

# Smart Bear Software Introduces the First Micro-Branching Tool – CodePickle™

**Austin, TX – June, 7 2005**– Smart Bear Inc., the leading provider of code review solutions, today announced their newest product CodePickle™. CodePickle™ is aimed at developers who require 'save and restore' capabilities between developmental tasks.

"Dealing with interruptions while working on a piece of code is a very common-place occurrence" said CEO and Founder Jason Cohen. "All developers work on several tasks at once – bug-fixes, new features, clean-up work. CodePickle™ let's you create a new micro-branch using your existing SCM tool allowing you to freeze your workspace and concentrate on other tasks".

CodePickle™ knows which files you modified, added, or deleted from version control. It preserves (pickles) your changes and reverts those files back to a clean copy from version control. Later, when the new task has been completed or a bug is fixed and your original development resumes, CodePickle™ restores your environment automatically. With version control integration you can safely but quickly merge your work into your working environment.

"During my days as a developer, I had new code issues to deal with on a daily basis, CodePickle™ would've been a serious time-saver" added Cohen.

CodePickle™ is the newest product in the family of code review, and report tools from Smart Bear Software.

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## About SmartBear

Headquartered in Austin, Texas, Smart Bear provides tools for software developers to manage, review, and report code.

Smart Bear products are used by 12,000 people at over 500 companies worldwide. Customers represent a broad range of industries including software and game development, electronics, pharmaceutical, and financial services. Customers include Adobe, Electronic Arts, Pfizer, and Accenture.

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