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## Kimble Chase Expands Scientific Vials Product Portfolio

Over 100 new items from largest manufacturer of laboratory glassware products in the world

Kimble Chase, the largest manufacturer of laboratory glassware products worldwide, has added more than one hundred vials, septa, and closures to its scientific and packaging vial portfolio. Kimble Chase offers the most comprehensive product portfolio available for the Life Science and Chemistry market.

New items include chromatography and sample storage vials in various styles (flat/conical bottom, threaded, etc.). Other useful features include attached closures and printed volume measurement lines for high recovery and security. New closures, with multiple cap and liner combinations, are available in a variety of materials with a wide range of chemical/temperature resistance properties.

Also available are various value-added services such as: custom vials manufactured in clear KIMAX<sup>®</sup> KG-33 or amber 203 borosilicate glass to customers' exact specifications, bar-coding, and tare weighing with supporting documentation. Laser etched barcodes for permanent sample IDs (PSID) are available in ceramic paint or adhesive labels with a range of symbologies which include codes 39, 128, I 2 of 5 and 2D data matrix.

The majority of Kimble Chase's new and existing vials are manufactured in ISO-9001 complaint facilities in the USA. Because all glass items from the company are crafted initially from sand, product quality is monitored from raw material through finished product with full traceability. Kimble Chase vials are available worldwide from multiple distribution facilities located in the US, Europe and Asia. Sales teams are located in North America, Latin America, Europe, the Middle East, Africa and Asia. For more information, contact Kimble Chase toll free in the US and Canada at 1-888-546-2531. International customers can call 1-856-692-8500, or visit the website: www.kimble-chase.com.

## About Kimble Chase, LLC:

Kimble Chase Life Science and Research Products was formed in July 2007, as a result of a joint venture formed from specific operations of Thermo Fisher Scientific and Gerresheimer Glass, Inc. The company is dedicated to the design, manufacture and distribution of a full range of reusable, disposable and specialty glassware for pharmaceutical, chromatography, environmental, petrochemical, life science, government, and academic laboratories.