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## **Tempe-Based Test Advantage Named to the Inc. 5000 for Second Year in a Row**

**Company Ranked Number 4868 in 2008 Inc. 5,000 List of  
Fastest-Growing Private Companies in America**

**NEW YORK, NY./ TEMPE, AZ. - August 20, 2008** – For the second successive year, *Inc.* has named Test Advantage, Inc. in its *Inc. 5,000* list of fastest-growing private companies in the United States.

Test Advantage, a leading supplier of both custom-configured Automated Test Equipment (ATE) and innovative software technology tools for semiconductor testing, was founded in 1997 and has enjoyed significant and sustained growth. The company was ranked number 3,110 in the *Inc. 5,000* in 2007. The *Inc. 5,000* award is focused on revenue growth over the last few years, which for Test Advantage has continued to be strong, driven by the company's established and growing market share of its hardware and software activities. Since its inception, Test Advantage has shipped several hundred quality ATE systems and ATE upgrades and licensed thousands of software nodes to its customers worldwide.

“To be ranked once again amongst the fastest growing private companies is a considerable achievement for our company,” commented Fabrice Dechoux, CEO of Test Advantage. “That we have been able to maintain a growth rate worthy of the *Inc. 5,000*, even though we are now in our 12<sup>th</sup> business year, is testament to the dedication of our team in maintaining our position as the premier resource for semiconductor test capacity and technology.”

“Our second annual *Inc. 5000* continues the most ambitious project in business journalism,” said *Inc. 5000* Project Manager Jim Melloan. “The *Inc. 5000* gives an unrivalled portrait of young, underreported companies across all industries doing fascinating things with cutting-edge business models, as well as older companies that are still showing impressive growth.”

## **Methodology**

The 2008 Inc. 5000 list measures revenue growth from 2004 through 2007. To qualify, companies must be U.S.-based and privately held, for profit, independent – not subsidiaries or divisions of other companies – as of December 31, 2007, and have had at least \$200,000 in revenue in 2004, and \$2 million in 2007. Companies can apply for next year’s Inc. 5000 by registering with “IncBizNet, Business Network for Private Companies”, at [www.incbiznet.com](http://www.incbiznet.com).

## **About Test Advantage, Inc.**

Founded in 1997, Test Advantage® offers hardware and software solutions to the semiconductor industry through its Quality ATE Division and its Software Products Division. Combining 100-plus years of in-house test hardware and software for test expertise, the company delivers a competitive edge to all of its clients. The Quality ATE Division specializes in rebuilt, Configured-to-Match™ ATE systems. The Software Products Division develops and deploys leading-edge, proprietary software to automate manufacturing quality and throughput improvements throughout the manufacturing test process. The Tempe, Arizona-based company operates worldwide, maintaining offices in Germany, France and Singapore. More information about Test Advantage Inc. is available at <http://www.testadvantage.com>.

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