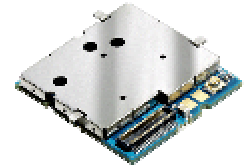


**WORLD FIRST:  
Sagem Communications launches HiLo, the smallest  
GPRS module in the world**

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**World first for Sagem Communications : the SAGEM HiLo, the smallest GPRS module ever engineered.**

With this new revolutionary product, Sagem Communications launches a leading edge product that will address the market requirements for the ever increasing number of applications which implement embedded M2M communication. Utilising the latest GPRS technology in a module which is no larger than a stamp! The SAGEM HiLo module will give M2M developers the ideal solution they have been asking for, in terms of features, size, price, usability, and reliability.

GPRS quad band with embedded TCP/IP stacks, SAGEM HiLo is perfectly suited to applications that have space limitations, which require a small and compact design, such as point of sales terminals, trackers and security.

With its extremely small size - **27x27 mm** - and weight - **4 grams** - the SAGEM HiLo is the smallest wireless M2M module available on the market.

Its very low power consumption (<1,5mA in idle mode) and its guaranteed 3,2 V minimum power supply make it the best solution for battery-powered devices. In addition, its extended operational temperature range – from -40°C to 85°C - is ideal for the automotive sector.

*“This growing business unit is based on Sagem Communications’ strong experience in telecommunication industry and mass production”* comments Patrick Sevian, Chief Executive Officer of Sagem Communications. *“The SAGEM HiLo is a miniaturized module that will considerably increase the number of applications that can utilise this technology, and will allow even small machines to facilitate embedded communications”.*

With the high diversity of applications in the M2M market, and all its related constraints, Sagem communications is committed to the development of products and services which best fit the market's requirements, supplying high quality innovative devices at a competitive price.

**About the M2M modules**

M2M (machine to machine) modules allow machines to communicate with each other through wireless networks and without any human input. They thus become intelligent machines.

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M2M modules can now be found in devices such as sales terminals and alarm systems. The technology also makes it possible to remotely manage collection of machines. These could include areas such as hire car fleets or extend into sectors as varied as security, health, the environment, office equipment...

#### **About Sagem Communications**

A French, international scale, high technology company, Sagem Communications specialises in broadband communications and convergence in particular in the following areas: printing terminals, digital TV set-top boxes, broadband and residential terminals, communicating energy management solutions and telecom systems and partnerships.

The company is in a leadership position in these sectors thanks to its proven capacity for innovation. Sagem Communications aims to become a world leader in convergence and broadband terminals.

With a turnover of almost 1.3 billion euros, Sagem Communications employs 6,500 people on five continents and is headquartered in Paris.

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