## **Developing One-of-a-kind Products as a Technology Integrator**

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NTT Advanced Technology Corporation (NTT-AT) was founded in 1976 with the aim of spreading the results of R&D from NTT Laboratories to society at large. Over the last 30 years, drawing on the worldclass technologies of NTT Labs., NTT-AT has been developing and providing unique products and services. The company's business currently covers four areas: leading-edge key technologies, network solutions, system solutions, and research and consulting services. We supply a wide range of original solutions that provide added value-everything from comprehensive services to advanced product development. This may be appreciated from the following examples of products that we have introduced to the market over the last six months. All the products mentioned below use cutting-edge technologies from NTT Labs.

NTT-AT offers technical consulting for software development and radio wave coverage testing in addition to the design and construction of wireless networks. The "active tag location detection and development kit" is based on location estimation technology for active RFID (radio frequency identification). "AP<sup>2</sup>Checker" is a small lightweight tester for analyzing the quality of service (QoS) of wireless LAN (local area network) systems. Our advanced audio processing products offer enhanced convenience and impact for business, education, and entertainment applications. "Wasokukobo," a library program for altering the speed of speech without changing its pitch uses speech processing technology. A MIDI editing tool "Wonder Horn Studio" can synthesize a variety of singing voices easily. We also provide advanced language processing products. "Match-Phone," a new addition to our "MatchContactSolution" series, is a support tool to enhance the quality and efficiency of responses to customers based on FAQs (frequently asked questions) accumulated from operator responses by phone or email.

The synergy generated by the wide spectrum of technologies from NTT Labs. and our highly experienced engineers is driving the development of diverse business centered on next-generation networks from optical broadband infrastructure technologies to applications and product development. As a technology integrator, NTT-AT is committed to contributing to the creation of a better world, offering the one-ofa-kind solutions needed to build the future of communications.

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