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NovAtel Inc. Launches New AdVance RTK[™] Precise Positioning Solution

(Calgary, Alberta, Canada, November 27, 2006) – NovAtel Inc. (NASDAQ: NGPS), a precise positioning technology company, has launched its new Real Time Kinematic (RTK) precise positioning solution – AdVance RTK[™] - providing a significant technology advancement to the company's OEMV[™] family of receivers through superior algorithms that enhance precision and performance. NovAtel's GNSS OEMV-2 and OEMV-3 receivers will now be available with the new AdVance RTK[™] as part of the Version 3.100 firmware release.

According to Pat Fenton, NovAtel's Chief Technology Officer, "We believe this new enhanced positioning solution will raise the standard for precise positioning technologies today. AdVance RTK[™] is another step forward in NovAtel's commitment to enhance its technology in order to deliver best of class, highly integrated, precise positioning solutions for our customers. RTK positioning is a significant portion of our business and AdVance RTK[™] will be critical to vertical markets such as surveying, mapping, precision agriculture, and unmanned systems, where positioning reliability is essential."

AdVance RTK[™] delivers significant performance enhancements, including more reliable ambiguity solutions and faster narrow lane convergence on short, medium and long baselines. Time to ambiguity resolution on baselines up to 20 kilometers is virtually instantaneous. As a result, AdVance RTK[™] enables users to work more reliably and efficiently in a wider range of conditions.

"With faster convergence and availability of high precision solutions across all baselines, AdVance RTK[™] delivers significant improvements in performance for many applications, including challenging environments such as construction sites where continuous tracking of satellites is frequently interrupted," stated Mr. Fenton. "AdVance RTK[™] will be the foundation for NovAtel's future multi-constellation, multi-frequency Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) technology developments."

About NovAtel

NovAtel Inc. (NASDAQ:NGPS) is a leading provider of precision Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) components and subsystems that afford its customers rapid integration of precise positioning technology. The Company's mission is to provide exceptional return on investment and outstanding service to our customers. An ISO 9001 certified company, NovAtel is focused on developing quality OEM products including receivers, antennas, enclosures and software that are integrated into high precision positioning applications worldwide. These applications include surveying, Geographical Information System (GIS) mapping, precision agriculture machine guidance, port automation, mining, marine and defence industries. NovAtel's reference receivers are also at the core of national aviation ground networks in the USA, Japan, Europe, China and India. The Company is committed to providing its customers with advanced positioning technology through significant R&D investment focusing on the modernized Global Positioning System (GPS), the revitalized Russian GLONASS and the emerging European Galileo satellite systems, as well as the integration of additional complementary technologies such as Inertial Measurement Units (IMUs). For more information, visit www.novatel.com.

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