



PRODUCT CHANGE NOTIFICATION

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Dear Valued Customer,

We would like to take this opportunity to inform you of a specification change to Mesa Labs Steam MesaStrip SGMS/5 and SGMS/6 when cultured in Mesa Labs Purple Releasat Culture Media PM/100. Mesa Labs no longer supports a 24-hour reduced incubation time (RIT) claim for SGMS/5 or SGMS/6 when cultured into PM/100.

Please note this change does not affect use of the products when incubated for 7 days.

This change was made in order to streamline our manufacturing processes. Mesa Labs does offer another steam spore strip and soybean casein digest purple tubed media for which a 24-hour RIT claim is supported. This media also provides a visible color change to yellow to show positive growth. **Alternate product is listed in the table below.**

Item #	Species	Population	Packaging	Alternate Item #
SGMS/5	<i>Geobacillus stearothermophilus</i>	Log 5	100 count	3-5100
SGMS/6		Log 6	100 count	3-6100
PM/100	N/A	N/A	100 count	TSB-BP16

As always, if you have any questions, please contact your Mesa Laboratories Representative.

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