



## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **Web Based Digital Sample Management**

**Ziath** has introduced a new version of **DataPaq 5 (DP5)** - its versatile **web-based software product** that allows scientists to **directly read 2D-barcoded tubes** at the point of sample storage or retrieval.

DP5 offers a convenient way to use a 2D barcoded tube or rack scanner anywhere across a laboratory or an organisation's site where a suitable laptop or computer is available. Thanks to its web server design, DP5 will run on both Microsoft and Apple operating systems. DP5 can run from any computer on a building's local network, to which a Ziath reader is also attached, using a web-based highly intuitive graphical user interface. Designed to run on Ziath's popular camera-based 2D barcode scanners - the Mirage, Express and the Cube - DP5 provides visual confirmation of tube identity and individual tube image inspection.

In modern laboratories, samples are typically stored in large -80°C freezers, liquid nitrogen tanks or fully automated stores that are often inconveniently situated in an outbuilding or a basement. DP5 digital sample management tools were developed by Ziath to allow sample management technicians to quickly and accurately log sample identity at the point of storage or retrieval.

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The new version of this web-based software tool includes a host of features designed to streamline the collection of tube information for subsequent processing in inventory management software, such as Ziath's popular Samples program.

In a further development - Ziath are also debuting both Android and iOS apps that can run their rack scanners from a mobile device directly, in addition to using a web interface. This will put tube identification directly into the technician's hands as they access their samples, wherever they may be stored.

For further information on DataPaq 5 please visit <http://www.ziath.com/index.php/products/barcode-scanning/dp5> or contact Ziath on +44-1223-855021 or +1 858-880-6920 and via email to [info@ziath.com](mailto:info@ziath.com).

Founded in 2005, Ziath specialises in development of innovative instrumentation control and information management products using 2D DataMatrix bar-coded tubes to simplify automation processes in life science organisations, from academia, to the biotech and pharma industries.

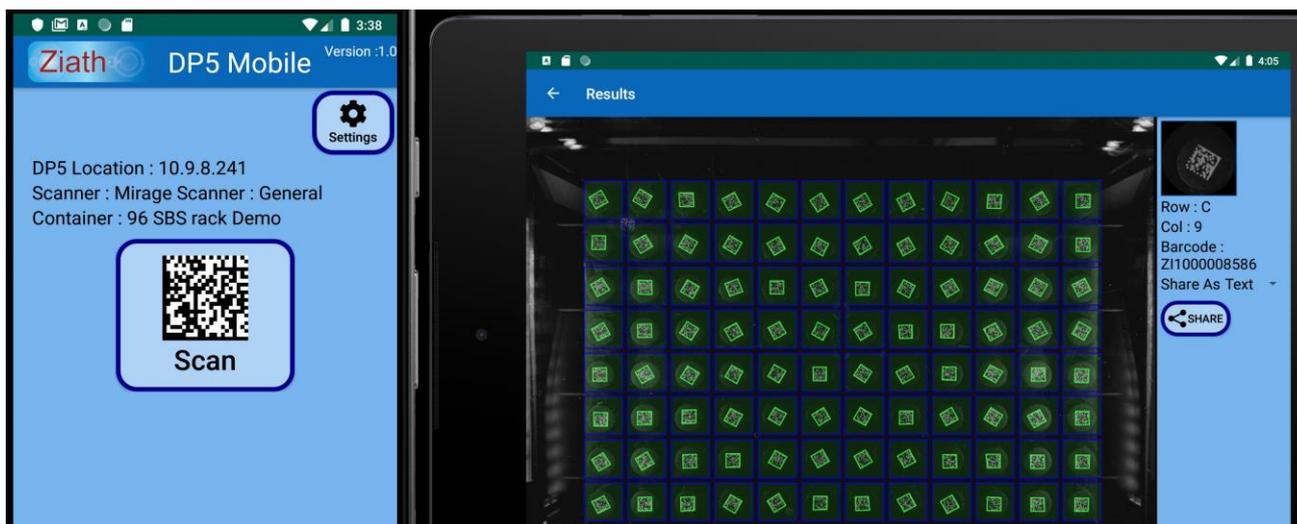
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**Illustrative images** (available on request)



Caption: Cropped composite image of DataPaq 5 (DP5) screens on a mobile device

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