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Newsletter

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Dear customer,

In our third newsletter you will learn more about our recent Ames MPF PENTA-I kit, in particular **interesting data on the effectiveness of the *E.coli* strains used in the kit**. Also, we present new large kits of LDH and XTT within our cytotoxicity line, for cost-efficient testing of high sample throughput.

Besides Florence there will be various opportunities to meet us at upcoming congresses on toxicology during August and September. We would be happy to welcome you at our booth at one of these events and inform you on our latest products.

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Novel Ames MPF *E.coli* Combo Assay

Xenometrix will present a poster at the 10th International Conference on Environmental Mutagens (ICEM) in Florence, Italy. The poster introduces the new Ames MPF PENTA I with focus on the two *E.coli* strains WP2 *uvrA* and WP2[pKM101]. The two strains were exposed separately and as a mixture (Combo) to 13 reference compounds, including streptonigrin, mitomycin C, aldehydes, oxidizing agents and hydrazines. The results show clearly that the two *E.coli* cultures have different sensitivities towards different mutagens and that the mixture detects a broader range of mutagenic compounds than any of the single strains alone.

Xenometrix offers the Ames MPF™ *E.coli* Combo assay in a kit format.

Get a color copy of the poster at our booth No. 2 at the ICEM! The poster may be downloaded from our homepage after the congress.

▶ [more information about Ames MPF™ *E.coli* Combo?](#)



New Large Cytotoxicity kit sizes

Xenometrix is introducing larger and more economic kits for 2400 determinations of Lactate Dehydrogenase (LDH, membrane integrity) and of XTT (mitochondrial activity). The ready to use kits include all reagents necessary to perform the assays and a comprehensive instruction manual.

- **LDH 2400 test Art.No. KLE 96.2400 Price: EUR 570.00**

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- **XTT 2400 test Art.No. KXT 96.2400 Price: EUR 390.00**

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▶ I am interested in **bulk chemicals** for cytotoxicity assays, please send me an offer



Congresses

We are looking forward to welcome you at our stand at the following events:

10th International Conference on Environmental Mutagens
(ICEM), Palazzo dei Congressi, Florence, Italy, August 20–25, 2009.
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ISTA 14, 14th International Symposium on Toxicity Assessment,
August 29 – September 4, 2009, Metz, France.
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Eurotox, Dresden, Germany, 13. - 16. September 2009.
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What's up beside business

The Fondation Beyeler in Riehen near Basel exhibits one of the most influential sculptors and artists of the 20th century: **Alberto Giacometti**. The exhibition shows about 150 major works from every phase of the oeuvre and is a highlight in the European art agenda

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