

3M™ Clean-Trace™ Hygiene Monitoring and Management System. Storage Conditions for ATP and Protein Swabs.

This document describes storage conditions for ATP and Protein Swabs. Please refer to the specific product instructions for additional information and detailed instruction for the application of these products.

Table 1. Storage conditions of ATP Swabs

Swab	Product	Shelf life under refrigeration 2-8°C	Shelf life at ambient temperature 21°C
3M™ Clean-Trace™ Surface ATP	UXL100	10 months	28 days ^a
3M™ Clean-Trace™ Water Plus ATP	AQT200	12 months	60 days ^a
3M™ Clean-Trace™ Water-Free ATP	AQF100	12 months	No data available

^aIf UXL100 or AQT200 swabs are stored at ambient temperature (21°C), swabs should be used within the stipulated time for ambient storage. Performance of the products after this time, even if returned to refrigeration, may be compromised.

Table 2. Storage conditions of Protein Swabs

Swab ^a	Product	Shelf life at 2-25°C
3M™ Clean-Trace™ Surface Protein (Allergen) Test	ALLTEC60	18 months
3M™ Clean-Trace™ Surface Protein Plus Test	PRO100	18 months
3M™ Clean-Trace™ Surface Protein High Sensitivity Test	MPRO050	18 months

^aProtein swabs should not be stored close to stored food or food ingredients. Volatile and aromatic compounds in foods may interact with swab components, which may result in an inaccurate result when reading the result of the protein swab. Common examples of food ingredients that may interfere include white mustard, garden cress, wasabi, daikon, yellow mustard, broccoli, cauliflower, bok choy or kale, among others.

Contact your 3M Food Safety representative if you have any additional questions.