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Casa Systems Awarded Diamond Technology Review Honor for Distributed Access Architecture Solutions

Casa's DAA suite of products designed to help service providers improve subscriber services and enable shift from physical to virtual access solutions.

ANDOVER, Mass., September 22, 2016 – Casa Systems, a worldwide leader in next-generation ultra-broadband access technology, has been recognized by *Broadband Technology Report* (BTR) in their 2016 Diamond Technology Review program for its Distributed Access Architecture (DAA) Solutions. This family of solutions helps service providers push capacity to the edge, improving the services their subscribers enjoy, while extracting more value from existing investments and maintaining smooth operations in the transition from centralized to distributed access architectures.

Transitioning from a centralized cable access architecture to a distributed network is a significant step for most service providers and often requires discussions around security, performance, operational impacts, and investment protection in light of future virtualization opportunities, among other aspects. Casa Systems' DAA solutions provide a logical approach to the challenges service providers will encounter as they make the transition.

A vetted panel of independent judges reviewed Casa Systems' DAA suite of solutions, including the C100G and C40G CCAP; Distributed Access Nodes DA2000, DA1000, and DA500; and 10G Ethernet and 10G EPON transport. These judges awarded the suite of products a score of 4.5 out of 5. Scores of 4.0 and above represent "excellent product[s] with technical features and performance that provide clear and substantial benefits," according to the publication.

 "We are grateful to Broadband Technology Report and the judges for this honor," said Jerry Guo, president and CEO, Casa Systems. "Service providers are searching for

cost-effective ways to virtualize, and implementing a distributed architecture approach is both cost-effective and allows for a sequential rollout of virtualized functions, so organizations don't need to migrate everything at once. With our DAA solutions, we're able to set providers on the path toward full virtualization and all of its benefits."

Supporting resources:

- **Solutions Brief:** Casa Systems Distributed Access Architecture Solutions
- **Data Sheet:** Casa Systems Distributed Access (DA500, DA1000 and DA2000)

To view the full results of the Diamond Technology Reviews, please visit BTR.

About Casa Systems, Inc.
Casa Systems, Inc. is a leading provider of fixed, mobile and Wi-Fi access network solutions for ultra-broadband services that allow service providers to intelligently and cost-effectively scale their networks to meet gigabit demands today. As the original supplier of commercially deployed CCAP systems that deliver voice, video, and data over a single port, Casa continues a tradition of bringing leading edge solutions to hundreds of service provider around the world. For more information, please visit us at www.casa-systems.com.

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The BTR Diamond Technology Reviews ("the Diamonds") is a renowned industry program that was developed to recognize some of the top products and solutions available to the cable industry as determined by a stellar panel of cable telecommunications engineering experts. Engineering executives from Time Warner Cable, Bright House Networks, Suddenlink Communications, Comcast, Charter and Cox, and several expert consultants, were among the third-party judges for the 2016 "Diamonds." Every year, BTR invites vendors to submit written information about products/solutions that have been released or upgraded since the previous year's SCTE Cable-Tec Expo (October 2015). Criteria used in the Diamonds rankings include, first and foremost, unique technology or application thereof, innovation, ease-of-use, efficiency, reliability and contribution to profitability.

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