

Clariant, Leader in Oncology Diagnostics, Signs Agreement to Implement UNICConnect's UNIFlow™ Enterprise Laboratory Information Management System

SALT LAKE CITY (September 15, 2010) – UNICConnect, a leading provider of laboratory information management systems (UNIFlow™) that offer breakthrough software technology to empower end users and laboratories with complete control over customization and configuration, announced today that it has recently entered into an agreement with Clariant, Inc., a leader in oncology diagnostics, for the use of UNICConnect's UNIFlow laboratory information management system (LIMS). Because of the complexity of Clariant's work in tracking multiple samples, physicians and facilities for individual patients, the company required exceptional power, flexibility and durability in choosing a new system. The UNIFlow system passed the proof of concept trial and is now working toward full enterprise deployment.

"Clariant is pleased to work with UNICConnect as a provider of key information management solutions in support of the science and business of personalized medicine," said Michael J. Pellini, M.D., President and Chief Operating Officer. "The system has proven its reliability and efficiency, and after a rigorous selection process and pilot evaluation, we look forward to its full implementation."

Another critical aspect of the UNIFlow system is its ease of use. A Clariant employee was trained on the use and demonstration of the system, including basic configuration changes. With training, the employee was able to successfully demonstrate the two systems chosen for the proof of concept test, and was able to not only demonstrate it, but was able to make changes to the system.

"Our focus has always been to provide our partners with flexibility – which means providing the ability to manage and control their LIMS tool," said William S. Harten, founder and chief executive officer of UNICConnect. "UNIFlow's unique structure gives its users in laboratories complete control both over customization and configuration, thus dramatically reducing the time required by other LIMS systems for development and deployment – thus giving our customers a competitive advantage."

About Clariant

Clariant combines innovative diagnostic technologies with world class pathology expertise to assess and characterize cancer. Clariant's mission is to become the leader in cancer diagnostics by dedicating itself to collaborative relationships with the healthcare community to translate cancer discovery and research into better patient care. Clariant's principal customers include pathologists, oncologists, hospitals, and biopharmaceutical companies. The rise of individualized medicine as the new direction in oncology has created the need for a centralized resource providing leading diagnostic technologies, such as flow cytometry and molecular testing. Clariant is that resource, having created a state-of-the-art commercial cancer laboratory providing the most advanced oncology testing and diagnostic services. Clariant's customers are connected to its Internet-based portal, PATHSITE(R) that delivers high resolution images and critical interpretive reports based on its diagnostic testing. Clariant also develops and markets new, proprietary "companion" diagnostic markers for therapeutics in breast, prostate, lung, ovarian, and colon cancers, and leukemia/lymphoma. <http://www.clariantinc.com/>

About UNIconnect

UNIconnect is a laboratory information management system software company based in Salt Lake City. With a corporate ideal of “rigorous simplicity,” UNIconnect has married breakthrough software technology with unparalleled customization and configuration control. The result is UNIFlow, a software solution that helps eliminate the process tracking barriers that slow down progress for many life science industries and interests. UNIconnect’s mission is to provide laboratories with a better option for LIMS requirements – one that can be adapted to the changing requirements of complex lab processes. For the precise tracking and process detail required for molecular diagnostics, proteomics, clinical trials, high throughput screening and more, UNIFlow delivers solutions that enable laboratories to achieve their objectives. For more information, please visit www.uniconnect.com.

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