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Chrome Grabs 1% of Global Browser Market in First Day - StatCounter

Wednesday, September 03, 2008: Google's new browser Chrome has taken 1% of the global browser market within a day of launch according to analysis conducted by web traffic analysis company, StatCounter. "This is a phenomenal performance," commented Aodhan Cullen of StatCounter which is a rival to Google on website analytics. "This is war on Microsoft but the big loser could be Firefox."

StatCounter analysis conducted today (Wednesday, 03 September 2008) finds that Internet Explorer holds 70% of the global browser market followed by Firefox with 22%.

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Note to editors: This information is based on a sample of 18.5 million page views globally on Wednesday, 3rd September.

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