

# Mimosa NearPoint and FaceTime IMAuditor

*Single archive solution for email and IM simplifies compliance and eDiscovery*

FaceTime® and Mimosa Systems™ have partnered to create a single archive system for both email and instant messaging (IM). By combining the leading email archiving product Mimosa™ NearPoint™ for Microsoft® Exchange Server with FaceTime's award winning IMAuditor™ for total IM management, the partnership provides a visionary solution for secure, compliant archival of electronic communications.



**Instant messaging is here to stay.** Research firm Gartner predicts that public IM usage in corporations will be ubiquitous in 2008 and that Enterprise IM will approach 100% within two years. Organizations are recognizing the productivity and cost benefits of instant messaging and want to enable and control its use. However, IM creates enormous risk for organizations—unsecured IM has become the new vector for malware distribution; it opens new “holes” for information leakage, and can expose the organization to regulatory compliance breaches as well as impact your ability to meet eDiscovery requirements. Many companies have already implemented email archiving to mitigate the compliance and eDiscovery risks associated with email; as IM communications increase and federal rules recognize IM as discoverable, it is logical to manage all electronic communications together in a single archive.

## Key Benefits

- Combines best-of-breed capabilities – NearPoint for email archiving and IMAuditor for security, management, and compliance of instant messaging.
- Provides one consolidated archive to manage instead of having silos of archives for different communication types.
- Achieves compliance goals by retaining emails and instant messages together and applying retention policies consistently.
- Increases litigation readiness and reduces the cost of eDiscovery by providing one archive to manage and search for all electronic communications.
- Protects the organization from the risks associated with “greynets” (real-time communication applications, e.g. IM, P2P file sharing, and VoIP often introduced by end-users, that use highly evasive techniques to traverse the network).

## A Single Source for Electronic Communications

Mimosa NearPoint for Microsoft Exchange Server is a leading email archiving solution that delivers archiving, eDiscovery, disaster recovery, and storage management in a single solution. FaceTime Communications enables the safe and productive use of instant messaging, web usage and unified communications platforms. Using FaceTime's IMAuditor, instant messages destined for archival are forwarded to Mimosa Systems' NearPoint as SMTP messages making NearPoint the single archive for all electronic communications.

To learn more about Mimosa and FaceTime and the advantages of deploying this combined solution visit:

[www.MimosaSystems.com](http://www.MimosaSystems.com)

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Or contact your Mimosa or FaceTime representative for a product integration demonstration.

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### About Mimosa Systems

Mimosa Systems, Inc., delivers nextgeneration information management solutions with Mimosa NearPoint, providing email archiving for Microsoft Exchange Server. NearPoint unifies archiving, eDiscovery, recovery, and storage management in a single solution, ensuring email continuity and regulatory compliance.

### About FaceTime Communications

FaceTime Communications enables the safe and productive use of instant messaging, Web usage and Unified Communications platforms. Ranked number one by IDC for four consecutive years, FaceTime's award-winning solutions are used by more than 900 customers—including nine of the 10 largest U.S. banks—for security, management, and compliance of real-time communications. FaceTime supports or has strategic partnerships with all leading public and enterprise IM network providers, including AOL, Google, Microsoft, Yahoo!, Skype, IBM, Reuters, and Jabber.



*“Most business leaders have come to realize the strategic imperative to safely archive email. Unfortunately, they are lagging behind when it comes to instant messages. IM is one of the most widely used communications tools at the office, second only to email. To neglect these messages can put the organization at risk of violating key government regulations, such as SEC 17a, and create a hole in any evidentiary search.”*

**— T.M. Ravi,**  
*CEO of Mimosa Systems*



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