

Description	Discontinuation of FluidX Scope™ Wireless Bluetooth Single Tube Reader
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This Product Change Notice supersedes the following documents:	N/A

#### 1. Description and Reason for Change

As part of our continues improvement and supplier sustainability initiative, we identified that a key component of this camera-based reader has become obsolete. We are writing to inform you that we will be discontinuing the FluidX Scope™ Wireless Bluetooth Single Tube Reader, as of March 31st, 2021.

#### 2. Communication Distribution - Need to know list

Customer's Procurement	Sales Managers to inform
Customer's End User	Sales Managers to inform
Customer's Service Team	Sales Managers to inform
Brooks Life Sciences Service Team	Product Management to inform
Brooks Life Sciences Customer Care Team	Product Management to inform

#### 3. Classification of Change

Customer Notification	Yes
Information Only	

# 4. Impact of Change

As a result of these models being discontinued, we will no longer have Wireless Bluetooth connection as an option for our single tube readers.

Please note, we have an alternative to the FluidX Scope™ Wireless Bluetooth, **FluidX Scope™ Single Tube Reader**, as shown below and we will continue to develop our single tube reader range going forward:



# Alternative FluidX Scope™ Single Tube Reader (PC: FLX-20-1003)



- USB "Plug and Play"
- Compatible with all 2D coded tubes
- Instant and error-proof 1D and 2D-code reading
- Fast set up
- Direct data export to any application
- USB connection

# Discontinued

FluidX Scope™ Wireless Bluetooth Reader (PC: 20-1025-A)



- Wireless Bluetooth connection
- Compatible with all 2D coded tubes
- Instant and error-proof 1D and 2D-code reading
- Fast set up
- Connects to your tablet device by simply scanning the connectivity barcode provided in the operation manual

#### 5. Affected Products

This Notice affects Part Numbers listed below:

PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
20-1025-A	ASSY,EQUIP,SCOPE,READER,WIRELESS,BT
20-1025-B	ASSY,EQUIP,SCOPE,READER,WIRELESS,BT,W/TABLET
20-1025-C	ASSY,EQUIP,SCOPE,READER,WIRELESS,BT,W/MODEM

The following stock is still available, and the range will only be Obsoleted when stock is depleted:

Item		Total Quantity
20-1025-A	ASSY,EQUIP,SCOPE,READER,WIRELESS,BT	15
20-1025-C	ASSY,EQUIP,SCOPE,READER,WIRELESS,BT,W/MODEM	3

#### 6. Replacement Products

There will be **no direct replacement** for the part numbers listed previously, however we will continue to offer our alternative FluidX Scope™ Single Tube Reader.

#### 7. Recommended Action

We will continue accept orders until our current stock has been depleted.



# 8. Specification of replacement products

# **Alternative**

FluidX Scope™ Single Tube Reader (PC: FLX-20-1003)



FluidX Scope™ Wireless Bluetooth Reader (PC: 20-1025-A





Code formats read	2D Data Matrix <sup>®</sup> , 1D linear barcodes, QR codes, ISO 16022, square and rectangular format, ECC 200, 0 - 20 grid sizes, white on black and black on white, numeric, and alphanumeric	
Sensor type	sensor CMOS 1.2 Megapixel (1280 x 960) gray scale	
Light source	red LED with blue targeting LED	
Read time	< second per tube or rack, either 1D or 2D	
Ambient operating temperature	-20°C to 55°C	
Tube compatibility	reads single tubes from SBS format racks, either in 24, 48, 96, 240 or 384 formats, as well as glass compound storage tubes, cryo tubes and biological sample tubes	
Dimensions (H x W x D)	38 x 59 x 150mm	45 x 75 x 196mm
Operating humidity	5% to 95% non-condensing	
Power requirements	USB connection 5vdc (mA): typical = <200mA idle = <90mA	Reader @ 4.2vdc (mA): typical and peak = 362mA idle = 80mA
Communication interface	USB 2.0 HID	Bluetooth (Class II) BT Modem: USB 2.0 HID
Operating systems	Windows XP, Windows Vista, Windows 7, Windows 8, Windows 10, Windows CE, Mac O SX, Linux	Wireless Bluetooth HID mode: iOS, Android OS, Windows 8 mobile edition, (Also Windows XP, Windows Vista, Windows 7, Windows 8, Windows 10, Windows CE, Mac OSX and Linux) USB Bluetooth Modem mode: Windows XP, Windows Vista, Windows 7, Windows 8, Windows 10, Windows CE, Mac OSX and Linux



# 9. Timeframe for implementation

Effective from March 31st,2021.

<u>Last orders:</u> We will continue to accept orders until our current stock has been depleted.

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# 10. For more information please contact Brooks Life Sciences

If you require further information, please contact your local Account or Distribution Manager, or call our Customer Service team on:

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Thank you.