 10GB transmission. The X-SMART connector offers the MicroSD capability in Power Over Ethernet (PoE) and surge protection connectors as well. For manufacturers of networking products and equipment the X-SMART connector now provides them with a high volume flash memory storage capacity which they can use with their network management systems when collecting, storing and retrieving data.

X-SMART-USB Combo - USB Connector and MicroSD

Xmultiple X-SMART-USB is a combination USB connector and a MicroSD card connector integrated in one small form factor. This connector is available in standard A and B, mini and micro USB connector types. With this compact form factor, USB and MicroSD can be combined in smartphones, tablets and other mobile devices and save printed circuit board space.

The X-SMART™ connector leadtime is 4 to 6 weeks for non-magnetic connectors and 8 to 10 weeks for magnetic connector versions.   Please call us for high volume order pricing.

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About Xmultiple

Xmultiple is a global manufacturer of connectivity products supporting twisted pair wiring communications, networking, RF/Microwave, test & measurement, broadcast, medical, military and industrial applications. Xmultiple manufacturers patent pending and patent electronic products related to all types of interconnector solutions.   In addition, our consumer group has released the XP1-Power iPhone/iPod USB Sync/Charging rechargeable battery and cables which are designed to meet the needs for Smartphone and cellphone users.   Xmultiple is an ISO9001:2008 certified company. Xmultiple has implemented the ISO14001:2004 Environment Management System as well. Demand for advanced product

features, high-speed, convenience, and connectivity is driving the connector manufacturing industry. The industry is forecast to reach an estimated US $65 billion in 2018 with a CAGR of 4.8% over the next five years (2013-2018). The tablets and desktop computer market is providing growth momentum for connectors, components and flash memory at a high volume level. Connectors are an important electronic component for a mobile phone, and their quality is directly related to the quality and reliability of the mobile phone. Connectors are widely applied in industries including automobile, computer, telecommunication, manufacture, consumer electronics, aviation and military industries.