

# NEWS RELEASE

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## MODULAR BRINGS AFFORDABLE QUALITY SPC SYSTEM TO THE PROCESSING/MANUFACTURING PLANT FLOOR – JUST \$265/mo.

#### Ready-to-run NEMA 4X/IP65 plant floor workstation, HP thin client, and InfinityQS real-time SPC software system now available for as low as \$265.00 per month. Ideal for small- and mid-sized processing and manufacturing companies.

Summary:

Until now, real-time computer-based SPC was unaffordable to many companies—due to the high upfront costs of hardware, software licenses, training, and site support. Now, the *PowerBoxSPC Lease Program* from Modular Industrial Computers brings the many benefits of real-time SPC to companies of all sizes—all for an investment as low as \$265.00 per month.

**Chattanooga, Tennessee—December 16, 2013**— MODULAR Industrial Computers of Chattanooga, Tennessee, today introduced a Leasing Program that enables virtually any size company to enjoy the many benefits of real-time Statistical Process Control (SPC) on plant floor. Designated *PowerBoxSPC*, this leasing program from Modular provides necessary SPC hardware and software—all for an investment as low as \$265.00 per month.

The real-time PowerBoxSPC system consists of a Modular NEMA 4X/IP FS PowerBox plant floor workstation with 17" industrial display, a Hewlett-Packard t610 thin client, and InfinityQS' Proficient On Demand software license.

This Thin Client cloud based configuration minimizes the technical onsite support requirement for implementation. Customers need only provide an internet connection to the workstation. No onsite servers, software or technology resources are required to gain the benefits of the real-time SPC.

Infinity QS Statistical tools are an effective way for improving process quality and help ensure product safety. Leading organizations have achieved the cost savings benefits from real-time statistical process control (SPC) implementation. InfinityQS is the leading software cloud based application and includes flow charts, Pareto analysis, histograms, cause-and-effect or Ishikawa diagrams, scatter diagrams, and control charts. Control charts enable the monitoring of key variables during production and they give warning when the process is out-of-control.

As a HP Business Partner, Modular has utilized HP thin client computers for a wide range of industrial applications. The t610 provides leading edge performance, multiple I/O and communications options. Optional wireless configuration is available.

All components are warranted through the life of the lease.

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#### BACKGROUNDER

### Food/Beverage/Meat/Pharmaceutical Plant Floor Harsh NEMA 4X/IP65 Environment and Washdown Computing Specialists

With more than 21 years of experience—and a history of installing products on the plant floors of 100% of the largest food/beverage processors in North America—MODULAR is uniquely qualified to provide both standard and custom solutions to harsh-environment NEMA 4X/IP65 computing puzzles. In 2012, one MODULAR harsh-environment HP thin client product was chosen by one of the world's largest shippers for a 7,000+ unit computing upgrade.

#### MODULAR Products

- *PlantFloorCertified*<sup>TM</sup> standard office computers, peripherals, displays, and systems
- DOCKmaster<sup>™</sup> PC and thin client workstations for shipping/loading docks
- NEMA 4X/IP65 computer, display, and printer enclosures
- Field serviceable PowerBox industrial computers and thin clients
- Large flat panel stainless steel displays
- Articulated arms, mounting tables, and mounting brackets

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