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3D Systems Voted Digital Manufacturing Leader

- *Design World* Readers Chose 3D Systems in Global Competition -

ROCK HILL, South Carolina, December 15, 2010 – 3D Systems (NASDAQ: TDSC) announced today that the company was voted the “Leader in Digital Manufacturing and Rapid Prototyping” by the readers and registrants of *Design World* and *Design World Online* in a global competition that took place between January 1, and October 31, 2010. The Digital Manufacturing and Rapid Prototyping category included 10 companies engaged in the development and manufacture of 3D printers, Rapid Prototyping and Additive Manufacturing systems, services and materials.

3D Systems pioneered Additive Manufacturing with the invention of [Stereolithography](#)[®], the .STL file format and [Selective Laser Sintering](#) over two decades ago. In the past 10 years, the company led the adoption of large-scale custom manufacturing solutions for a variety of aerospace, defense, transportation and healthcare applications and developed Multi-Jet-Modeling, a game changing technology platform, from which the company launched its best-selling portfolio of [3D Printers](#). During the past year 3D Systems commenced building the largest and most comprehensive global [3Dproparts™ services](#) network along with innovative and affordable entry level content-to-print solutions for the office, classroom and hobby shop.

“The vote is in, the readership of *Design World* has spoken and we’re honored to receive this special recognition, particularly on the eve of celebrating our 25th anniversary, representing a quarter century of Additive Manufacturing innovation,” said Abe Reichental, President and CEO of 3D Systems. “We are deeply grateful to the inventors and pioneers, early adopters and customers who shared our vision and

leveraged our technology for the benefit of humankind. We are committed to democratizing access and accelerating the adoption of affordable [3D content-to-print solutions](#) to an even broader audience the world over.”

For more information and access to the new 3D Systems netfabb Mobile, a free iPhone® and iPad® app to view, share and print 3D content, please go to www.3DSystems.com.

About 3D Systems Corporation

3D Systems is a leading provider of 3D content-to-print solutions including 3D printers, parts and production systems. Its expertly integrated rapid prototyping and manufacturing solutions reduce the time and cost of designing new products and printing real parts directly from digital input. These solutions are used to design, communicate, prototype and produce functional end-use parts; our customers create with confidence.

More information on the company is available at www.3DSystems.com, www.printin3D.com, www.toptobottomdental.com, www.3Dproparts.com, www.bitsfrombytes.com, www.mqast.com, www.dpt-fast.com, blog.3dsystems.com, or via email at moreinfo@3dsystems.com.

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More information on the company is available at www.designworldonline.com.

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