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## **Calypso Announces First Classroom Amplifier That Combines Analog and Streaming Audio Inputs**

*The Versatile CA-1000SV Addresses Current and Future Needs for Fully Integrated Classroom Audio*

**HUDSON, WISCONSIN, May 28, 2008** — Calypso Control Systems, a worldwide leader in 21<sup>st</sup> century classroom technologies, is pleased to announce the introduction of the CA-1000SV audio amplifier at the upcoming Infocomm 2008 trade show (June 18-21, Las Vegas Convention Center). The CA-1000SV combines the features and value of Calypso's CA-1000 4-input 32W amplifier with on-board networked audio decoding, accommodating streaming PA announcements, bell systems, emergency alerts and other streaming audio sources in MP3 or WMA formats.

The CA-1000SV includes a 10/100 Mbit Ethernet interface with an integrated 2-port network hub, allowing installers to daisy chain the network drop from the CA-1000SV to one additional device, easing installation and driving down costs. In addition, the unit accommodates two balanced/unbalanced and two unbalanced stereo inputs, with 4 and 8 ohm stereo speaker outputs, full IR and Serial control and both balanced and unbalanced line level outputs. The CA-1000SV also boasts a dedicated RJ-45 connection for the easy addition of the Calypso WCM-RFB wireless classroom microphone base station.

“Calypso sees the CA-1000SV as a real breakthrough product that fits the evolving needs of 21<sup>st</sup> century classrooms,” said David H. Parish, CEO of Calypso Control Systems. “The versatility of this product, especially at its price point, is remarkable, yet setup and installation are fast and intuitive. The CA-1000SV truly represents AV / IT convergence done right.”

At Infocomm 2008, Calypso (Booth N6071) will exhibit its complete range of classroom solutions, featuring the ezRoom classroom bundle, a fully integrated solution packaged as a single part number that addresses device control, audio, user interfaces, projector mounting and connectivity for K-12 classrooms.

**About Calypso Control Systems ([www.calypsocontrol.com](http://www.calypsocontrol.com))**

Calypso Control Systems, headquartered in Hudson, WI, is a manufacturer of a full range of open architecture control, user interface, audio, microphone and connectivity products designed to create integrated classroom solutions for teachers, students and administrators. Calypso products are sold exclusively through commercial audio-video electronics dealers throughout North America and around the world.

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