



# Press Release

## **IGEL's Linux Universal Desktop Now Supports Touch Screen Monitors**

*New Firmware Adds Enhanced Hardware Support and Customization Upgrades*

**International – December 2nd, 2009** – IGEL Technology, the world's third largest thin client vendor (2009 by revenue, IDC), today introduced its new Linux Universal Desktop firmware adding support for new hardware, additional user customization options, and enhanced multimedia and virtualization functionality to its wide range of Linux-based thin clients.

IGEL's Linux firmware now supports popular touchscreen monitors, including the [LG L1730SF Monitor](#) and the [ELO 1915L LCD Desktop Touchmonitor](#). The convenient and easy-to-operate touchscreens paired with a reliable and secure IGEL Universal Desktop is the perfect combination for work environments, such as hotels, healthcare facilities, retail locations and manufacturing floors. Finally, the new firmware includes integration of [Philips SpeechMike](#) drivers, allowing users access to the latest high-end dictation technology and services from Philips.

With this new release, IGEL has made it easier for users to customize its range of five Linux thin clients. The new firmware includes the option for users to customize their desktop wallpaper, giving them a more traditional PC experience. The company has also added Dutch language support, allowing a broader set of international customers to work in their native tongue.

The new version also improves the multimedia and virtualization capabilities with support for [Fabulatech](#) USB redirection for RDP sessions and a [Leostream](#) Connection Broker client.

The latest Linux Universal Desktop firmware is available for download free of charge for existing customers at: [www.igel.com](http://www.igel.com).

### **About IGEL Technology**

IGEL Technology is the world's third largest client vendor by revenue and is market leader in its

home country of Germany (2009 IDC). The company produces one of the industry's widest range of thin clients, based on Linux and Microsoft Windows, giving customers access to almost any form of server-based infrastructure and application including virtual PCs from VMware®, Citrix® Xen or Microsoft®, terminal services, legacy applications via Ericom® PowerTerm® terminal emulation, web, Java, SAP and VoIP. Form factors include traditional desktops, integrated LCD units, quad screens and PC to thin client conversion cards.

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