

Press Release

IR Microsystems focuses its activities on low-cost gas detection using tunable laser diodes.

LAUSANNE, Switzerland – September 27th, 2006. [®]IR Microsystems is going to focus its activities entirely on its [®]microLGD Laser Gas Detection products using its innovative and proprietary Tunable Diode Laser Spectrometry (TDLS) technology. Due to logistic and company resource reasons the small-series production and small-series world-wide sales of the [®]microRAY and LVF Spectrometer products is discontinued with immediate effect.

The discontinued offering concerns the following products:

- i. *microRAY64* Board and Evaluation Kit (all window types)
- ii. LVF Spectrometry Modules and Evaluation Kits (all filter types)
- iii. RS232 Interface Board

Further orders may be accepted on the basis of several hundred units per year and will be discussed on a case-to-case basis. IR Microsystems is currently seeking a buyer for the activity related to these products and will keep you informed on any further developments.

IR Microsystems realizes that customers will need to evaluate their future options in order to meet their business objectives, and is committed to providing continued support.

If you have any questions about either this change in product availability, or if you are interested in the microray/LVF spectrometer business transfer, please contact IR Microsystems at +41 21 693 8530 or at sales@ir-microsystems.com.

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About IR Microsystems

IR Microsystems designs, manufactures and commercializes low-cost gas monitors for industrial safety, selected process control and consumer applications. IR Microsystems' "Next Generation Gas Detection" products are based on state-of-the-art tunable laser diodes and offer exceptional advantages compared to current technologies.

The Lausanne, Switzerland, based company establishes close relationships with OEM market leaders for product commercialization in diverse industry sectors like safety, transportation, medical technology and many others. IR Microsystems' *microLGD* is a stand-alone system or OEM sub-mount for continued monitoring of gases like NH₃, O₂, CO₂, CH₄, H₂O, and others. The combination of Tunable Diode Laser Spectrometry (TDLS), with IR Microsystems' innovative, patented measurement principle for reference channel-free instruments, results in a unique product that is set to change the landscape of the gas sensor market.

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