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### **MALDI-Link™ in the BIOMIC® V3 Microbiology System**

MALDI-Link™ is a direct interface between Maldi Biotyper (Bruker, Germany) and BIOMIC V3 (Giles Scientific, USA). Organism identification results are transferred automatically from Maldi Biotyper to BIOMIC V3 to complete antibiotic susceptibility testing. This eliminates manual transcription errors and additional LIS/LIMS interfacing to provide an automated ID-AST solution for the microbiology lab.

BIOMIC V3's digital imaging automates the reading, interpretation, and reporting of EUCAST, CLSI and BSAC antibiotic disk diffusion tests, Etests® (bioMerieux), MIC Test Strips (Liofilchem®), 96-well microtiter\* plates, and identification panels including API® (bioMerieux), RapID™ (Remel), BBL™ Crystal™ (BD), Liofilchem® ID Systems and chromogenic agar plates. Bar code entry and a 2-Way LIS/LIMS interface further speeds lab workflow.

#### **About Giles Scientific Inc:**

Giles Scientific has served clinical, environmental, pharmaceutical and veterinary microbiology laboratories since 1984. The Company develops, manufactures, sells and supports our customers with our color digital imaging equipment in 75 countries.

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\*96-Well Microtiter - Note in USA: For Research Use Only. Not for use in diagnostic procedures.