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## Junot Systems and OEC Announce Partnership Optel Embeds NLINK for SAP Integration

**Houston, July 7, 2004** – Junot Systems, Inc., a leading provider of embedded enterprise application integration solutions, and Optimal Electronics Corporation (OEC), a leading provider of optimization solutions and complete manufacturing execution systems for the electronics assembly industry, announce today that they have signed a Letter of Intent for the integration of OEC's Optel™ optimization solution for electronics assembly to SAP® R/3®.

OEC selected Junot's patented and certified NLINK® integration technology because of its ability to provide their customers with reliable, scalable, and field proven integration solutions to SAP R/3, Oracle Applications and other leading ERP systems.

"Integrating Optel with SAP R/3 and other ERP systems offers significant benefits and cost savings to our customers" said Ranko Vujosevic, President and founder of OEC. "Linking these systems allows our customers to operate more efficiently and to exercise greater control over the assembly process." By linking to the business systems, Optel customers can see additional benefits in the areas of order commitment, work in process status, equipment utilization, material replenishment, assembly setup and routings, and a reduction in scrap.

"We are very excited to add OEC to our growing list of technology partners" said Peter Slater, President of Junot Systems. "NLINK is ideally suited to provide this critical integration and bring real-time enterprise benefits to OEC's customers. Customers using OEC's Optel, computerized optimization system for electronics assembly will now be able to take advantage of Junot's patented and SAP certified NLINK technology to provide seamless integration to SAP R/3 and other leading ERP systems."

### **About Junot Systems:**

*Headquartered in Houston, Texas, Junot Systems, Inc. has deployed and supported its NLINK product suite since 1997 in a variety of vertical markets, both in the US and overseas. Junot's integration specialists developed the patented NLINK product suite to significantly reduce the time and expense of integrating complex business applications. For more information, please visit the Junot Systems web site at [www.junotsystems.com](http://www.junotsystems.com).*

### **About Optimal Electronics Corporation:**

*Optimal Electronics Corporation, ([www.optel.com](http://www.optel.com)) located in Austin, Texas, provides optimized solutions for electronics assembly including complete shop floor control and integrated assembly process optimization. Founded in 1996, Optimal Electronics has exclusively focused research and development efforts to the unique arena of optimization and manufacturing execution systems for the printed circuit board industry. While designing solutions for world class manufacturers such as Rockwell Collins, Solectron, Deere and Company, Allen-Bradley and National Instruments, Optimal Electronics has specialized in creating a broad range of applications that work together to enhance returns on investment in plant and equipment and dramatically increase productivity.*

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