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Mouser Now Stocking Microchip Microstick II USB Development Kit

May 30, 2012 – <u>Mouser Electronics, Inc.</u>, regarded as a top design engineering resource and global distributor for semiconductors and electronic components, today announced it is stocking a new product from <u>Microchip Technology</u>.

Microchip DM330013-2 Microstick II delivers a complete development hardware platform for Microchip's 16-bit and 32-bit microcontrollers and digital signal controllers. Microstick II is a USB-powered development kit that includes an on-board debugger/programmer, a DUT socket for easy device swapping, a user LED, and a reset button. This Microchip kit is designed for insertion into a standard prototyping board for easy connection to additional circuitry. This portable kit is about the size of a stick of gum and supports all 3.3V PIC24FJ, PIC24H, dsPIC33, and PIC32 SPDIP packaged devices. To learn more, visit http://www.mouser.com/microchip-microstick.

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About Microchip Technology

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