

News Release

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Hitachi Solutions Canada Ranks 27th On Canada's Top 100 Solution Providers List

Hitachi Solutions Canada jumps 22 spots in four years

TORONTO, CANADA —May 6, 2014— Technology company Hitachi Solutions Canada has been recognized yet again as one of Canada's Top 100 Solution Providers by Computer Dealer News (CDN).

This is the fourth consecutive year Hitachi Solutions Canada has appeared on the list, which identifies the highest revenue-generating solution providers with major operations in Canada. Hitachi Solutions Canada first appeared on CDN's Top 100 Solution Providers of 2010, ranking 49th. Since then, the company has placed 32nd for 2011 and 28th for 2012.

"We are honoured that Hitachi Solutions Canada has been recognized by CDN as the 27th largest IT solution provider in Canada for 2013," said Muneer Hirji, President, Hitachi Solutions Canada. "The fact that we have steadily climbed up this list over the last four years reflects the contributions of our team and demonstrates that more Canadian businesses are choosing Hitachi Solutions Canada as their technology partner.

CDN has been a leading Canadian news source for the IT service provider community for more than 25 years. In its four years on the list, Hitachi Solutions Canada has climbed a total of 22 spots and rose from a revenue range of \$30 to \$40 million to a revenue range of \$50 to \$75 million on the list.

"Hitachi Solutions Canada made a smart move in acquiring Ideaca, one of the more innovative solution providers on the CDN Top 100 Solution Providers list. It's not surprising that the combination of the two companies were one of the higher ranking solution providers in the country," said Paolo Del Nibletto, Editor, CDN.

At the time of the nomination, Hitachi Solutions was transitioning from Ideaca to Hitachi Solutions Canada as the result of a recent acquisition of the company by Hitachi Solutions America. For this reason, CDN's Top 100 Solution Providers of 2013 list shows the 27th spot as "Ideaca (acquired by Hitachi Solutions Canada)."

To view the complete list for CDN's Top 100 Solution Providers of 2013, click [here](#).

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Hitachi Solutions, Ltd., headquartered in Tokyo, Japan, is a core member of Information & Telecommunication Systems Company of Hitachi Group and a recognized leader in delivering proven business and IT strategies and solutions to companies across many industries. The company provides value-driven services throughout the IT life cycle from systems planning to systems integration, operation and maintenance. Hitachi Solutions delivers products and services of superior value to customers worldwide through key subsidiaries in the United States, Canada, Europe, China and India. The flagship company in the Hitachi Group's information and communication system solutions business, Hitachi Solutions also offers solutions for social innovation such as smart cities. For more information on Hitachi Solutions, please visit: <http://www.hitachi-solutions.com>.

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