Achema 2009 (29th International Exhibition Congress in Chemical Engineering, Environmental Protection and Biotechnology) was held in Frankfurt, Germany from May 11th to 15th, 2009. The Achema show is held every 3 years to present the latest products and technologies from the chemical engineering, biotechnology, and environmental protection fields. Throughout the 5-day show, 173,000 people from all over the world visited and about 3,800 companies exhibited products. Despite the current global economic slowdown, the size of the show was unchanged from the previous show held in 2006.

A&D Instruments, Ltd., our UK subsidiary and EU representative, participated in the show as an exhibitor and displayed our new Pipette Accuracy Testers and FZ-i Precision Balances. These products were displayed along the walkway and drew the most interest from visitors, along with demonstrations of the AD-4212A/B Precision Weighing Sensors, which have a response speed of 0.8 seconds. Demonstrations of the Pipette Accuracy Testers were also well received, particularly the testers’ fast response speed, which improves work efficiency and thereby cuts costs. On the corner of the stand, four units of FZ-i Precision Balances with internal masses were displayed, along with the FX-iWP IP-65 Dust & Water-Proof Balance in a fish tank. As you can see in the photo, the fish tank demo with the shower and lighting was outstanding and succeeded in attracting visitors. We are pleased to say that we are increasing the number of our interesting
models. These include pipette accuracy testers, viscometers, moisture analyzers, and dust and waterproof balances, which are more than simple balances.

Congratulations to all the staff at A&D Instruments, Ltd. on the successful show!