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**MIMOSA NEARPOINT NAMED TWO-TIME PRODUCT OF THE YEAR 2006  
GOLD AWARD WINNER BY TECHTARGET'S SEARCHEXCHANGE.COM**

*Mimosa NearPoint Wins the Best Exchange Products of 2006 "Gold Award" in Two Categories: Exchange Server Archiving and Compliance, and Exchange Server Backup and Recovery*

**Santa Clara, Calif. – January 17, 2007** – Mimosa Systems™, a leader in unified information management solutions for enterprise content, today announced that its Mimosa NearPoint for Microsoft Exchange Server 2.0 has received top honors in the *SearchExchange.com* "Best Exchange Server Administration Products of 2006" awards by winning two "Gold Awards" in the categories of Exchange Server Archiving and Compliance, and Exchange Server Backup and Recovery. This is the second consecutive year that Mimosa NearPoint has brought home the *SearchExchange.com* "Gold Award." Mimosa NearPoint also won "The Gold" in the Messaging: Backup and Recovery category of *SearchExchange.com*'s "Best Exchange Server Messaging Products of 2005."

"Mimosa NearPoint for Microsoft Exchange Server 2.0 handily bested a field of 10 for the Gold Award in *SearchExchange.com*'s Archiving and Compliance category for Products of the Year 2006, with near perfect scores in innovation, functionality, ease of use and integration with Microsoft technologies and commodity storage," said the editors of *SearchExchange.com*. "Mimosa NearPoint for Microsoft Exchange Server Version 2.0 also won the Gold Award for Exchange Server Backup and Recovery Products of the Year 2006, carrying on the reign of Mimosa NearPoint for Microsoft Exchange Version 1.0, which won the *SearchExchange.com* Gold Award in the Backup and Recovery category last year."

"NearPoint was without peer for innovation based on what one judge described as the most novel use of log shipping outside of both SQL Server and Exchange Server 2007," stated the editors of *SearchExchange.com*. "In terms of Exchange Server backup and recovery, judges said the product's two 'biggest pluses' are that it is 'agent-less' and, unlike other messaging backup products, it doesn't use journaling, which can strain Exchange Server performance. Judges also noted that out of all the contenders, Mimosa NearPoint for Microsoft Exchange Server Version 2.0 has the least amount of impact on the message store, since it does not require installation of any software on Exchange Server itself."

The *SearchExchange.com* "Best Exchange Server Administration Products of 2006" awards were selected by a panel of judges who reviewed a total of 35 products in four major categories. The Judges rated each nominated product in seven categories including innovation, performance, ease of integration, ease of use and manageability, functionality, value and service and support.

"Mimosa is very honored to again make the list of 'Gold' winners in the prestigious TechTarget *SearchExchange.com* Best Exchange Server Administration Products of 2006 awards," said Mike Ivanov, vice president of product marketing, Mimosa Systems. "We are especially pleased that, like our customers, the judges recognize the comprehensive value of Mimosa NearPoint as a solution that offers powerful archiving, compliance, data protection and disaster recovery functionality for the overall information management of Microsoft Exchange content."

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To view the complete articles on SearchExchange.com's Best Exchange Server Administration Products of 2006, please visit:

[http://searchexchange.techtarget.com/productsOfTheYearCategory/0,294802,sid43\\_tax305919\\_ayr2006,00.html](http://searchexchange.techtarget.com/productsOfTheYearCategory/0,294802,sid43_tax305919_ayr2006,00.html) for the listing of top winners in the Exchange Server Archiving and Compliance category and [http://searchexchange.techtarget.com/productsOfTheYearCategory/0,294802,sid43\\_tax305919\\_ayr2006,00.html](http://searchexchange.techtarget.com/productsOfTheYearCategory/0,294802,sid43_tax305919_ayr2006,00.html) for the listing of top winners in the Exchange Server Backup and Recovery Category.

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### **About Mimosa NearPoint**

Mimosa NearPoint addresses critical customer requirements around email information archiving, eDiscovery, regulatory compliance, business continuity and storage optimization. Mimosa NearPoint provides immediate mailbox and message recovery, disaster recovery, email archiving, and self-service search and access in one solution. By leveraging cost-effective storage, NearPoint also optimizes e-mail storage and reduces overall infrastructure costs.

### **About Mimosa**

Mimosa Systems, Inc. delivers next-generation information management solutions for information immediacy, discovery and continuity. Mimosa NearPoint™ for Microsoft Exchange Server is the industry's most comprehensive information management software solution for Microsoft Exchange Server, unifying email archiving, recovery and storage optimization. NearPoint assures email continuity and regulatory compliance, while leveraging cost-effective disk technologies to optimize email storage growth. Mimosa is a Microsoft Gold Certified Partner recognized for its competencies in Networking Infrastructure Solutions, ISV Software Solutions, and Information Worker. Mimosa is a privately held company whose investors include August Capital, Clearstone Venture Partners, Dot Edu Ventures and JAFCO Ventures. Mimosa was founded in 2003 and is based in Santa Clara, California and Pune, India. For more information see [www.MimosaSystems.com](http://www.MimosaSystems.com).

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