

# "AIMETIS HAS TAKEN US INTO THE FUTURE WITH SYMPHONY™, SINCE ITS INTELLIGENCE PROVIDES US WITH THE TOOLS FOR BETTER MANAGEMENT AND PHYSICAL SECURITY"

Wilma Clarke, Director, Leasing & Operations Vista Cargo Terminals

#### **CUSTOMER PROFILE:**

Located at the Lester B.
Pearson International Airport
in Toronto, Canada, Vista
Cargo Terminals offers a
full-service multi-modal cargo
terminal concept designed to
offer a full range and
flexibility of facilities and
services to airlines, freight
forwarders, expeditors,
couriers, customs brokers,
among other companies.

#### **VERTICAL MARKET:**

Transportation

### Aimetis in brief:

Aimetis develops video analytic and management software for physical security and business intelligence applications. Aimetis' award winning software represents a quantum leap forward in managing and analyzing video content. Almetis is headquartered in Waterloo, Canada.

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## **CASE STUDY: VISTA CARGO TERMINALS, CANADA**



(Above) Aimetis Symphony $^{\text{TM}}$  software tracking activity around the cargo terminal

#### **SUMMARY**

Vista Cargo Terminals selects Aimetis Symphony™ software to monitor cargo traffic throughout the terminal. Vista now enjoys superior image quality and time savings in video review as a result of upgrading to a pure IP based system from the previous analog system.

#### **BUSINESS CHALLENGE**

Vista Cargo needed a flexible and intelligent solution to monitor "air-side" and "truck-side" traffic in and around its facility. The previous DVR and CCTV cameras did not provide satisfactory image quality, and a 30 day video retention policy was not being met. Further, the "soft costs" of the DVR system were high, as the video review and retrieval process was cumbersome.

#### **SOLUTION**

Unlike the previous DVR, Aimetis Symphony™ is a standards based, open software platform leveraging commercial-off-the-shelf hardware, allowing Vista Cargo to utilize network storage and cameras which in turn drives down cost. Today, Vista not only enjoys lower cost of ownership through flexible camera and storage options, but also superior image

quality as a result of the network cameras. Finally, Aimetis' robust video analytics allows Vista users to pinpoint and export interesting events much quicker than the previous DVR, saving valuable time. "Thanks to Aimetis, we can review timelines and video clips during especially high activity periods. This enables us to spot patterns and problems, and to implement best practices to ensure the terminal runs efficiently. Aimetis has taken us into the future with Symphony™, since its intelligence provides us with the tools for better management and physical security." explains Wilma Clarke, Director, Leasing & Operations of Vista Cargo Terminals.

#### **RESULT**

- Lower cost of ownership through flexible storage options;
- Superior image quality through the support of network cameras;
- Tremendous time savings in video review using Advanced Search features

#### **TECHNOLOGIES USED:**

- Aimetis Symphony™ software Client
   & Server Software
- COTS hardware for Clients & Servers
- Windows XP Professional
- Axis 221 network cameras
- Sony RZ25N network cameras

#### About Aimetis Symphony™ software

Aimetis Symphony™ software is an advanced Open IP-Surveillance software product with integrated video analytics. Symphony™ simultaneously enables digital video recording, intelligent video analysis and remote access to live and recorded images from any networked computer.