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## **CensorNet for Education introduce revolutionary Image Filter**

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Intrago Ltd are proud to introduce an image filtering module created to add value to the CensorNet for Education portfolio of products. The CensorNet Image Filter utilises First4Internet's revolutionary Image Composition Analysis technology to scan images as they are downloaded by the web browser, with negligible effect on speed and performance.

Until recently schools have mainly escaped the dangers that uncontrolled and unfiltered access brings to the children in their care. Now with the common supply of broadband, to both secondary and primary schools, real time browsing is a reality and with it educators and parents need to deal with issues concerning the content of the Internet sites that are being viewed.

The CensorNet Image Filter adds a new dimension to traditional language based filtering by being image driven and therefore crossing the boundaries of internationally published pornography.

E.U. Statistics worryingly show that 24% of children are viewing pornography and other unsuitable material with growing ease. Often this happens accidentally due to the proliferation of Internet sites masquerading as something that appears to be quite harmless.

In conjunction with CensorNet the Image Filter provides an unparalleled level of protection that provides the school with proof that they have exercised due diligence in policing children under their care.

The Image Composition Analysis engine is designed to use artificial intelligence and neural networking to analyse the content of an image and determine if it has attributes of a pornographic nature. Independent benchmarking conducted by TesCom has confirmed that the Image Composition Analysis engine prevents 95% of pornography from reaching the computer screen.

The new version of CensorNet and the Image Filter will be unveiled at the British Educational & Technology Trade Show at Olympia, London in January 2003.

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