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The first Volume of the LIMS workbook was initially published in October of 1991, as a practical how-to guide to implementing a LIMS. It has received much praise for providing clear and unbiased information to LIMS users.

Volume I includes an introduction to LIMS technology, Standard LIMS Functions and Structures, Advanced LIMS Functions, and Implementing LIMS in your Lab, along with several appendices of forms, acronyms, and glossary. Each topic is covered in detail and gives sources for the tools and techniques involved.

One of the more useful features of Volume I was the directory of LIMS Vendors. With Volume II the LIMS Vendor information has been expanded to cover a great deal of product specific information. Vendors provide information on their products in the form of formal descriptions, reprints of publications, and other technical data on an ongoing basis. We index every word of the Vendor literature (along with the contents of Volume I) and provide it on disk with full text search software.

Each Vendor may submit an unlimited amount of information because it is so easy to digest with the search software. We expect that the Volume II library of data will not just be updated quarterly but grow considerably to become the definitive compilation of commercially available product data.

The 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition of ***LIMS - A Practical Guide*** is revised with up to date references and contact details including website URL addresses. This volume is expanded with current wireless connectivity issues and reference, along with guidelines on GLP, cGMP, and 21 CFR Part 11 for Electronic Records; Electronic Signatures.

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