



NOORDTEK SUCCESS STORY

CLIENT: MOTOROLA

Motorola CASE, the case in Gartner ITEXPO-2005

SERVICE PROVIDER:

Noordtek Partner CESAR

Noordtek partner C.E.S.A.R, the Recife Center for Advanced Studies and Systems, is one of the main providers of Information Technology and Communication solutions for the Brazilian market. A private enterprise associated with the Center for Informatics (CIn) of the Federal University of Pernambuco, C.E.S.A.R is composed of around 330 associates.

Most of our software engineers are internationally certified in Java as J2EE programmers, and J2EE web component developers - apart from other certifications such as Oracle OCP, IBM connectivity with J2EE, IBM Object Oriented Analysis, and PMP (Project Management Professional). C.E.S.A.R. is CMM2.

NORTH-AMERICAN CUSTOMER: Motorola

C.E.S.A.R and Motorola establish a partnership for World Wide Test Center

C.E.S.A.R, is a partner of Motorola in an initiative that will lead to the establishment in Brazil of Motorola's only global center for mobile phones software testing. The Brazil Test Center represents the largest contract for software development ever in the IT Cluster of the State of Pernambuco, known as Noordtek in the US and as Porto Digital in Brazil. It is a US\$ 20 million investment.

The Brazil Test Center will concentrate in Brazil activities previously done in several parts of the world, such as Russia, India and the United States. Starting in 2005 all mobile phones manufactured by Motorola will first pass through a rigorous testing process by the Brazilian team, and then be distributed to the global market. "We have the responsibility to drive the global expertise for testing in this field", says Silvio Meira, C.E.S.A.R's chief-scientist. The number of software engineers working in this project will reach 230 in a 15 month contract.

This initiative is part of Motorola's Brazil program for technological development. Motorola has invested US\$ 200 million in projects like that since 1997.