

CELLINK launches C.WASH, an innovative liquid handling system for automated media change in micro-well plates



Today, CELLINK launches the C.WASH, an innovative liquid handling system for media change in cellular assays and tipless magnetic bead washing. Among other workflows, the C.WASH will help with high-throughput COVID-19 testing and research. The C.WASH offers a non-contact method of performing complex washing tasks, enabling automated and highly reproducible washing of micro well plates using centrifugal forces. It improves workflows by reducing costs and saving time when performing high throughput screening, cell-based assays and magnetic bead based nucleic acid extractions.

To bring the C.WASH to market, CELLINK has signed a license agreement with AusBio Laboratories Co Ltd. to use their technology in the system. The benchtop device will be exclusively distributed worldwide by the CELLINK group and will be sold under the cytena brand as part of the Liquid Handling & Bioprocessing business area. The C.WASH will further broaden CELLINK's instrument portfolio for applications in drug discovery, single-cell analysis and next-generation sequencing.

"We are thrilled to be launching the C.WASH and partnering with AusBio. This is a great step forward for the Liquid Handling & Bioprocessing business area as we continue to break down barriers and provide our customers in the life science community with highly efficient workflows in high-throughput screening and library prep for sequencing."

—Jonas Schöndube, Business Area Manager at CELLINK, CEO at cytena GmbH

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About CELLINK

Founded in 2016, CELLINK is a global life-science company that provides technologies, products and services to create, understand and master biology. With a focus on the application areas of bioprinting, analysis, and liquid handling and bioprocessing, the company develops and markets innovative technologies that enable researchers in the life sciences to culture cells in 3D, perform high-throughput drug screening and print human tissues and organs for the medical, pharmaceutical and cosmetic industries. CELLINK's products are trusted by more than 1,800 laboratories, including ones at all the top 20 pharmaceutical companies, are being used in more than 60 countries, and have been cited in more than 200 publications. CELLINK is creating the future of medicine.

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About AusBio Laboratories Co Ltd.

Founded in 1992, AusBio is a veteran biotech company known for innovation and integration, with a focus on the development and commercialization of platform technologies for disease screening, diagnosis and monitoring across a variety of medical disciplines. AusBio has served over 2000 units of automated liquid handling instruments, covering majority of provincial and municipal blood banks, as well as clinical and forensic laboratories across China.

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