

**NOTIFICATION OF DISCONTINUATION OF INITIAL SET OF C - SERIES  
INSTRUMENTATION**

August 1, 2005

In January of 2005, Thermo Electron Corporation announced the introduction of the iSeries continuous gas analyzer platform. This new product line offers significant enhancements over the existing C-Series platform. Outlined in the table below are the production end dates for an initial set of C-Series analyzers and their associated spare parts availability, service end dates and currently available replacement product.

Thermo will continue to provide product introduction announcements to our customers as subsequent iSeries analyzers become available for shipment. Additionally, product discontinuation dates will be provided for the corresponding C-Series analyzers. It is our intention to have the complete set of iSeries analyzers available for purchase by March 2006.

As indicated in the table below, Thermo will continue to provide spare parts\* and service for the existing C-Series analyzers through August 2015. This 10 year support plan reinforces the commitment to our customer base to insure that their investment in Thermo analyzers will be maximized throughout the product lifetime.

Item #	Product Name	Replacement	Discontinuation Date	Spare Parts End Date	Service End Date
1 of 7	Model 42C	Model 42 <i>i</i>	March 31, 2006	August 1, 2015	August 1, 2015
2 of 7	Model 42CHL	Model 42 <i>HL</i>	March 31, 2006	August 1, 2015	August 1, 2015
3 of 7	Model 42CLS	Model 42 <i>LS</i>	March 31, 2006	August 1, 2015	August 1, 2015
4 of 7	Model 43C	Model 43 <i>i</i>	March 31, 2006	August 1, 2015	August 1, 2015
5 of 7	Model 48C	Model 48 <i>i</i>	March 31, 2006	August 1, 2015	August 1, 2015
6 of 7	Model 41C	None	March 31, 2006	August 1, 2015	August 1, 2015
7 of 7	Model 41CHL	Model 410 <i>i</i>	March 31, 2006	August 1, 2015	August 1, 2015

If there are any questions or additional information is required, contact us at (866) 282-0430 toll free (508) 520-0430 international or at [info.eid@thermo.com](mailto:info.eid@thermo.com).

Sincerely,  
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\* The availability of specific parts , e.g. , printed circuit boards is subject to component availability in the marketplace. Please be assured that our procurement team will do its utmost to maintain complete parts availability through July 2015.