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## **Universal Lighting Technologies Triad<sup>®</sup> High Efficiency Ballasts Yield Additional Six Percent Energy Savings**

**NASHVILLE, Tenn. (August 21, 2002)** – Universal Lighting Technologies' Triad<sup>®</sup> High Efficiency ballasts conserve energy without sacrificing lamp life or light output. The ballasts are ideal for retrofit, replacement or new construction applications and provide immediate savings and quick payback. The ballasts yield additional 3-6 percent savings compared to standard T8 electronic ballasts. Overall, the energy-saving lamp and High Efficiency ballast system yields up to 11 percent savings.

"With the importance of energy savings in both commercial and institutional applications, the Triad<sup>®</sup> High Efficiency ballast can significantly lower energy consumption for fluorescent lighting systems," explains Mark Timbario, product manager of electronic products.

High-Efficiency ballasts operate standard or high-efficiency T8 lamps, are available with a .78 or .88 ballast factor, and total harmonic distortion (THD) is less than ten percent. The ballasts are available for 2-, 3- and 4-lamp F32T8 and 2-lamp F96T8 applications.

For more information about the Triad<sup>®</sup> High-Efficiency ballast, fax your request to (615) 316-5146 or visit the Web site at [www.universalballast.com](http://www.universalballast.com).

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Universal Lighting Technologies Inc., based in Nashville, Tenn., has offered the most innovative selection of lighting ballasts for more than 50 years. With operations and distribution worldwide, the products of Universal Lighting Technologies are marketed under the Universal® and Triad® brand names.

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