Trend Micro Named a Leader in Gartner Magic Quadrant for Endpoint Protection Platforms for 12-year Span(1)

<u>Trend Micro</u> Incorporated (TYO: 4704; TSE: 4704), a global leader in security software and solutions, today announced it has been placed by Gartner, Inc. in the "Leaders" portion of the Magic Quadrant for Endpoint Protection Platforms(2) - a position it has held every year the report has been published. The report evaluates endpoint protection solutions based on completeness of vision and ability to execute.

According to the report, "leaders demonstrate balanced progress and effort in all execution and vision categories. Their capabilities in advanced malware protection, data protection and/or management features raise the competitive bar for all products in the market, and they can change the course of the industry."

"As consumerization accelerates in the workplace, our customers are looking for a solution that protects all kinds of endpoints and is easy to manage so they can concentrate time and resources on operating their business," said Eric Skinner, vice president, solutions marketing, Trend Micro. "We believe Trend Micro's placement within the 'Leaders' quadrant by Gartner is a testament to the strong protection and performance of our endpoint protection offerings."

Trend Micro's Complete User Protection solution integrates security across all layers to reduce risk, protect business reputation and ensure compliance. Recognizing that the threat landscape evolves continuously and that anti-virus capabilities alone are insufficient, Trend Micro has created a solution that features multiple layers designed to detect a broad range of threats faster, avoiding impact to user productivity, and offering centralized control and visibility to enable interconnected threat response on different operating systems, devices and applications. It also includes integrated data loss prevention (DLP) that easily fits into existing infrastructure.

For more information about Trend Micro's Complete User Protection solution and access to the Magic Quadrant for Endpoint Protection Platforms report, visit http://trendmicro.com/switch.

About Trend Micro

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(1) Trend Micro positioned in Leader Quadrant in the previous 9 reports under the names Magic Quadrant for

Endpoint Protection and Magic Quadrant for Enterprise Antivirus.

(2) Gartner "Magic Quadrant for Endpoint Protection Platforms" by Peter Firstbrook, John Girard, Neil MacDonald, January 9, 2014.

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