



Subject: Notice of **Agencourt AMPure obsolescence**

Dear Researcher,

Beckman Coulter strives to provide products with the highest performance and quality standards. The Agencourt AMPure XP system was developed for post-PCR* clean up with enhanced features including:

- Processing time 40% faster than the original Agencourt AMPure kit
- Consistent recovery throughout the extended shelf life of 12 months from manufacturing date
- Efficient recovery of both double stranded and single stranded DNA templates

The Agencourt AMPure XP system was developed to replace the current Agencourt AMPure offering. As such, all the Agencourt AMPure product line will be discontinued in the next 12 months. In order to ensure a smooth transition, please take note of following dates:

- The 5 mL Agencourt AMPure product (Part Number A50850) will no longer be sold after September 1, 2009. After such time, the 5 mL Agencourt AMPure XP product (Part Number A63880) will replace the Agencourt AMPure product.
- The Agencourt AMPure product line will no longer be available for purchase after June 1, 2010.
- Agencourt AMPure kits will be supported by Beckman Coulter Technical Support until Dec 1, 2010.

The following Agencourt AMPure XP products are currently available and will continue to be available for purchase after the current Agencourt AMPure products are discontinued.

Product	Size*	Product #
Agencourt AMPure XP Kit - 5.0 mL	139/278	A63880
Agencourt AMPure XP Kit - 60.0 mL	1666/3333	A63881
Agencourt AMPure XP Kit - 450.0 mL	12500/25000	A63882

Related Products	Product #
Software - Agencourt AMPure XP 96 MC - v3.x	A79794
Software - Agencourt AMPure XP 384 MC - v3.x	A79795

Please be advised for an automated process that the Agencourt AMPure XP chemistry is compatible with the current Agencourt AMPure method. However, a new method has been developed for the Agencourt AMPure XP system, which includes:

- Quick startup menu
- Deck setup walk-through menu
- Method recovery
- LIMS compatibility

To learn more about the Agencourt AMPure XP product line, please visit http://agencourt.com/products/spri_reagents/ampurexp/

Meanwhile, please do not hesitate to contact me for further information.

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