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## **RELEASE 1.3 OF SLIM SEARCH NOW AVAILABLE**

*- Solaris Platform is Now Supported to Help Advance Research-*

**MISSION VIEJO, Calif., (October 17, 2007)** - - Supporting growing demand within the biomedical market for its innovative genomic search technology, SLIM Search™, Inc. announces the availability of Release 1.3 of SLIM Search. The SLIM Search genomic search tool delivers greater speed, flexibility and sensitivity for biomedical research and development. Version 1.3 includes the following features:

- New platform support for Solaris 10 (32 bit and 64 bit)
- New installer support for the following operating systems:
  - RPM (Red Hat Package Manager) installer for Linux
  - Installer for Sun Solaris 10
- Corrected reported default settings and handling discrepancies:
  - Adjusted defaults to better match BLAST parameters
  - Transmit case specific command line flags
  - Report all word hits exactly once in all cases

“With the SUN Solaris platform support, the innovative Slim Search technology combined with the scalability of Solaris will make a major impact on the productivity of research pipelines for pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies.” states Leonard Bloksberg, CEO of SLIM Search, Ltd.

SLIM Technology is a lightning-fast, memory-efficient “disruptive” technology that is not only the enabling technology for the entire discipline of personalized medicine but is also a unique, powerful research tool for one of the fastest growing research fields. SLIM Search opens new doors for research through a revolutionary advancement in the speed of information processing for genomic research. SLIM Search delivers greater speed performing up to 10,000 times faster than a fully optimized BLAST, which is the standard tool of the industry. SLIM Search can re-

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map a human genome in a few hours on a desktop workstation instead of months on a multi-million dollar computer cluster using BLAST. SLIM Search can deliver daily updates of an orthogonal-comparison, comparative-genomics database of every known gene on a single PC – which might only be possible yearly on a hundred-node Linux cluster running BLAST. In a typical genomics production environment, SLIM can deliver throughput improvements of 100 to 3000 times greater with equal or better sensitivity. These types of benefits are revolutionary in bio-informatics. To get your FREE EVALUATION of SLIM Search visit [www.slimsearch.com](http://www.slimsearch.com)

### **About SLIM Search, Inc.**

SLIM Search, Inc. is a bioinformatics pioneer serving the biotech industry with fast pattern matching and genomics search solutions. SLIM Search™ is the ultimate genomics search solution, providing more speed, more flexibility and more sensitivity. SLIM Search uniquely returns richer data content that makes it possible to create scores and molecular alignments directly from a word search. SLIM Search also tags the alignments digitally, so subsequent analysis can be automated for the first time.

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