

Built With Experience

pcCashdrawer's space-saving design fills need in retail POS space

RESPONDING TO MARKET DEMAND for greater integration of POS peripherals, pcCashdrawer and MMF Cash Drawer signed a worldwide distribution agreement in 2006 that makes the pcCashdrawer™ available wherever the MMF line is sold.

The pcCashdrawer™ combines MMF Cash Drawer's MediaPLUS™ cash drawer with an integrated miniature fan-less PC in order to create a product that Jason Schwesinger, Director, Reseller Business Unit-ISS, JDA Software says is unlike any other POS system on the market.

"Technically, it compares to pretty much everything in the retail POS space," says Schwesinger. "However, the reason we're excited about it is because it fills a need in the marketplace in terms of its small footprint. The way the pcCashdrawer™ is designed, the PC takes up no extra space. No other prod-

thought about the design."

The pcCashdrawer™ is available in three models — the MP0631N, the MP0831N, and the MP0831F — and is powered by either a 500MHz AMD LX800 Geode, 1.0GHz Intel Celeron M, or 1.5GHz Intel Celeron M processor. Operating systems for the pcCashdrawer™ include Microsoft Embedded for Point of Service, MS XP Professional, and MS XP Embedded.

PC storage capacity for the MP0631N comprises a 40GB 2.5" HDD with shock damper and PCI-104 module space, while a CF+ Type II PCI-104 Connector replaces the PCI-104 for the remaining two models. All models ship standard with 512MB of memory while the MP0831N and MP0831F are upgradeable to 1GB.

The pcCashdrawer™ accomodates external devices through numerous ports



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uct does that. With space in retail being at a premium, this really fills a need."

The pcCashdrawer's™ design incorporates all elements into a 17" x 20" x 5.4" space weighing a total of 32 lbs.

"Most of these systems you can tell are designed by somebody who just designs computers," says Schwesinger. "This is the first system, in my opinion, since the IBM SurePOS 300 that you can see that somebody who actually has some experience in retail hardware sat down and

including four USB ports and four RS-232C ports, among others.

One feature that the pcCashdrawer™ doesn't have is moving parts, something that Schwesinger feels sets it apart.

"In two of its forms, the pcCashdrawer™ eliminates all moving parts. That's the real Achilles heel of POS systems," he explains. "Being able to eliminate those moving parts and get the form factor that we've been looking for is really exciting." **V**

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pc CASHDRAWER

VENDOR:

▶ MMF Cash Drawer

DIMENSIONS:

▶ 17" x 20" x 5.4"

WEIGHT:

▶ 5 lbs. (PC only)
▶ 32 lbs. (overall weight)

STORAGE:

▶ 40GB HDD

MEMORY:

▶ 512 MB standard
(upgradable to 1GB)

OPERATING SYSTEMS:

▶ Microsoft Embedded for POS
▶ MS XP Professional
▶ MS XP Embedded