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To Valued Customers

Change Notice: Simplified Product Numbering for Analytical Prepacked Columns

Thank you for choosing YMC products. We would like to inform you about an upcoming change to the **product numbering** of our **analytical prepacked columns**. This change is **purely administrative** and will not affect product quality or performance.

If you have any questions or require technical assistance, please contact your local YMC representative.

Important: This is only a change in the product number! Product quality, technical specifications, and performance remain unchanged.

1. What is changing?

From **January 1, 2026**, most analytical column product numbers will be updated:

The **last two or three characters** will be replaced with **“WT”**. This applies to **stainless-steel analytical columns (ID ≤ 8 mm)**.

Examples:

- TA12SP9-10Q1PT → TA12SP9-10Q1WT
- DL12S02-1546PTH → DL12S02-1546WT

2. Which products are not affected?

This change does **not** apply to columns that use **special hardware types**, such as:

- YMC Accura-type bioinert coated columns
- Metal-free PEEK-lined columns
- PEEK columns (polymer based)
- Guard columns or guard cartridges
- MicroLC and NanoLC columns.

These will retain their current product codes.

3. When will the change take effect?

For all orders **received on or after January 1, 2026**.

4. Additional information: appearance update

To harmonize our hardware designs and ensure a stable product supply, some products may show visual differences (e.g. ferrules, end fittings, labels).

Please note: These are hardware changes only and do not affect performance or specifications.

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5. Comparability with previous hardware / You would like to compare old and new hardware design?

If you would like to compare the new design with the previous version, please contact your local YMC representative or visit our website.

We thank you for your continued trust in YMC. We remain committed to supporting your analytical needs with reliable, high-quality products.

Sincerely,



General Manager, Quality Assurance