

CUSTOMER NOTIFICATION: PACKAGING IMPROVEMENT

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Shipment packaging improvement

Starting in January 2017, nanotools will implement the following changes on the shipment packaging of AFM probes:

Change from blue cardboard tray boxes with one inlay for gel-boxes to blue cardboard telescope boxes with three inlays for gel-boxes

This will be implemented on a rolling basis, existing inventory will be depleted before switching. There are no changes to the products, packaging size and material or manufacturing location.

Why are we changing packaging? The new packaging allows for shipment of up to three gel-boxes within one single telescope box. This effectively helps to

- | Minimize material waste
- | Reduce transportation emissions
- | Reduce shipping costs for bulk orders

nanotools new telescope box is

- | 100% biodegradable
- | Tested and approved according to ISO 2248 - Vertical impact test by dropping
- | Made in Germany