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RackView Pro server management (Keyboard, Video Monitor and Mouse) drawer adds easy access and control in fixed or portable 19" racks



KVM and AV extension (over cat5 or fibre) and KVMA switching are Rose's main business. RackView Pro from Rose Electronics adds convenient stowable access to any computer devices in just 1U of rack space.



Winter 2005/6 - Rose Electronics, the world's foremost supplier of Keyboard-Video-Mouse switching technology, has launched new versions of its RackView server room management station. RackView Pro is an incredibly compact 19" rack-mounted KVM console that requires approximately 87% less space than a standard keyboard, monitor and mouse.

Paul Naish, European Sales and Marketing Director for Rose Electronics, commented: "Rose is dedicated to providing well-thought out and reliable products that make the lives of system operators and administrators easier. RackView Pro frees up space in racks by getting rid of the desk-bound management station of keyboard, monitor and mouse, and putting it into the rack with the computers - right where it's usually needed. That's the reason we sell as many RackViews as we can make, so I'm sure the new versions are going to be even more successful."

RackView can be specified with an optional integrated Rose Electronics KVM or KVMA switch, and/or cat5 or fibre extender making even more economical use of rack space.

RackView is available with a 15", 17" or 19" LCD panel and the heavy-duty RackView keyboards are available in PC or Sun formats for most main European language layouts.





As well as being a complete plug-and-play system for device control, RackView offers environmental advantages: RackView generates approximately 80% less heat than a conventional keyboard, monitor and mouse, reducing ventilation requirements and overall computer room cooling overheads.

The original 'all-in-one' 15" unit (1U) RackView has been a big success for Rose Electronics, and the product family has now been augmented by the addition of units with bigger screens (17" or 19") and by 'screen only' units which allow the screen to be viewed through the closed glass rack door, while still only taking up 1U of valuable Rack space.

The increasing use of non-Intel computing platforms (such as Sun) means that Rose's introduction of a Sun keyboard version of RackView is a timely and welcome addition to the product range.

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About Rose Electronics

Headquartered in Houston, Texas, Rose Electronics is a privately owned company and one of the world's foremost manufacturers of Keyboard-Video-Mouse switches. Rose has more than 100 employees world-wide. The company owns its own facilities and is a full-service research and development, design and manufacturing operation. In addition to the USA and the UK, there are also Rose Electronics sales offices in Spain, Germany, Singapore and Australia.

Rose has an impressive and diverse list of customers and applications. Rose customers include Fortune 500 corporations, medium and small businesses, schools and universities, factory and industrial operations, military and government installations, and many OEMs. Through its OEM programme, Rose supports private labelling and development of customised products. The company also has many customers who use its products in their home offices or for personal use.