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SUMMARY

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## VirtualScopics makes gains

Biotech company **VirtualScopics** said it signed \$8.5 million in new contracts in 2006, a 67 percent increase over the previous year.

The company's pipeline of projects expanded as well, growing to 69 last year from 49 in 2005. The Rochester company makes imaging software for medical applications. Shares of the company closed up 2 cents at \$2.09.