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SAN JOSE, Calif., September 4, 2007- Novellus Systems, Inc. (Nasdaq: NVLS), today announced that William H. Kurtz, Novellus' executive vice president and chief financial officer and Jeffrey C. Benzing, Novellus' executive vice president and chief business officer, will present on Tuesday, September 18, 2007, at Bank of America's 37th Annual Investment Conference. The presentation will begin at 10:30 a.m. PST and will be made available over the Internet via a live webcast.

The live webcast presentation may be accessed via Novellus' Investor Relations home page atwww.novellus.com. A replay of the webcast will be available for seven days following the conference.

About Novellus:

Novellus Systems, Inc. (NASDAQ: NVLS) is a leading provider of advanced process equipment for the global semiconductor industry. The company's products deliver value to customers by providing innovative technology backed by trusted productivity. An S&P 500 company, Novellus is headquartered in San Jose, Calif. with subsidiary offices across the globe. For more information please visit www.novellus.com.

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