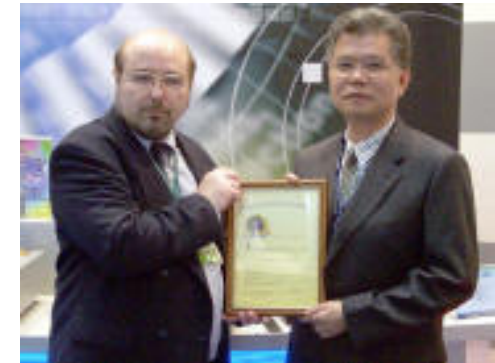


## Proware won the " Best of Taiwan's Best Award "

TAIPEI, TAIWAN (Sep. 22, 2003) — Proware's SB-3160FA (Fibre-to-SATA) RAID subsystem is awarded Eurotrade Magazine's "Best of Taiwan's Best" Award in the Storage solutions category at Computex 2003.

The Simbolo SB-3160FA features a backplane design for sixteen hot-swappable Serial ATA disk drives, N+1 load sharing PFC power supplies, pure Aluminum case & component, specially designed airflow passages. The SB-3160FA also supports auto rebuild, bad block auto-remapping and exceptional manageability.



## The benefits of Serial ATA are:

- ❖ Serial ATA's point-to-point signaling that provides full bandwidth to each connected device, hot plug capability, smaller connectors, standardized connector placement and layout, simpler cabling and longer cable lengths.
- ❖ The cost advantages and performance of Serial ATA can make it a compelling alternative to other technologies.

## Serial ATA Value Proposition

### Serial ATA Delivers

<b>Narrower Cabling.</b>	<b>Higher Performance.</b>
<b>Supports Lower Power Requirements.</b>	<b>Improved Connectivity (no master/slave).</b>
<b>Lower Pin Counts.</b>	<b>Longer Cabling.</b>
<b>10-year Roadmap.</b>	<b>PC Economies of Scale.</b>