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Downloading and Importing Bead Lot Files for Attune™ Performance Tracking Beads into the Applied Biosystems™ Attune™ Acoustic Focusing Cytometer

Each lot of Attune™ Performance Tracking beads has an associated bead lot file that can be downloaded from this website and then imported into the Attune™ software version 1.2.5 or later. The available bead lot files can be downloaded from the Attune™ Performance Tracking Beads (Cat. 4449754) web page located within the Thermo Fisher website:

https://www.thermofisher.com/order/catalog/product/4449754

To download and install the correct file, please follow the steps below:

For the Attune™ Acoustic Focusing Cytometer, please follow the instructions as listed in the Attune™ user manual on page 54. Please note that the website address and location of the bead lot file have changed if you have a printed manual.

1. Visit the Attune™ Performance Tracking Beads (Cat. 4449754) web page located within the Thermo Fisher website.

2. Under the Documents section of the webpage, download and save the bead lot file that matches the beads you will be using for baseline and Performance Test.

    NOTE: The bead lot number is the first six digits printed on the label (disregard the alpha numeric characters; example: lot **2029773**A).

    NOTE: download the file for the Attune Acoustic Focusing Cytometer (not the Attune™ NxT Acoustic Focusing Cytometer). The Bead lot data file is a *.csv formatted file

3. On your Attune™ Acoustic Focusing Cytometer computer, save the bead lot file to any location.

4. In the Attune™ cytometric software under performance test, click Get New Lot # to navigate to and select the bead lot file. It will automatically populate the drop-down list and copy to the correct final destination.

5. Go to the Performance Test Module.

6. Re-run baseline and performance test using the new bead lot file.

    For other questions or concerns, please contact your local technical support team.