

## **Dahon® Mu N360 Featuring Award-Winning, Smooth Shifting NuVinci® N360™ Transmission Now Available at Dahon Dealers Throughout North America**

**SAN DIEGO, CA — March 13, 2012** – Dahon® Bicycles and Fallbrook Technologies Inc. (Fallbrook) have announced that the 2012 Dahon Mu *N360* folding bike featuring Fallbrook's continuously variable *NuVinci N360* transmission, is now available at Dahon dealers throughout North America. The *NuVinci N360* is the latest generation of Fallbrook's award-winning continuously variable planetary (CVP) transmission for bicycles.

“The Mu *N360*, equipped with the *NuVinci N360* drivetrain, delivers the perfect combination of easy, intuitive, and ultra smooth shifting, along with numerous features that make this model is one of the most comfortable Dahon folding bikes in our range,” said Dr. David Hon, CEO of Dahon. “The Mu *N360* has everything a rider needs for effortless cruising around town or urban commuting to and from the office, including Dahon's patented folding technology that allows the bike to fold in less than 15 seconds.”

With a simple twist of the wrist, the *NuVinci N360* transmission makes shifting the Mu *N360* as easy as adjusting the volume on a radio. Riders have an infinite choice of gearing between the highest and lowest ratios, a full 360% ratio range. The *NuVinci N360* makes riding even more enjoyable with seamless, continuous shifting (even under high pedal torque), without power interruptions, missed gears or dropped chains. The intuitive *NuVinci* shifter's feather touch is fun to use, easily increasing or decreasing pedaling effort. The *NuVinci N360* hub is also maintenance free.

“We are proud to be a part of the quality line of products produced by Dahon, a worldwide leader in folding bicycles. Our focus is to work very hard to support and promote our partners in their continued success with models featuring the *NuVinci* technology,” said Alan Nordin, President of Fallbrook Technologies' Bicycle Division.

The Dahon Mu *N360* standard features include the Dahon DoubleStand which allows easy folding without lifting the bike; the Dahon FreeDrive Joule Dynamo hub, which generates energy for lighting as you ride (no batteries required); and the Dahon PostPump, a high capacity pump integrated into the seat post. The Mu *N360* weighs just 28.8 lbs. (13.1kg) and folds to 11.7”x 30.8” x 25.7” (30 x 79 x 66 cm).

For more information on the 2012 Dahon Mu *N360*, featuring the *NuVinci N360* drivetrain, and to find the nearest Dahon dealer, visit [www.dahonbikes.com](http://www.dahonbikes.com). The Mu *N360* MSRP is \$1,699. To learn more about the *NuVinci N360* drivetrain, visit [www.nuvinci.com](http://www.nuvinci.com).

### **About Fallbrook Technologies Inc.**

Fallbrook's NuVinci® continuously variable planetary (CVP) technology improves the performance and efficiency of machines that use a transmission, including bicycles, electric vehicles, automobiles, agricultural equipment, wind turbines and others. The

*NuVinci* technology offers companies the flexibility to design and produce next-generation products that are better tailored to their unique business, market and competitive requirements.

Fallbrook has built an extensive portfolio of over 400 patents and patent applications worldwide. The company intends to continue its research and development activities to enhance the performance and capabilities of *NuVinci* technology. For more information, visit: [www.fallbrooktech.com](http://www.fallbrooktech.com)

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