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MIMOS came out tops in three categories at the recent *Malaysia Good Design Mark Awards 2008*. The three winning entries were Agriculture Data Collector, Mimos WiWi wireless router and Jen-ii.

The Agriculture Data Collector is a micro-electromechanical system-based sensor used to detect the composition and condition of soil. It is oval-shaped with a textured body surface that is light and portable, making it an easier holding and plugging collector as an agriculture on-site application.

The Mimos WiWi wireless router is a hybrid frontier technology platform of WiMax and Wi-Fi. It sports a simple design with a smooth corner radius, canopy type of assembly that is easy to assemble, is waterproof, saves on tooling costs and environment-friendly.

As for Jen-ii, or Jendela Informasi Internet, it is a technology literacy tool aimed at bridging the digital divide. Designed with the latest communications technologies for all walks of life, it is a set-top box connected to a television that offers Internet connectivity and access to grid-based content.

(From left) Deputy Science, Technology and Innovation Minister Fadillah Yusof presenting the design awards to Mimos' senior designer Nuzairi Yasin, product development director Mohd Fauzi Yahya and chief designer Saharudin Busri.