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**Averna Vision & Robotique award winner at
the International Congress and Exposition 2007 of *National Instruments***

Montreal, August 13, 2007 – Averna Vision & Robotics(Av&R) won the *Best Application of Virtual Instrumentation, Manufacturing* Category, at the International Congress and Exposition 2007 of *National Instruments,* that happened from the 6th to the 9th of August 2007 in Austin, Texas (USA).

AV&R has once more surpassed itself by the complexity and the innovation of its projects. Pascal Cormier and Sebastien Relative, two engineers from AV&R, conceived a turn-key solution for one of the company's costumers working in the Quebecois Aerospace Insdustry, by using brilliantly LabView, software from National Instruments.

Each year, National Instruments rewards the users of its products by having world known experts in the field the projects evaluate the projects constituting the greatest technological, innovating and profitable challenge. Averna Vision & Robotics obtained this distinction for a second consecutive year, among more than 700 submitted projects.

« *Industrial machine vision based on* National Instruments *techonology goes further in complex human task automation* », the technical article that won the prize, can be read on Averna Vision & Robotics's website at www.averna-vr.com.

Leader in industrial automation for nearly 15 years, Averna Vision & Robotics offers solutions aiming at the optimization of the manufacturing processes and of quality control.

Specialized in artificial vision (digital vision), robotics, mechanical design, electrical design and controls as well as project management, Averna Vision & Robotics counts more than 350 projects achieved to date.

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