

for high-throughput contract laboratories, and for labs dealing with challenging sample matrices in fields such as food, environmental, chemical, pharma and forensics testing.

“We began this innovation journey by listening carefully to our customers around the world,” said Shanya Kane, Agilent vice president and general manager of the company’s Gas Chromatography Division. “The Agilent Intuvo 9000 GC system is so intelligent it will make lab technicians feel like GC experts. Lab managers will appreciate the boost in productivity, and business owners will enjoy improved financial outcomes.”

More info: www.agilent.com

Platinum Press Adds New GluePac Outsert Bundling System

Platinum Press, Inc. has enhanced its capabilities with the installation of a new GluePac outsert bundling system from equipment manufacturer G&K-Vijuk. The modular system can feed, stack and glue twinsets and multiserts, turning multiple outserts into a single component for dissemination of instructions to patients, pharmacists, or medical professionals.

The recent installation is part of a larger, ongoing expansion at the company’s 47,000-sq.-ft. manufacturing facility in Oakland, NJ.

The GluePac system is composed of a conveyor, two- to four- PA15 folded-leaflet feeders (expandable and configurable to requirements), a gluing unit, and vertical delivery. The servo-driven PA15 feeders are mounted perpendicularly to the conveyor and synchronized to precisely advance, rotate (90°), and feed outserts in proper order and orientation for bundling. An optional camera system is available for OCR/Pattern matching and bar code reading at the feeding point of each PA15, ensuring correct composition of the sets.

More info: www.platinumpress.com

Reed-Lane Adds Sixth Bottling Line for Solid Dose RX and OTC

Reed-Lane, a NJ-based contract packaging provider for pharmaceutical manufacturers, has installed its sixth bottling line for solid dose RX and OTC products. The new installation expands the company’s pack-



aging capabilities and overall capacity, and is intended for the packaging of larger fill levels at smaller overall product volumes.

The new line consists of the following modules:

- Bottle unscrambler that cleans and orients bottles
- Slat filler that can process tablets, capsules and liquid-gels for a wide range of bottle sizes and fill levels
- Metal detector
- Capper for both CR and CT closures
- Induction sealer
- Re-torquer
- Labeler that can apply 1-ply, 2-ply or booklet-style labels with a printer and vision system
- Topsert feeder

The new line also can be outfitted to place sachet desiccants, canister desiccants, and cotton or rayon in bottles. The line can also incorporate tamper-evident seals to capped bottles and/or bundles of bottles.

“Reed-Lane is committed to regularly upgrading and enhancing both our overall capacity and service portfolio, stemming from our core set of competencies,” said Patricia Elvin, president of Reed-Lane. “In our current period of growth, incorporating new equipment on an ongoing basis is a key component to meeting and surpassing our customers’ needs.”

More info: www.ReedLane.com

MilliporeSigma Launches Viresolve Pro Shield H

MilliporeSigma has launched the Viresolve Pro Shield H for removal of parvoviruses from therapeutic protein feed streams. The Viresolve Pro Shield H is designed for use as a prefilter with Viresolve Pro Devices for more robust, cost-economic viral clearance.

According to the company, Viresolve Pro Shield H removes protein aggregates and impurities that foul virus filters in high