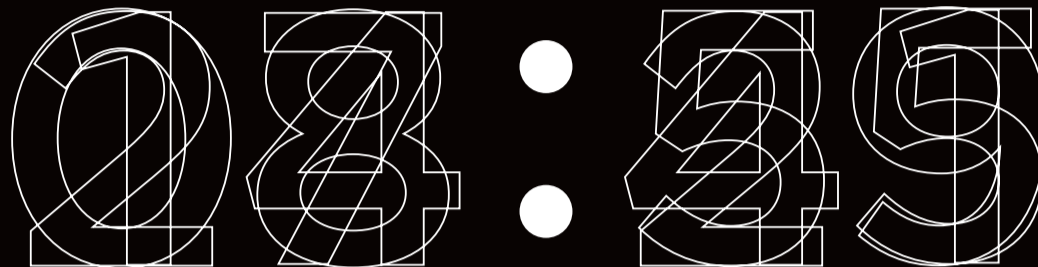


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it's a **Vantage** day

Living Perfection.  VANTAGE

about Vantage

For over 20 years, Vantage has designed and manufactured home automation and lighting control equipment for residential and commercial applications. Vantage offers a powerful means to integrate all facility functions into a single, central system that can be programmed to operate under control of a schedule, sensor or button. Stylish keypads and touchscreens are designed to replace old-fashioned light switches to give home owners greater control over their living space in an easy-to-use yet beautiful and sophisticated manner. Vantage systems use conditional logic to automate lights, fans, pumps, thermostats, audiovisual equipment, sprinklers, motorized drapes, blinds or doors, security systems and more. All of them are integrated into various scenes (simple to complex programs) that execute on a regular schedule or when activated by sensors and buttons.

Aside from adding comfort to a project, Vantage can help owners save energy. By smart and combined usage of light-, motion- and temperature sensors with green tasks and realtime feedback on your touchscreens, Vantage controls your home with energy saving strategies. Vantage systems are installed and maintained by our international network of trained dealers. Technical and engineering support is also available to our customers via our website or phone support.

Vantage offers an extended range of products:

- The central controller, which you could call the brain of the system, stores and executes all programming. The InFusion controller features extended memory, a built-in Ethernet port, a USB port, and five RS232 ports as standard. It can connect more than 100 Vantage stations.
- Lighting control: Vantage offers dimmers, in various forms, for fading lights over time to any level. And relays that provide simple on/off switching.
- Touchcontrol: From keypads to touchscreens, various combinations of touchcontrol devices provide a perfect interface to the Vantage system. Vantage offers an extended range of keypads and touchscreens. We also have a variety of sensors available in our range. Using sensors can add major convenience to a home automation system.
- Audiovisual control: Thanks to the adapted tools, Vantage can easily control your home-theater or boardroom. Vantage offers tools that make integration of a hometheater as easy as turning on the light. Vantage can control a personal music collection and distribute your audio/video. Watching a movie or playing music happens effortlessly in- or outside your home.
- Climate control: InFusion integrates seamlessly with any heating/cooling system to provide comfort adapted to the specific needs of the customer.
- Security control: Security cameras can be easily integrated into the Vantage system, making it easy to monitor the front door or driveway or keep an eye on the children playing outside. More information is available on our website: www.vantage-emea.com

EDITORIAL

We are very pleased to present the 4th edition of our ISE journal!

Fortunately, with each passing year, we enjoy the technological advances being made in our homes.

Vantage continues to set the standard in the lighting control and home automation market by showing several new products with the most intelligent and user-friendly systems available at ISE 2009. (See reverse)

In 2008, we announced the integration of Vantage Singapore, we are now able to provide customers in Singapore high end home automation solutions. Backed by an experienced regional team of sales, marketing, communication, technical support, customer service and logistics hub, the office is more than ready,

We hope you enjoy this ISE home automation edition and are looking forward to your visit at the Vantage stand J23, Hall 1.

Koen Pepermans
Managing Director

it 's a Vantage day: new products



Mini FlushMount Motion Sensor 360°
FL-MS MINI 360°

7:05 WAKING UP

In the bedroom, in the dressingroom, on your way to the bathroom, in the hallway, ... discover the Mini FlushMount Motion Sensor 360°

- Flushmount detector
- Ideal to detect the human body motion
- Able to control everything connected to the Vantage system without pressing 1 single button
- Extreme fast detection capabilities
- Extremely small (only 21mm Ø !), flat and discrete
- Discover the whole sensor range on www.vantage-emea.com

12:15 ENTER THE LIVING ROOM

Operate the house thanks to the Vantage touchscreens TPT650 and TPT1040

- In-wall touchscreen
- Ethernet bus enabled
- Entirely user-programmable, to control everything connected to the Vantage system in-cluding lighting, HVAC, A/V and more.
- Enables complete custom design
- Pre-installed Vantage InFusion Media software
- Discover the whole touchscreen range on www.vantage-emea.com



TPT650 and TPT1040



DMM
Digital Music Manager

20:55 SIT BACK AND RELAX

Simplify/enable your music file management and access thanks to the Digital Music Manager (DMM)

- 500 GB Storage
- 4 sources
- Backup / Expansion Options
- Stand-alone or integrated
- Grabs Network music files
- Internet Radio
- Ultimate source for multi-zone distributed audio system
- Discover the A/V range on www.vantage-emea.com

BEHIND THE SCENES

Vantage's software is specifically designed to meet the needs of the system installers and is constantly evolving and improving.

- Free Software and Updates
- Vantage InFusion Design Center: Discover Vantage's simple (yet powerful!) home automation software
- Infusion Media empowers you to create elegant touchscreen solutions for the homeowner. This software includes IP-cameras, My Pictures™, the weather component and controls Media Center™, iTunes™ or Vantage's Digital Music Manager.
- Driver Tools enables you to create any 3rd party driver if it isn't available in Vantage's extensive online driver library
- WebPoint, the user-friendly web interface for the Vantage system allows any web-enabled device to become a system control point
- Discover more about the Vantage softwares on www.vantage-emea.com



Vantage Software Updates

Vantage and training

The only way to become a Vantage dealer is to complete the Vantage Certification Training. The course dates are listed on our website at www.vantage-emea.com

The training courses incorporate practical components and certification tests. In other words, besides providing verbal instruction, we supervise in-class exercises. For the exam, along with multiple-choice, matching, and short-answer questions, we now require course participants to write small programs to perform required functions, which we evaluate.

The formal training we provide for becoming a Vantage Certified Dealer is only the beginning of the Vantage education process. Each new installation brings new challenges and greater awareness of Vantage's capabilities. Part of our strategic goal is to better communicate the collective knowledge of our dealer base throughout the group so we can more easily share our best practices with each other. As we all benefit from this cooperative effort, we will shorten the learning curve and ultimately provide better service to our customers - and that will help us all improve our individual bottom lines. The intention of all this is to increase the level of professionalism and competence of our dealers in the field.

Our technical support staff at Vantage is perhaps one of our strongest assets. We seek the best and brightest individuals we can find to form the front-line point of contact and support for our dealers.

To get a more in-depth view of what Vantage can offer, please make some time to attend any of our training courses and software demonstrations that will be taking place throughout the show. We are looking forward to seeing you at Stand J23 - Hall 1,

TRAINING DATES 2009 FOR EUROPE, AFRICA AND MIDDLE EAST (Belgium office)

February 17-18-19-20	INFUSION CERTIFICATION TRAINING ENGLISH
March 12-13	INFUSION CERTIFICATION TRAINING DUTCH
March 24-25-26-27	INFUSION CERTIFICATION TRAINING ENGLISH

For additional dates: www.vantage-emea.com
For subscriptions or training info: evelinev@vantage-emea.com or +32 (0) 3 773 31 06

TRAINING DATES 2009 FOR ASIA (Singapore office)

For subscriptions, training dates or training info: www.vantage-emea.com



Vantage's Infusion Advanced Training (November 2008)