

If Outlook ever

we've come across.

needed a wow-factor to per-

alternative mail client, NEO

Pro is the best enticement

NEO (Nelson E-mail

Organiser) Pro 3 is not an

but, rather, a plug-in that

retains all the powerful tools

ferred messaging tool among

that make Outlook the pre-

alternative to Microsoft's client

suade users not to defect to an

Add power and pizzazz to Outlook

Looks familiar but does much more

so many businesses. The user inter-

immediately be familiar to anyone who uses Outlook, with a pane on the left displaying the

folder list. Usefully, this can be set to view in tree format, alphabeti-

cally or in order of mostrecently used mails.

Above that pane are the categories and other organisational items that NEO Pro builds using its internal cataloguing engine. A set of tabs along the top let the user select views, and act as the gateways to the components

that streamline the handling of messages. These panes can be undocked.

NEO Pro's handling of attachments is particularly handy: by default it sorts them by the name of the attachment, not the sender. You can also sort attachments by file type even stipulating whether it's a Word doc or a .docx file.

For more insights to Neo PRO's power, take a look at the online training videos.

Since upgrading your favourite e-mail client is almost as big a step as choosing a new spouse, we suggest you start by downloading a 90day free trial version before making that big commitment of around US\$50.

www.caelo.com Cliff Hutton

### Likes and dislikes

There's not much to dislike about NEO Pro. However, it's single drawback is in our view a fairly major omission, since we had hoped there would be a way of automatically categorising the daily barrage of incoming dross. Maybe in the next iteration.

- · fast searches by content or
- · filters, searches and categorises e-mail across folders
- easy to use

• no auto categorisation

# The case of the vanishing Leaf

Jivo, an Irish consumer electronics firm, has introduced a biodegradable iPhone case called the JIVO Leaf. Its packaging is completely recyclable.

At its core is a biodegradable resin that can be injected into a standard case, giving it a life expectancy of just five years once it makes contact with microbial environments typically found in landfills. A standard case can take 50 years to degrade.

The makers stress that the Leaf has an

indefinite shelf life, and will begin to biodegrade only when disposed of.

Such products are traditionally made in Asia, but JIVO has reversed a trend by designing and making the product in Ireland. Retails at €19.99 (recommended).

John McHugh, a director of JIVO, commented: "We set out to create the world's best iPhone case.? www.jivotechnology.com



## Expressions of interest in developing a web based pharmacy system

stakeholder in the Irish professional retail environment and seeks expressions of interest from parties to develop a web based pharmacy **Patient Medication** Record system that would assist pharmacies in carrying out all the tasks required to operate a retail pharmacy business.

All expressions of interest should be sent to pharmacy@mediateam.ie

### Core Functional Requirements:

Web based pharmacy dispensary system. Core functionalities should to include;

- Full PMR system
- Integrated front of shop EPOS system
- Concurrent Decision Support modules to accommodate patient safety issues.
  Fully integrated stock management solution with integrated electronic ordering facility
- Head office functionality for multiple pharmacies
- Interaction with external databases e.g. HSE, IMB etc
- Implemented on Software as a Service model to reduce costs and local hardware requirements
- Secure access control, compliance with all pharmacy, medicines and data protection legislation
- Dynamic reporting module
- Print output for labels, Patient Information Leaflet, HSE receipt generation.
- Customer relationship management functionality e.g. SMS, email messaging.
- Any other functionality that would assist in the pharmacy operational and back office environment.

