

# Storage and Transport Conditions

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## Definition of Storage and Transport Conditions for our Life Science product portfolio

### 1. Definition and realization of storage conditions

In general, recommended storage conditions are based upon our knowledge, long-term experience, and demonstrated stability characteristics of the finished product. Referring to our M-Clarity™ program, stability information may be available for the quality levels MQ500 and MQ600.

Items requiring special storage conditions are stored according to the requirements indicated on the product-specific website or on the product label<sup>1</sup>. According to ISO 9001 Quality management systems, storage conditions are defined in a manner to ensure quality of the product. As described by our internal policies, warehouse storage conditions may be monitored and/or controlled, as appropriate. Policies are available for review during on-site audits.

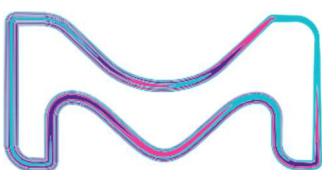
### 2. Definition of transport conditions

Transport conditions might differ from long-term storage conditions and therefore can be considered as short-term deviation from storage conditions. During shipment, there may be short-term exposure to conditions other than those recommended for long-term storage.

If the internal assessment and/or long-term experience with the product shows no significant risk on product quality or stability, no specific transport requirements are applied which means the product is shipped under neither temperature-controlled nor temperature-monitored conditions. If required by regulation and/or deemed necessary by internal assessment or long-term experience with the product, specific transport conditions will be applied to the respective products.

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<sup>1</sup> In case a product can be stored without restrictions, no temperature range for storage will be displayed on the label.



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