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### **Alliance increases the transfer volume of state-of-the-art security technology into the Gulf region**

***Advanced German Technology (AGT), a leading supplier of premier security products, solutions and services and Finnish F-Secure Corporation, today announced their strategic co-operation in order to optimise their security business activities in the Middle East.***

The aim of their joint effort is to extend their market presence into each country in the region by the end of 2004.

AGT's business partnership with F-Secure, the leading provider of centrally managed security solutions for the mobile enterprise, not only adds to their premier class range of security solutions another top-class anti virus functionality, but significantly extends its leading market position in the Middle East. 'It has been our wish for a long time to supply Middle East clients with F-Secure's premier class products, says Mario Grossmann, Managing Director of AGT. He continues: 'It's simply great that we are able to announce this alliance at a time when the challenges facing the Arab organisations are increasing.'

Kimmo Alkio, Chief Operations Officer of F-Secure comments: 'One of our strategic goals is to strengthen our global partner network, and through this collaboration we now have even a better chance to grow our business in the Arabic countries. AGT is a long-time professional in the security field and I believe this agreement will bring great value as well as the best solutions for AGT's resellers and their customers.'

F-Secure has recently released two all-new products: F-Secure Anti-Virus Client Security is the first truly integrated solution against viruses, with anti virus, distributed firewall, application control and intrusion prevention in one seamless cost efficient product. F-Secure Internet Gatekeeper is a firewall and mail server independent solution specially engineered for high speed scanning of web (HTTP and FTP over HTTP) and e-mail (SMTP) traffic for viruses and other undesirable content.

