



The Clear Market Leader

More than 3,500 installations of FAST products are complete throughout the world. FAST is consistently rated as the only real choice for sophisticated and large-scale enterprise work.

Information You Need

FAST Search technology doesn't search for data, it finds the information you need. With FAST and Criterion, our customers spend their time finding what they must have to succeed.

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In today's complex business environment, the volume of data and information created on a daily basis is growing at an incredible pace. Finding the right information at the right time and then acting on this information can



have a tremendous impact on the success of an organization. It is clear that as data requirements continue to propagate, enterprise search and retrieval technology are critical to the success of any organization. The clear front runner in search and retrieval technology is FAST Search and Transfer, the global leader and provider of enterprise search technology throughout the world.

FAST & CRITERION TOGETHER

Forrester, Gartner, and many other industry analysts continue to rank FAST Search as the only respectable player in the enterprise search marketplace. The combination of FAST products and Criterion services establishes an unbeatable combination for our customers who are able to find and analyze information with unprecedented power and speed.

FAST CAPABILITIES

- **Contextual Insight®**—Through the merging of contextually aware search technology, flexible content structuring, and integrated text and data mining. FAST delivers on the concept of eContextual Insight, which provides answers, not just references, to the questions who, what, where, when, and why.
- **Contextual Navigation**—Information retrieval solutions that are based upon efficient, dynamic navigation techniques that greatly improve the general query experience.
- **Extreme Performance**—Through the distribution of work across commodity machines, we optimize for query-heavy, data-heavy, and real-time systems, or any combination thereof.

- **Deeper Analysis**—The advent of search as the retrieval mechanism allows the natural confluence of two vital, historically expensive, and time-consuming operation disciplines: quantitative and qualitative analysis. Search unveils the power of analytics, making your knowledge workforce more productive and effective.
- **Tailored Features**—While holding the belief that information access systems must be simple to customize and to extend, FAST search capabilities allow the enterprise to define uniquely adaptable and extensible indexing policies and user profiles with their own configuration and relevancy logic—all while the system is running.
- **Ease of Management**—Our Search Business Center, designed for non-technical users, is a central hub for all monitoring, administering, tuning, reporting, and managing of your search environment. FAST solutions require minimal integration time, cause less disruption, and deliver a more rapid return on investment.

OUR COMMITMENT

Criterion Systems is steadfast in our commitment to on-time and on-budget delivery of high quality and effective technology solutions, consulting services, and project management designed to meet the specific needs of our clients.

CRITERION SYSTEMS, INC.

Headquartered in Northern Virginia's technology corridor, Criterion Systems, Inc. specializes in providing strategic, business process, and information technology services to our commercial and government customers. Criterion is managed by a nationally recognized group of senior executives with extensive industry experience, delivering exceptional solutions and value to our customers.