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■ **Calling All Wireless Researchers**

Annual demand for cellular and personal communications systems (PCS) services will grow from \$5.9 billion to \$10.2 billion in 2000. So says market-research firm Strategies Unlimited in its newest research report, *RF Components for PCS Base Stations and Links*, covering the wireless industry. The report studies the adoption of PCS, investment in wireless infrastructure, growth in cellular services, and costs for subscribers.

Copies of the 348-page report are available for \$3,450. To order, or for more information, contact Strategies Unlimited (Mountain View, Calif.) at 415.941.3438; fax 415.941.5120; or via e-mail at strtultd@ix.netcom.com.

■ **Wireless Market Survey Redux**

Arizona-based market-research firm Integrated Circuit Engineering has also released its long-range survey and prognostications for the wireless, cellular, PCS, satellite, and data communications markets. *Wireless Communication 1996* evaluates these markets from 1996 through 2000, and it forecasts equipment and semiconductor needs for various segments and applications.

The report is available with or without a CD-ROM. Initial copies cost \$2,225, or \$2,525 for the book/CD combination; additional copies of either run \$495. For more information, or to order, contact ICE (Scottsdale, Ariz.) at 602.368.8260; fax 948.1925; or visit the Web at www.ice-corp.com/ice.

■ **DRAM Report Updated for 1996**

Steven Przybylski's exhaustive resource, *New DRAM Technologies: A Comprehensive Analysis of the New Architectures*, has been updated and rewritten for 1996. The second edition covers conventional DRAMs, synchronous DRAMs, Rambus, MoSys, EDO, and other dynamic memory architectures. The 517-page report includes technical tutorials, market analyses, trends, comparisons, and projections, plus a 300-page appendix with detailed technical data.

Initial copies of the report are priced at \$1,995 for *Microprocessor Report* subscribers; \$2,195 for nonsubscribers. Additional copies are substantially discounted. To order, or for more information, contact MicroDesign Resources at 707.824.4001; or check the Web at www.chipanalyst.com/tech-lib/dram.html.

■ **Summer at an Italian SPAA**

The Association of Computing Machinery is holding its Symposium on Parallel Algorithms and Architectures (SPAA '96) in the Italian town of Padua on June 24–26. Topics will include diffracting trees, hiding latency, multibutterflies, anticipatory gang scheduling, neighborhood modeling, and wormhole routers.

Early registration (before 5/24) costs \$295 for ACM members; \$370 for nonmembers. For more information, contact the ACM coordinator via e-mail at spaa96@artemide.dei.unipd.it or visit the Web at www.cs.jhu.edu/Conferences/SPAA.

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