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When It Comes to Enterprise-Wide IP Route Analysis, CLEVER eRoute 3.0 Stands Alone -

And so does its new eCollector!

Menlo Park, CA, February 24, 2004 – AES, a worldwide provider of intelligent solutions for eBusiness network service deliveries, announces the availability of **CLEVER *e*Route**® **3.0**. This new version provides comprehensive ability to collect enterprise routing information from anywhere in the IP network, as well as from the z/OS TCP/IP stack.

The analysis of a large IP network is extremely difficult, even before taking into account the obviously important performance factor. Most network analysis tools are too limited in scope to handle the complicated network route usage pattern and performance issues that must be addressed in order to meet network performance SLAs.

CLEVER *e*Route 3.0, which provides enterprise-wide IP route analysis for the open enterprise network environment, joins the CLEVER product family in providing corporate IT organizations with the information they need to effectively manage today's IP network performance.

CLEVER *e*Route 3.0 provides a new **stand-alone eCollector** (for both Windows and Linux) from which both scheduled and on-demand remote traceroutes can be run. It includes the capability to provide seamless data collaboration between the eCollector Agents and the server. **CLEVER *e*Route 3.0** incorporates an easy to use GUI that allows you to analyze the route performance data from various locations. Enhanced reporting features make it easy to produce a wide variety of comprehensive analysis reports, most in both graphical and tabular formats. In addition, the new **Performance Profile** provides a quick, at-a-glance overview of the best, average, and worst response times, as well as summary-level information on packet loss, looping, and defective routes/segments.

CLEVER *e*Route 3.0 offers SNMP MIB Browser support for such new MIBs as OSPF, CSS, BGP, and OSA tables and a **Host-IP auto-discover** for network subnet and subnet mask.

CLEVER *e*Route 3.0 consolidates and dramatically simplifies route performance analysis - one of the most complicated tasks required in eBusiness networks. From its intuitive, user-friendly GUI to its unparalleled comprehensive analysis abilities, **CLEVER *e*Route 3.0** improves IP network performance and is truly an invaluable analysis tool for the network performance professional.

About AES

AES, an IBM® Business Partner, is a privately held company headquartered in Menlo Park, CA. **CLEVER**® **Solutions** for Business Service Management from AES offer significant resource savings and productivity gains for today's eCommerce businesses. CLEVER TCP/IP is designated as ServerProven™ by IBM, so you can count on it to install quickly, start up easily and run reliably. It is part of a complete business solution that has been identified, validated, optimized and documented to run reliably on IBM servers.