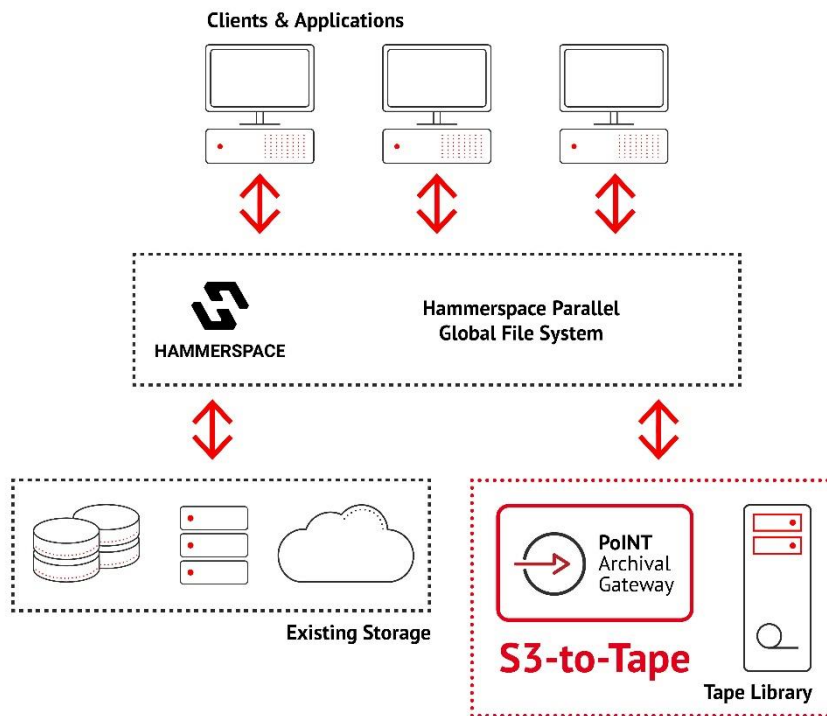**Hammerspace and PoINT: S3-to-Tape in the Global Data Environment**

Siegen/San Mateo. With their strategic partnership, PoINT and Hammerspace present a unique solution for the integration of tape in a standardized, global data environment. Users benefit from the advantages of tape-based object storage in the context of cross-site data orchestration.

Hammerspace and PoINT address the challenges companies face in the area of data and storage management: Increasingly heterogeneous storage infrastructures require centralized data management to prevent the creation of data silos and enable comprehensive and seamless access. At the same time, organizations need cost-effective and scalable storage solutions for rapidly growing data volumes and long-term storage.

The established S3-to-tape solution PoINT Archival Gateway now enables the integration of tape into the Hammerspace Global Data Environment. Users thus benefit from the scalability and the security and efficiency advantages of data storage on tape as part of a global, standardized data environment.

"Hammerspace is excited about the partnership with PoINT Software to enable organizations to incorporate tape as part of their Global Data Environment" said Molly Presley, SVP of Global Marketing for Hammerspace. "This advancement is a massive step forward in putting ALL data to work in a single active global file system, delivering performance, access and collaboration to AI models, applications and users anywhere, using data, everywhere."

The joint solution targets users from all industries that are particularly affected by the unabated data growth. With PoINT and Hammerspace, customers from the high-performance computing sector, from media and entertainment, research and machine learning/AI can increase the cyber security and cost and environmental efficiency of their data storage. At the same time, all data remains globally accessible across silos and storage locations.

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About Hammerspace:
Hammerspace is a powerful scale-out software solution designed to automate unstructured data orchestration and global file access across storage from any vendor at the edge, in data centers, and the cloud. Hammerspace makes data a global resource, so IT staff can automate data orchestration by policy, but without interrupting user access. It enables organizations to extend the life of existing storage resources to reduce costs, while also enabling the flexibility of hybrid-cloud and multi-site use cases seamlessly.

About PoINT:
PoINT Software & Systems GmbH is specialized in the development and distribution of software products for storage, management and archiving of data. Our data & storage management solutions offer an easy and efficient integration of different storage technologies and systems in consideration of enterprise requirements. PoINT products allow optimized usage of storage systems and help to reduce costs and issues caused by data growth. The software solutions fulfil compliance and archiving requirements and provide independence from storage technologies and vendors.

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