

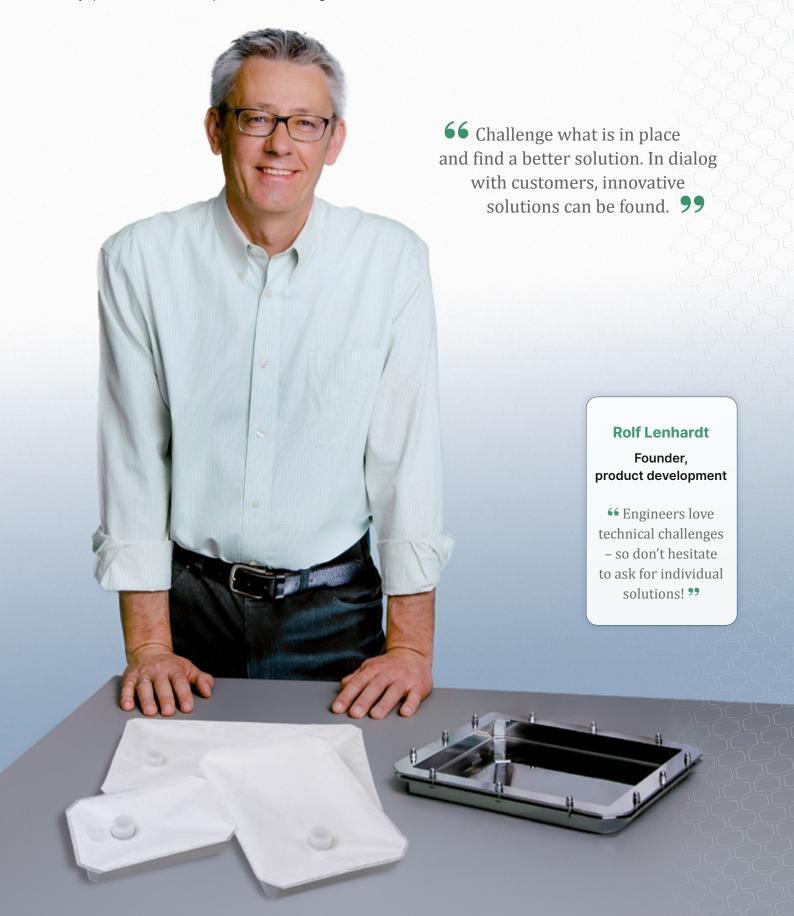
# Lyoprotect®

The key to safe lyophilization

## **Product Catalog**



T eclen® GmbH is a fully privately held company, founded by Rolf Lenhardt in 2017 with a unique vision: to design and manufacture containers for the lyophilization of active pharmaceutical ingredients (API).



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## Our key to safe lyophilization – the Lyoprotect<sup>®</sup> Membrane

The Lyoprotect® Membrane is a high-performance, bacteria-retentive membrane that ensures safe lyophilization by protecting both the product and personnel. It acts as a sterile barrier, preventing cross-contamination and fly-out, while allowing vapor to pass through freely.

Freeze-drying process parameters established with open containers can be directly applied – confirmed by test results with comparable drying performance.

#### **Material & Structure**

- » ePTFE (expanded polytetrafluoroethylene) laminated on non-woven PP
- » Naturally hydrophobic, chemically inert, and resistant
- » Product-contact side: ePTFE; PP backing faces outward

#### **Function & Performance**

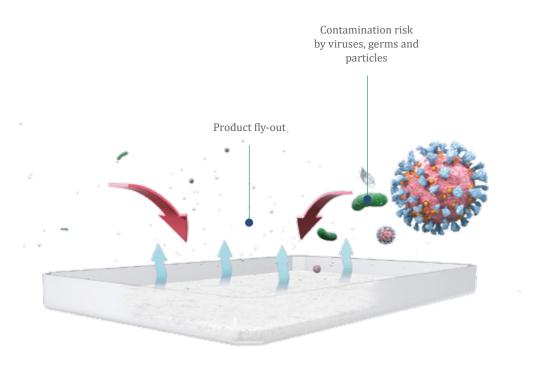
- » Bacteria-retentive and vapor-permeable
- » Microbial barrier validated to ASTM F1608 (LRV ≥ 6)
- » High sublimation rate with negligible influence on the drying cycle
- » No contamination, no loss of product
- » Proven equivalence to open containers
- » Available non-sterile, ready-to-sterilize and sterilized
- » Autoclavable

66 Our vision is to enable you to concentrate on API or formulation development while ensuring a more secure lyophilization cycle. 99

#### **Application**

## **Bulk API production**

- Our Lyoprotect® System will help you to produce safely and easily. Freeze-drying in an open container entails a few risks:
- » Fluffy dry powder flies out and generates product loss.
- » Risk of contamination of your product with particles or airborne germs.
- » When freeze-drying in open containers, your staff is under high risk to get contaminated with the API please check your occupational exposure limit (OEL) for your specific API product.
- Cleaning validation for your freeze dryer is required to handle different batches and to prevent cross contamination between different API products.

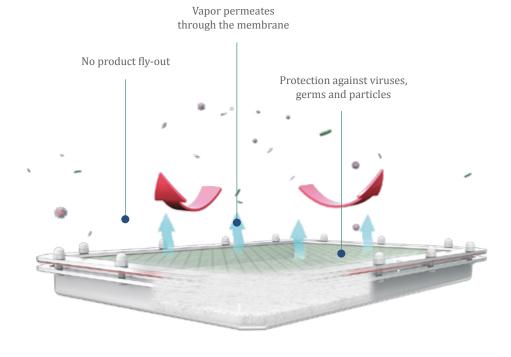


Problems with conventional methods

As each process is unique, we offer solutions for multiple use as well as single use. Very versatile and sustainable are our multiple-use stainless steel containers, which are available in several sizes and can even be customized in order to suit your freeze-drying shelf dimension and process.

If you wish to avoid the cleaning effort, our single-use trays can be the best choice. They are available as open tray in a bag solution or as closed trays with filler assembly.

All our products prevent fly-out and cross-contamination in your freeze dryer. The membrane acts as a sterile barrier and ensures optimum protection of your staff and product.



The Teclen® Lyoprotect® Solution

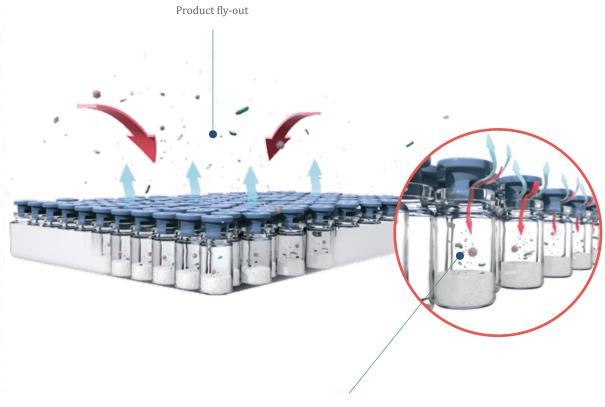
#### **Application**

## Freeze-drying in vials

During regular freeze-drying in vials, you still have the implication of product loss and fly-out. In addition, your staff and product are under contamination risk. Further, aseptic development and/or manufacturing for clinical studies is difficult and expensive to achieve.

Our Lyoprotect® System will help you to produce safely and easily. Just place the vials into a tray and the tray into a Lyoprotect® Bag.

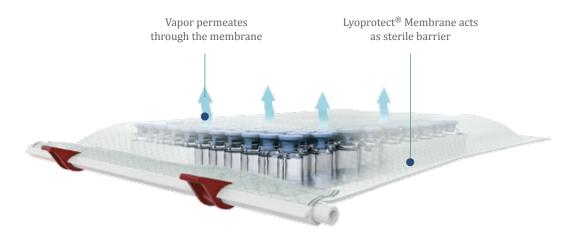
A tray (or frame) is used to accommodate the filled vials. Lyoprotect® Open Stainless Steel Trays OTS include a movable separation sheet that lets you adjust the usable area to suit different vial sizes and numbers. The vials are preferably arranged in a hexagonal or square layout, and the stoppers are in the drying position. The bag is closed and secured with the closing stick or via an integrated heat-sealing strip.



Contamination risk by airborne germs and particles

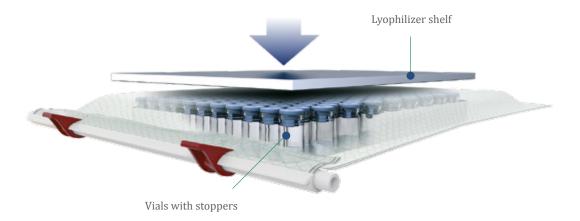
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If aseptic criteria must be met, filling of vials, placement and closure of the bag needs to take place under a laminar flow/working bench – or even better, in an isolator or oRABS (check with your local authorities). And all required accessories (vials, stoppers, bag, closing stick etc.) need to be sterile.



But as soon as the bag is closed, you can move your assembly to any freeze dryer in your facility. Your product will be safe – the Lyoprotect® Membrane acts as a sterile barrier.

When the drying process is finished, the vials can be securely closed with the stoppers. This step is performed under high vacuum within the freeze dryer by lowering the shelves. The flexible materials of the Lyoprotect Bag easily follow the movements and mechanical loads when the stoppers are pushed in. If decontamination of the outside of the vials is needed (e. g.  $H_2O_2$ ), this can be done with the bag still in place. After decontamination you can remove the closed vials for crimping.



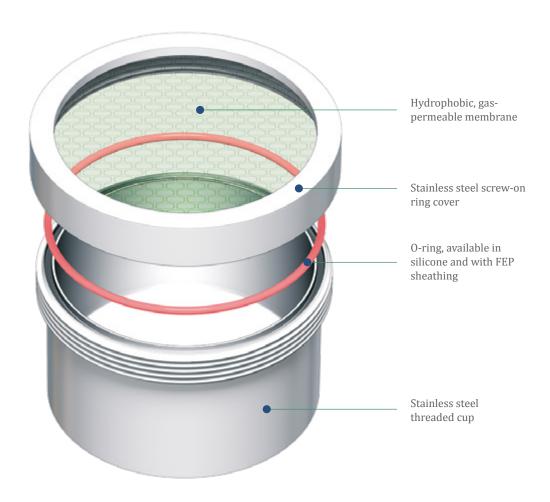
The Teclen® Lyoprotect® Solution



## **Multiple-use Cups**

Teclen® Lyoprotect® Cups are designed for freeze-drying of pharmaceutical APIs (Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients). They are available in durable stainless steel (non-sensitive to shock and scratching, polished surface).

Stainless steel cups allow multiple use after cleaning. All components, including the Lyoprotect® Membrane, can be sterilized in an autoclave at up to 121°C (250°F) for 20 minutes. APIs can be produced aseptically in compliance with GMP.



## **Stainless Steel Cups**

ach cup requires the Lyoprotect® Membrane and an o-ring to function properly as a barrier during lyophilization. Available in two sizes, for volumes from 10–150 ml.

#### **Features**

- » multiple-use
- with screw-on ring cover
- » roughness: Ra < 0.4 µm
- » with inspection certificate 3.1
- » consecutive serial number
- » polished surface

#### Stainless Steel Cups, multiple-use

Product name	Article no.	Material	Volume	Dimensions	
Lyoprotect® Stainless Steel     Cup VXS, polished	LPMU-VXS-BSmod	Stainless steel 1.4404 (316L)	10-50 ml	Diameter: Ring cover: Height:	52 mm 58 mm 34 mm
2 Lyoprotect® Stainless Steel Cup VS, polished	LPMU-VS-BS	Stainless steel 1.4404 (316L)	30-150 ml	Diameter: Ring cover: Height:	93 mm 100 mm 34 mm

Minimum order: 2 pcs

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Membrane for Cup, single-use						
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit		
Lyoprotect® Membrane for Cup VXS ①	LPMU-VXS-M	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing	Ø 56 mm	10 pcs		
Lyoprotect® Membrane for Cup VS 2	LPMU-VS-M	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing	Ø 97 mm	10 pcs		

O-ring for Cup, multiple-use							
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit			
Silicone o-ring VXS 1	LPMU-VXS-OR	Silicone, 70 Shore A	Ø 50 x 1.5 mm	2 or 5 pcs			
Silicone o-ring VS 2	LPMU-VS-OR	Silicone, 70 Shore A	Ø 90 x 1.5 mm	2 or 5 pcs			

O-ring FEP sheated for Cup, multiple-use						
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit		
O-ring VXS, FEP sheathed 1	LPMU-VXS-ORFEP	Silicone o-ring with FEP sheathing, 70 Shore A	Ø 50 x 1.5 mm	2 or 5 pcs		
O-ring VS, FEP sheathed 2	LPMU-VS-ORFEP	Silicone o-ring with FEP sheathing, 70 Shore A	Ø 90 x 1.5 mm	2 or 5 pcs		

<sup>•</sup> Fits with LPMU-VXS-BSmod

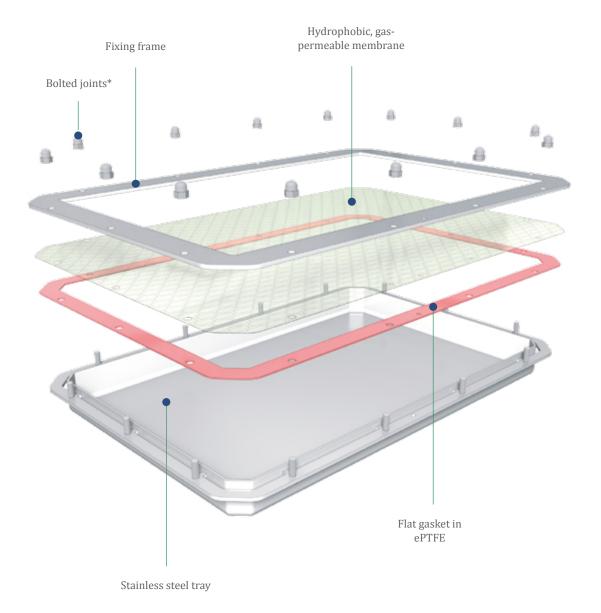
<sup>2</sup> Fits with LPMU-VS-BS



## **Multiple-use Trays**

Teclen® Lyoprotect® Trays are specifically designed for freeze-drying pharmaceutical APIs (Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients). Each tray requires the Lyoprotect® Membrane and Gasket to function properly as a barrier during lyophilization.

Lyoprotect® Stainless Steel Trays, Membranes and Gaskets can be sterilized in an autoclave at up to 121°C (250°F) for 20 minutes.



<sup>\*</sup> Bolted joints or knurled nuts (quick-fix), depending on model

## **Stainless Steel Trays**

#### **Features**

- » multiple-use
- with fixing frame and bolted joints
- » roughness: Ra < 0.4 µm
- » with inspection certificate 3.1
- » consecutive serial number
- » polished surface

uality made in Germany. Lyoprotect<sup>®</sup> Stainless Steel Trays are very robust, they don't warp and seat solidly on the footprint of your freeze-dryer – important assets for heat transfer rate and freeze-drying results. Thanks to the high-quality material, cleaning is easy. The serial number engraved on the frame of each tray facilitates the documentation e.g. of the filled-in substances.



## Stainless Steel Trays, multiple-use

Product name	Article no.	Material	Volume	Dimensions	
Lyoprotect® Stainless Steel     Tray V1622B	LPMU-V1622B-WS	Stainless steel 1.4404 (316L)	100-500 ml	Width: Length: Height:	155 mm 224 mm 43 mm
2 Lyoprotect® Stainless Steel Tray V2740B	LPMU-V2740B-WS	Stainless steel 1.4404 (316L)	400-2100 ml	Width: Length: Height:	270 mm 400 mm 43 mm
				Minimum o	order: 2 pc
3 Lyoprotect® Stainless Steel	LPMU-Vxxxx-WS	Stainless steel	up to	Width: m	nax. 500 mm

Tray (customizable size)

1.4404 (316L) 6000 ml Length: max. 700 mm
Height: max. 53 mm

Minimum order: 6 pc

#### This product requires the following components:









Tray

Gasket

Membrane

Membrane with filler

Gasket for Tray, multiple-use						
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit		
Lyoprotect® Gasket for Stainless Steel Tray V1622B 1	LPMU-V1622B-FD	ePTFE	160 x 220 x 1 mm	2 or 5 pcs		
Lyoprotect® Gasket for Stainless Steel Tray V2740B 2	LPMU-V2740B-FD	ePTFE	270 x 400 x 1 mm	2 or 5 pcs		
Lyoprotect® Gasket for Stainless Steel Tray (customizable size) 3	LPMU-Vxxxx-FD	ePTFE	Custom	2 or 5 pcs		

Membrane for Tray, single-use						
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit		
Lyoprotect® Membrane for Stainless Steel Tray V1622B ①	LPMU-V1622B-M	ePTFE on PP non- woven backing	160 x 220 mm	10 pcs		
Lyoprotect® Membrane for Stainless Steel Tray V2740B ②	LPMU-V2740B-M	ePTFE on PP non- woven backing	270 x 400 mm	10 pcs		
Lyoprotect® Membrane for Stainless Steel Tray (customizable size) 3	LPMU-Vxxxx-M	ePTFE on PP non- woven backing	Custom	10 pcs		

Membrane with Filler Assembly for Tray, single-use						
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit		
Lyoprotect® Membrane with Filler Assembly for Stainless Steel Tray V1622B 1	LPMU-V1622B-MFA	ePTFE membrane on PP non-woven backing; PP filler assembly	160 x 220 mm; filler assembly: Ø 21.5 mm	10 pcs		
Lyoprotect® Membrane with Filler Assembly for Stainless Steel Tray V2740B 2	LPMU-V2740B-MFA	ePTFE membrane on PP non-woven backing; PP filler assembly	270 x 400 mm; filler assembly: Ø 21.5 mm	10 pcs		
Lyoprotect® Membrane with Filler Assembly for Stainless Steel Tray (customizable size) 3	LPMU-Vxxxx-MFA	ePTFE membrane on PP non-woven backing; PP filler assembly	Custom; filler assembly: Ø 21.5 mm	10 pcs		

- Fits with LPMU-V1622B-WS
- 2 Fits with LPMU-V2740B-WS
- 3 Fits with LPMU-Vxxxx-WS

## **Stainless Steel Trays Quick-Fix**

The latest addition to the Lyoprotect® Stainless Steel Tray line offers the same high-quality features as our other models – with the added benefit of effortless handling. Quick-Fix Trays are designed for fast, tool-free assembly. A specially engineered fixing frame ensures optimal surface pressure using just four knurled nuts. For traceability, the serial number is engraved both on the frame and on the side of each tray.

#### **Features**

- » multiple-use
- with fixing frame and knurled nuts
- » roughness: Ra < 0.4 µm
- » with inspection certificate 3.1
- » consecutive serial number
- » polished surface



#### Stainless Steel Trays Quick-Fix, multiple-use

Product name	Article no.	Material	Volume*	Dimension	ıs	
Lyoprotect® Stainless Steel     Tray Quick-Fix 3030K	LPMU-QF3030K-WS	Stainless steel 1.4404 (316L)	400-2000 ml	Width: Length: Height:	300 300 45	
2 Lyoprotect® Stainless Steel Tray Quick-Fix 3040K	LPMU-QF3040K-WS	Stainless steel 1.4404 (316L)	550-2750 ml	Width: Length: Height:	300 400 45	
				Minimum	order:	2 pc
3 Lyoprotect® Stainless Steel Tray Quick-Fix (customizable size)	LPMU-QFxxxxK-WS	Stainless steel 1.4404 (316L)	Custom	Width: Length: Height:	max. 300 max. 420 max. 55	mm
				Minimum	order:	6 pc

<sup>\*</sup> Filling height 5-25 mm, edge height of tray 30 mm

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Gasket for Tray, multiple-use						
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit		
Lyoprotect® Gasket for Stainless Steel Tray QF3030K ①	LPMU-QF3030K-FD	ePTFE	300 x 300 x 1 mm	2 or 5 pcs		
Lyoprotect® Gasket for Stainless Steel Tray QF3040K 2	LPMU-QF3040K-FD	ePTFE	300 x 400 x 1 mm	2 or 5 pcs		
Lyoprotect® Gasket for Stainless Steel Tray QF (customizable size) 3	LPMU-QFxxxxK-FD	ePTFE	Custom	2 or 5 pcs		

Membrane for Tray, sing	le-use			
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit
Lyoprotect® Membrane for Stainless Steel Tray QF3030K 1	LPMU-QF3030K-M	ePTFE on PP non- woven backing	300 x 300 mm	10 pcs
Lyoprotect® Membrane for Stainless Steel Tray QF3040K 2	LPMU-QF3040K-M	ePTFE on PP non- woven backing	300 x 400 mm	10 pcs
Lyoprotect® Membrane for Stainless Steel Tray QF (customizable size) 3	LPMU-QFxxxxK-M	ePTFE on PP non- woven backing	Custom	10 pcs

Membrane with Filler Assembly for Tray, single-use					
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit	
Lyoprotect® Membrane with Filler Assembly for Stainless Steel Tray QF3030K 1	LPMU-QF3030K-MFA	ePTFE membrane on PP non-woven backing; PP filler assembly	300 x 300 mm; filler assembly: Ø 21.5 mm	10 pcs	
Lyoprotect® Membrane with Filler Assembly for Stainless Steel Tray QF3040K 2	LPMU-QF3040K-MFA	ePTFE membrane on PP non-woven backing; PP filler assembly	300 x 400 mm; filler assembly: Ø 21.5 mm	10 pcs	
Lyoprotect® Membrane with Filler Assembly for Stainless Steel Tray QF (customizable) 3	LPMU-QFxxxxK-MFA	ePTFE membrane on PP non-woven backing; PP filler assembly	Custom; filler assembly: Ø 21.5 mm	10 pcs	

- Fits with LPMU-QF3030K-WS
- 2 Fits with LPMU-QF3040K-WS
- 3 Fits with LPMU-QFxxxxK-WS



## **Single-use Trays**

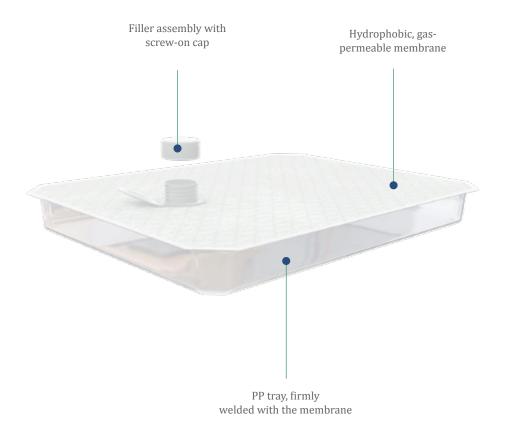
yoprotect® Single-use Trays with Filler Assembly combine simple handling with optimum protection of product and working environment.

The Lyoprotect® Membrane acts as a sterile barrier and ensures zero fly-out. APIs can be produced under sterile conditions in compliance with GMP Annex 1.

Preliminary freezing in a conventional deep freezer is possible. The solid tray bottom facilitates safe transport and handling.

Alternatively, combine an open Tray PP with a Lyoprotect® Bag with Closing Stick or Heat Sealing.

Lyoprotect® Single-use Trays can be sterilized in an autoclave by up to 121°C (250°F) for 20 minutes.



## **Single-use Trays with Filler Assembly**

he Lyoprotect<sup>®</sup> Single-use Trays with Filler Assembly are available in three sizes for filling volumes from 230 ml up to 2,800 ml (filling level 10–25 mm).

#### **Features**

- » single-use
- » easy filling via funnel or tube
- » filler opening:
  Ø 21.5 mm, suitable for tubes with approx.
  D<sub>o</sub> ¾ inch or 20 mm



Trays with Filler Assembly, single-use*					
Product name	Article no.	Material	Volume	Dimensions	
Lyoprotect® Single-use Tray     1522 with Filler Assembly	LPSU- T1522-FA0909	ePTFE membrane, PP tray, PP filler assembly	230-570 ml	150 x 225 x 50 mm incl. cap, edge height of tray 30 mm	
2 Lyoprotect® Single-use Tray 2230 with Filler Assembly	LPSU- T2230-FA0909	ePTFE membrane, PP tray, PP filler assembly	500–1,300 ml	225 x 300 x 50 mm incl. cap, edge height of tray 30 mm	
3 Lyoprotect® Single-use Tray 3045 with Filler Assembly	LPSU- T3045-FA0909	ePTFE membrane, PP tray, PP filler assembly	1,100-2,800 ml	300 x 450 x 50 mm incl. cap, edge height of tray 30 mm	
*Also available 'ready to sterilize' or	'sterilized' upon reque	est.		Minimum order: 10 pcs	

#### **Optional accessories for this product:**







Barrier pouch

#### **Accessories**

Cutting Tool					
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit	
Cutting Tool for Single-use Trays 1 2 3	LP-TCT-BG	Stainless steel 1.4305 (ASTM A314)	Outer: 230 x 340 mm Inner: 210 x 330 mm	10 pcs	



The Lyoprotect® Cutting Tool is designed for cleanly opening Lyoprotect® Single-Use Trays and similar products. It ensures a precise cutting edge without generating particles.

Made of matte-finished, glass bead blasted stainless steel

Barrier Pouch					
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit	
Barrier pouch 230x340 ①	BB2334-PETALPE	composite structure PET/AL/ PE	Outer: 230 x 340 mm Inner: 210 x 330 mm	10 pcs	
Barrier pouch 310x410 2	BB3141-PETALPE	composite structure PET/AL/ PE	Outer: 310 x 410 mm Inner: 290 x 400 mm	10 pcs	
Barrier pouch 380x560 3	BB3856-PETALPE	composite structure PET/AL/ PE	Outer: 380 x 560 mm Inner: 360 x 550 mm	10 pcs	

The aluminum barrier pouches are available in three sizes and are tailored to fit the Lyoprotect® Singleuse Trays.

They protect the freeze-dried product from rehydration during storage when kept inside the tray. The open side of the barrier bag is joined with a heat-sealing device after the tray has been inserted into the bag.

- Fits with LPSU-T1522-FA0909
- 2 Fits with LPSU-T2230-FA0909
- 3 Fits with LPSU-T3045-FA0909



## **Open Single-use Trays PP with Bag**

Lyoprotect<sup>®</sup> Single-use Trays are available in three sizes for filling volumes from 230 ml up to 2,800 ml (filling level 10–25 mm).

Combine with Lyoprotect® Bags for Bulk with Heat Sealing or Closing Stick for a closed barrier system.

#### **Features**

- » single-use
- » three sizes
- » combine with Lyoprotect® Bags



Open Trays PP, single-use	е			
Product name	Article no.	Material	Volume	Dimensions
150 x 225 x 30 mm	LPSU-T15223	Polypropylene	230-570 ml	Width: 150 mm Length: 225 mm Height: 30 mm
2 Lyoprotect® Tray PP open 225 x 300 x 30 mm	LPSU-T22303	Polypropylene	500–1,300 ml	Width: 225 mm Length: 300 mm Height: 30 mm
3 Lyoprotect® Tray PP open 300 x 450 x 30 mm	LPSU-T30453	Polypropylene	1,100-2,800 ml	Width: 300 mm Length: 450 mm Height: 30 mm
				Minimum order: 10 pc
Lyoprotect® Tray PP open (customizable size)	LPSU-Txxxxx	Polypropylene	Custom	Custom
				Minimum order: 2 000 no

Minimum order: 3.000 pc



Bag for Tray PP, single-use					
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit	
Lyoprotect® Bag 190 x 270 ①	LPSU-Bag-19-27	ePTFE on PP non- woven backing, PP bottom film	190 x 270 mm	10 pcs	
Lyoprotect® Bag 270 x 340 2	LPSU-Bag-27-34	ePTFE on PP non- woven backing, PP bottom film	270 x 340 mm	10 pcs	
Lyoprotect® Bag 340 x 490 3	LPSU-Bag-34-49	ePTFE on PP non- woven backing, PP bottom film	340 x 490 mm	10 pcs	

Closing Stick for Tray PP, multiple-use					
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit	
Lyoprotect® Closing Stick VS23 1	LPMU-Bag-VS23	HDPE	L profile: 230 mm L stick: 260 mm	2 pcs	
Lyoprotect® Closing Stick VS31 2	LPMU-Bag-VS31	HDPE	L profile: 310 mm L stick: 340 mm	2 pcs	
Lyoprotect® Closing Stick VS38 3	LPMU-Bag-VS38	HDPE	L profile: 380 mm L stick: 410 mm	2 pcs	

Bag with Heat Sealing for Tray PP, single-use				
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit
Lyoprotect® Bag 190 x 270 with Heat Sealing <b>1</b>	LPSU-Bag- 19-27-HS6	ePTFE on PP non- woven backing, PP bottom film	190 x 270 mm + 60 mm heat seal	10 pcs
Lyoprotect® Bag 270 x 340 with Heat Sealing ②	LPSU-Bag- 27-34-HS6	ePTFE on PP non- woven backing, PP bottom film	270 x 340 mm +60 mm heat seal	10 pcs
Lyoprotect® Bag 340 x 490 with Heat Sealing 3	LPSU-Bag- 34-49-HS6	ePTFE on PP non- woven backing, PP bottom film	340 x 490 mm + 60 mm heat seal	10 pcs

- Fits with LPSU-T15223
- 2 Fits with LPSU-T22303
- 3 Fits with LPSU-T30453

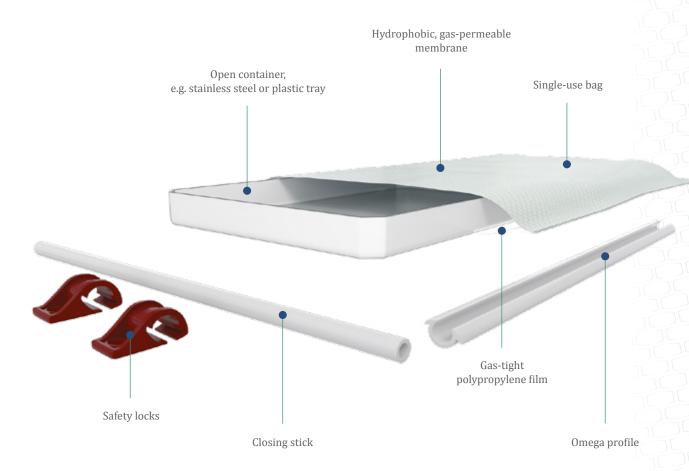


## Single-use Bags for Bulk

afely enclose any open container with a Lyoprotect® Bag for Bulk. The high-performance membrane ensures safe lyophilization without compromising the performance of the cycle.

Opt for a multiple-use closing system or choose a heat-sealing strip for flexible closure.

Lyoprotect® Bags and Closing Sticks can be sterilized in an autoclave at up to 121°C (250°F) for 20 minutes.



## **Bags for Bulk**

The Lyoprotect® Bags for Bulk are a very flexible solution for bulk lyophilization without fly-out or contamination. They are customizable and can be combined with single-use or multiple-use trays.

#### **Features**

- » single-use
- » combine with single-use or multiple-use trays
- » closure with closing stick or heat-sealing strip
- » bespoke sizes
- » optional filler assembly



#### Bag for Bulk with Closing Stick, single-use

Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	
Lyoprotect® Single-use Bag (customizable size)	LPSU-Bag-xx-xx	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing, PP bottom film	Width: max. 660 n Length: max. 900 n Height: 1 n	

Packaging unit: 10 pcs

#### Bag for Bulk with Heat Sealing, single-use

Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensio	ns
2 Lyoprotect® Single-use Bag with Heat Sealing (customizable size)	LPSU-Bag-xx-xx-HS6	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing, PP bottom film and heat-sealing strip	Width: Length: Height: heat-seali 60 mm as	max. 660 mm max. 900 mm 1 mm ng strip length standard

Packaging unit: 10 pcs

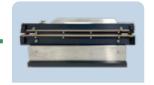
#### This product requires the following components:



Bag Closing Stick



Bag with Heat Sealing



Heat sealer (example)

# Closing Stick, multiple-use Product name Article no. Material Dimensions Packaging unit Closing Stick LPMU-Bag-VSxx HDPE max. 900 mm 2 pcs (customizable size)

Optional Filler Assembly					
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit	
Open Bag for Bulk with Filler Assembly* 1	LPSU-BagFA-xx-xx-O (O= one side open)	PP	Opening: Ø 21.5 mm; suitable for tubes with approx. D <sub>o</sub> <sup>3</sup> ⁄ <sub>4</sub> inch or 20 mm	10 pcs	
Open Bag for Bulk with heat sealing and Filler Assembly* 2	LPSU-BagFA-xx-xx-HS6 (HS= heat-sealing strip on open side)	PP	Opening: Ø 21.5 mm; suitable for tubes with approx. D <sub>o</sub> ¾ inch or 20 mm	10 pcs	

<sup>\*</sup> Height incl. filler assembly: 16 mm



#### **Heat Sealer**

Bags with a PP heat-sealing strip are joined with a heat-sealing device after the corresponding container has been inserted into the bag.

Example image for heat-sealing device (bar sealer)

- Fits with LPSU-Bag-xx-xx
- 2 Fits with LPSU-Bag-xx-xx-HS6

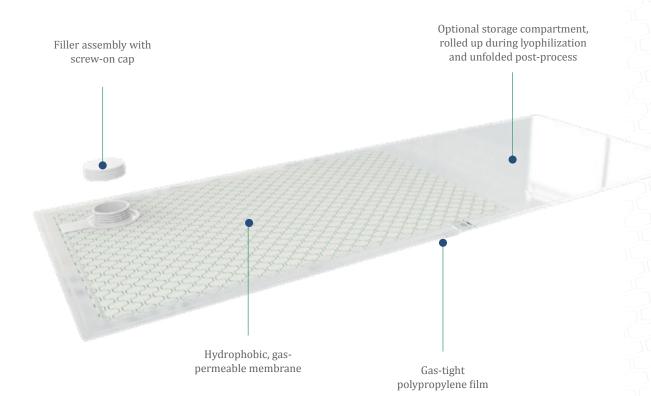


## **Single-use Bags for Direct Fill**

yoprotect<sup>®</sup> Single-use Bags FA for Direct Fill are sealed on all sides and feature an integrated filler assembly on the upper side. They help maintain sterility throughout the process. Use the Bag FA with Storage to transfer the freeze-dried product directly into the designated compartment, and seal it for storage.

The small Bag DF is available in one size and does not include a filler assembly. It is ideal for handling small volumes in formulation and process development.

Lyoprotect® Bags can be sterilized in an autoclave at up to 121°C (250°F) for 20 minutes.



## **Bag FA for Direct Fill**

afely supported by the matching open tray, the Bag FA can be easily filled using a funnel or tube. Depending on the version, the freeze-dried product can either be poured directly into the integrated storage compartment or packed in a separate barrier pouch for storage or shipment.

For more details about handling the Bag FA, please see the datasheet and operating instructions: https://www.teclen.com/en/library/download





- » single-use
- » easy filling via funnel or tube
- » optional storage compartment
- » filler opening Ø 21.5 mm
- » only use with tray support

#### Bag FA with Filler Assembly, single-use

Product name	Article no.	Material	Volume	Dimension	s
Bag FA	LPSU-BagFA-xx-xx	ePTFE on PP non- woven, PP bottom film	ca. 500-4,200 mm	Width: Length: Height:	max. 460 mm max. 900 mm 16 mm
				Packaging	unit: 10 ncs

#### Bag FA with Filler Assembly and Storage Compartment, single-use

Product name	Article no.	Material	Volume	Dimensions
2 Bag FA with Storage	LPSU-BagFA-xx- xx-Sx	ePTFE on PP non- woven, PP bottom film and storage compartment	ca. 500–2,530 mm	Width: max. 460 mm Length: max. 550 mm + storage part (max. 460 x 440 mm) Height: 16 mm
				Packaging unit: 10 pcs

#### This product requires the following components:







Bag FA Storage

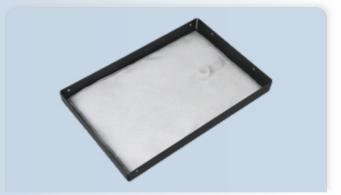


Tray



Barrier pouch (opt.)

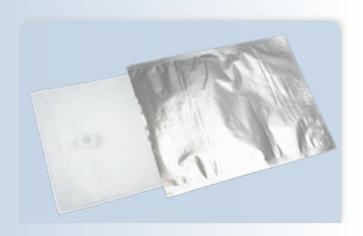
Open Tray, multiple-use					
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Minimum order	
Open Tray Aluminum 1 2	LPMU-AX2740-AL	AlMg 4.5 Mn, black anodized	270 x 400 x 30 mm	2 pcs	
Open Tray Stainless Steel 1	LPMU-OTxxxx-SS	Stainless steel 1.4404 (316L)	Custom	6 pcs	





## **Optional Accessories**

Barrier Pouch				
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit
Barrier pouch 1	BBxxxx-PETALPE	composite structure PET/AL/PE	Custom	10 pcs



- Fits with LPSU-BagFA-xx-xxFits with LPSU-BagFA-xx-xx-Sx

## Lyoprotect® for Bulk

## **Bag DF for Direct Fill**

The small Bag DF, without a filler assembly, is ideal for formulation and process development. It is sealed with a closing stick and can hold volumes up to approximately 350 ml. If the freeze-dried product is to remain inside the bag for storage, it must be placed inside a barrier pouch to prevent rehumidification.

#### **Features**

- » single-use
- » direct fill
- » for small volumes
- » closing stick with omega profile and safety locks



#### **Bag DF for Direct Fill, single-use**

Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	
1 Bag DF	LPSU-BagDF-13-25	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing material, PP bottom film	Width: Length: Thickness:	135 mm 250 mm 1 mm

Packaging unit: 10 pcs



Lyoprotect® Bag DF in use in a laboratory freeze dryer, courtesy of Cilian AG

#### This product requires the following components:







Closing Stick



Barrier pouch (opt.)

Closing Stick, multiple-use				
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit
Closing Stick 1	LPMU-Bag-VS17	HDPE	L profile: 170 mm L stick: 200 mm	2 pcs

## **Optional Accessories**

Barrier Pouch				
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit
Barrier pouch	BBxxxx-PETALPE	composite structure PET/AL/PE	Custom	10 pcs



• Fits with LPSU-BagDF-13-25

## **Single-use Membranes**

The Lyoprotect® Membrane is bacterial retentive, gas- and vapor-permeable and has excellent properties for lyophilization. The thin ePTFE (expanded polytetrafluoroethylene) membrane is laminated on a PP (polypropylene) non-woven backing material for stability. We can customize the Lyoprotect® Membrane to fit your specific requirements, in different sizes and with or without filler assembly.

Lyoprotect® Membranes, including the filler assembly, can be sterilized in an autoclave at up to 121°C (250°F) for 20 minutes.

#### **Features**

- » single-use
- » bespoke sizes for your application
- » optional filler assembly



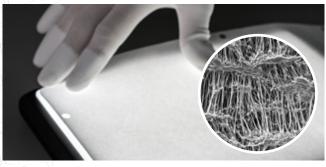


#### **Customized Membrane\***

Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions
Customized Membrane	LPCD-xxxx-M	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing material	Width: max. 600 mm Length: max. 1,000 mm
			Packaging unit: 10 ncs

#### **Customized Membrane with Filler Assembly\***

Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensio	ons
Customized Membrane with Filler Assembly	LPCD-xxxx-MFA	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing material, PP filler assembly	Width: Length: Height:	max. 600 mm max. 1,000 mm 16 mm
*Membranes are also availab	le 'ready to sterilize' or 'sterilize	d' upon request.	suitable 1	ening: Ø 21.5 mm for tubes with $D_0$ 3/4 inch or



Lyoprotect® Membrane with 2000x magnification

Packaging unit: 10 pcs

# Lyoprotect® Product Overview - Bulk

Properties	Cup VXS	Cup VS	Stainless Steel Trav	Ouick-Fix Trav	Open Trav	Single-use Trav	Bag FA	Bag FA-S	Membrane
	stainless steel	stainless steel	1622B	stainless steel	stainless steel*	T1522-FA	er assembly	assembly	w/o filler assembly
			2740B		PP**	T2230-FA			with filler assembly
						T3045-FA	support required	support required	
Material	1.4404 (ANSI 316L)	1.4404 (ANSI 316L)	1.4404 (ANSI 316L)	1.4404 (ANSI 316L)	1.4404 (ANSI 316L) PP	ePTFE + PP	ePTFE + PP	ePTFE + PP	ертғе
Filling volume	10–50 ml	30–150 ml	100–500 ml 400–2,100 ml max. 6,000 ml	400–2,750 ml	*indiv. sizes **see single-use tray	230–570 ml 500–1,300 ml 1,100–2,800 ml	indiv. sizes	indiv. sizes	
Customizable in size			<b>&gt;</b>	<b>\</b>	>	<b>\</b>	>	>	<b>&gt;</b>
Multiple-use product	<b>\</b>	>	>	<b>\</b>	<u> </u>				
Sterilization methods									
Autoclaving	>	>	>	>	<b>\</b>	>	>	>	<b>&gt;</b>
EtO	>	>	>	>	>	>	>	>	<b>\</b>
Handling									
Easy filling	•	•	•	•••	•	•••	•••	•••	(2)
Easy removal	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Robustness	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Functionality									
Sterile barrier	1)	(1	1)	1)	(1	•	•••	•••	•••
Preliminary freezing	•	•	•	•••	•	•	•	•	•
Storage	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Stackable (without rack)	•	•	•	•					
Performance									
Heat transfer shelf/container bottom	:	:	:	:	•	:	:	:	
Fast drying	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Incoming goods inspection									
Endotoxine pre-sterilization						>	>	<b>\</b>	<b>\</b>
Surface roughness	>	>	>	>	<b>&gt;</b>				
FTIR spectrometry						>	>	<b>&gt;</b>	<b>&gt;</b>
Lot release test									
Seam strength/tightness						<b>&gt;</b>	>	>	
Tightness test			>	>		>	>	>	
100 % control for visible particles	> s	>	<b>&gt;</b>	>	<b>\</b>	>	>	>	<b>\</b>
Biocompatibility, food contact, pharmacopeia	pharmacopeia								
Food contact U.S. / EU	>	>	<b>&gt;</b>	>	<b>\</b>	<b>\</b>	>	<b>&gt;</b>	<b>&gt;</b>
TSE/BSE safe	>	>	<b>&gt;</b>	<b>&gt;</b>	<b>\</b>	>	>	<b>\</b>	<b>\</b>
Tests for sub-visible particles (SVP) acc. to USP 788: EP 2.9.19	(VP)					>	`	`	,

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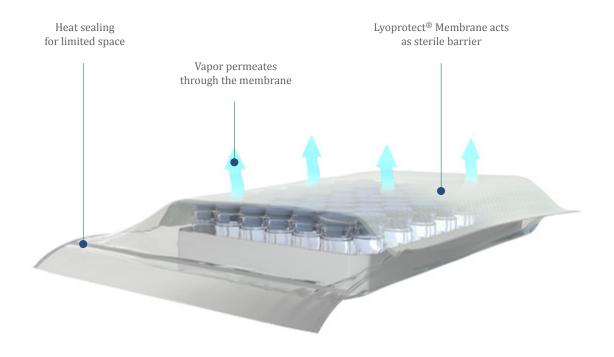


# **Single-use Bags for Vials**

yoprotect® Single-use Bags for Vials are ideal for the lyophilization of sterile parenterals according to EU GMP Annex 1. Thanks to the sterile barrier function of the bag with its membrane upper side, freeze dryers without SIP (Sterilization In Place) can be used for lyophilization.

The Lyoprotect® Bag is a closed system, with the membrane upper side acting as a sterile barrier. After aseptic filling, the vials are placed inside the bag. The bag is then tightly closed, either via the heat-sealing strip or a closing stick. Afterwards, the enclosed vials can safely be moved.

Lyoprotect® Bags can be sterilized in an autoclave at up to 121°C (250°F) for 20 minutes. Bags for Vials are also available as "ready-to-sterilize" and sterilized versions.



# **Bags for Vials with Heat Sealing**

eveloped for sterile lyophilization processes, Lyoprotect® Bags for Vials feature an integrated PP heat-sealing strip for compact, secure closure. The ePTFE membrane upper side is vapor-permeable and acts as a sterile barrier, allowing safe sublimation while preventing contamination and fly-out.

# **Features**

- » single-use
- » 60 mm heat-sealing strip
- » customizable size
- » max. 460 x 900 mm
- » CoA included



# Bag with Heat Sealing, single-use

Pro	oduct name	Article no.	Material	Dimensio	ns
	Non-sterile Bag for Vials h Heat Sealing	LPGN-Bag-xx-xx-HS6	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing material, PP bottom film and heat-sealing PP film at the open side*	Width: Length: Height:	max. 460 mm max. 900 mm 1 mm
	Ready-to-sterilize Bag for als with Heat Sealing	LPGR-Bag-xx-xx-HS6	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing material, PP bottom film and heat-sealing PP film at the open side*	Width: Length: Height:	max. 460 mm max. 900 mm 1 mm
	Sterilized Bag for Vials th Heat Sealing	LPGS-Bag-xx-xx-HS6	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing material, PP bottom film and heat-sealing PP film at the open side*	Width: Length: Height:	max. 460 mm max. 900 mm 1 mm

<sup>\*</sup> Heat-sealing strip length 60 mm as standard

Packaging unit: 10 pcs



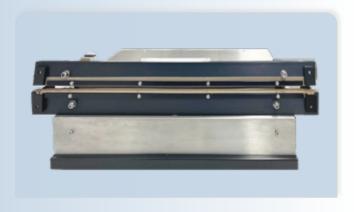
# **Components**

### Open Stainless Steel Tray, slotted, multiple-use **Material Product name** Article no. **Dimensions Packaging unit** Open Stainless Steel Tray LPMU-OTS2230-SS Stainless steel 220 x 300 x 30 mm 2 pcs OTS2230, slotted 1 2 3 1.4404 (316L) Open Stainless Steel Tray, LPMU-OTSxxxx-SS Stainless steel Custom 6 pcs slotted (customizable size) 1.4404 (316L)



A Lyoprotect® Open Stainless Steel Tray OTS2230, slotted, is inserted into a Lyoprotect® Bag for Vials with Heat Sealing (LPGN-Bag-29-36-HS6).

Vials and stoppers shown in the image are not included in the scope of delivery.



# **Heat Sealer**

Bags with a PP heat-sealing strip are joined with a heat-sealing device after the corresponding container has been inserted into the bag.

Example image for heat-sealing device (bar sealer)

- Fits with LPGN-Bag-xx-xx-HS6
- Fits with LPGR-Bag-xx-xx-HS6
- 3 Fits with LPGS-Bag-xx-xx-HS6

# **Bags for Vials with Closing Stick**

Lyoprotect® Bags support sterile lyophilization processes by providing a closed, contamination-proof environment. Bags for Vials are also available with a reusable HDPE closing stick and safety clips, allowing fast and reliable closure. The ePTFE membrane upper side is vapor-permeable and acts as a sterile barrier, allowing safe sublimation while preventing contamination and fly-out.

## **Features**

- » single-use
- with closing stick
- » customizable size
- » max. 460 x 900 mm
- » CoA included



# Bag with Closing Stick, single-use

Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensio	ns
Non-sterile Bag for Vials	LPGN-Bag-xx-xx	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing material, PP bottom film	Width: Length: Height:	max. 460 mm max. 900 mm 1 mm
Ready-to-sterilize Bag for Vials	LPGR-Bag-xx-xx	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing material, PP bottom film	Width: Length: Height:	max. 460 mm max. 900 mm 1 mm
3 Sterilized Bag for Vials	LPGS-Bag-xx-xx	ePTFE on PP non-woven backing material, PP bottom film	Width: Length: Height:	max. 460 mm max. 900 mm 1 mm

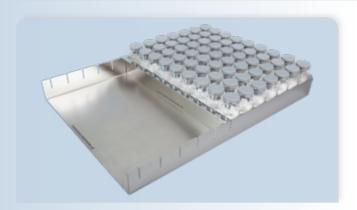
Packaging unit: 10 pcs



# **Components**

Closing Stick, multiple-u	se			
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit
Closing Stick (customizable size) 1 2 3	LPMU-Bag-VSxx	HDPE	max. 900 mm	2 pcs

Open Stainless Steel Tra	y, slotted, multiple-use	;		
Product name	Article no.	Material	Dimensions	Packaging unit
Open Stainless Steel Tray OTS2230, slotted 1 2 3	LPMU-OTS2230-SS	Stainless steel 1.4404 (316L)	220 x 300 x 30 mm	2 pcs
Open Stainless Steel Tray, slotted (customizable size)  1 2 3	LPMU-OTSxxxx-SS	Stainless steel 1.4404 (316L)	Custom	6 pcs



Lyoprotect® Open Stainless Steel Tray OTS2230, slotted.

Vials and stoppers shown in the image are not included in the scope of delivery.

- Fits with LPGN-Bag-xx-xx
- 2 Fits with LPGR-Bag-xx-xx
- 3 Fits with LPGS-Bag-xx-xx



# Lyoprotect® Product Overview - Vials

Properties	Open Stainless Steel Tray, slotted	Open Aluminum Tray	Bag	Bag HS
	electropolished	black anodized		
Dimensions	220 x 300 x 30 mm	270 x 400 x 30 mm	max. 460 x 900 mm	max. 460 x 900 mm
Capacity (examples for vials acc. to ISO 8362)	e.g. 10R vials: 108–126 pcs	e.g. 10R vials: 176–209 pcs	2R-100R vials	2R-100R vials
Customizable in size	<b>\</b>	>	>	<b>&gt;</b>
Multiple-use product	<b>\</b>	<b>&gt;</b>		
Closing				
Closing system (multiple use)			>	
Heat sealing				`
Sterilization methods				
Autoclaving	<b>\</b>	<b>\</b>	>	<b>\</b>
Plasma sterilization	>	<b>\</b>	>	>
Sterile supply with SAL 10^6 (for bags with dimension 300 x 370 mm)			>	`
Handling				
Aseptic process in isolator / oRABS	<b>\</b>	>	<b>\</b>	>
Sterile bagging unit	>			>
Functionality				
Sterile barrier	11)	10	/	7
Lyophilization cycle comparable to open vial	•	•	0 2) / 0 0 3)	<b>6</b> 2) / <b>6 6</b> 3)
Performance				
Heat transfer shelf/container bottom	••	•••	•• 2) / ••• 3)	<b>6 2</b> ) <b>1 6 6 3</b> )
Fast drying	•	•	0 2) / 0 0 3)	<b>9</b> 2) / <b>9 9</b> 3)
Incoming goods inspection				
Endotoxin pre-sterilization			<b>\</b>	>
FTIR spectrometry			>	>
Lot release test				
Soam etranuth/tightness				
100 % control for visible particles	<b>\</b>	<b>\</b>	> >	· >
Biocompatibility, food contact, pharmacopeia				
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Tests for sub-visible particles (SVP) acc. to USP 788; EP 2.9.19			`	>

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# Lyoprotect® Quality Control

uality is crucial and taken really seriously at Teclen®. Detailed information about Teclen's quality tests and measures can be found in the Validation Guide. The Teclen Quality Management System is ISO 9001 certified by TÜV Süd.



# 1. Visual & Material Inspections



# 100% visual inspection

- We ensure that membrane and film are free of visual particles, nicks, pinholes or cuts.
- For other components, we check e.g. for scratches and dimensional accuracy.



# Receiving inspection of plastics with FTIR spectrometer

>> We use Fourier-transform infrared spectroscopy to verify the chemical composition of incoming plastic goods.



# Full traceability

All articles can be traced by means of lot numbers or serial numbers with the help of our ERP system.

# 2. Material Safety & Compliance



# **BSE/TSE** safe

>> We use materials that are free from the risk of contamination with agents associated with bovine spongiform encephalopathy (BSE) and transmissible spongiform encephalopathies (TSE).



# ✓ Compliance regarding food safety

Components comply with the regulations for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food according to (EC) No 1935/2004, (EU) No 10/2011 and (EC) No 2023/2006.



Receiving inspection of membrane with FTIR spectrometer

# 3. Particle & Microbial Load Testing



# Single-use products fulfill requirements of USP 788 and EP 2.9.19

>> USP 788 and EP 2.9.19 are pharmacopeial standards related to particulate matter in injections. They define limits for particulate matter and particulate contamination. Even after cutting the membrane of a single-use tray, particles stay within the limits.



# **✓** Abrasion resistance of membrane

A modified Gelbo-flex test proved that the Lyoprotect<sup>®</sup> Membrane does not emit any particulate matter through appropriate usage.



# **Endotoxin test**

>> Test for bacterial endotoxins using Limulus-Amoebocyte-Lysate (LAL test) with Lyoprotect® Membrane.



# **✓** Sterile Barrier functionality

» "Microbial testing of Lyoprotect® with single-use membrane" by external laboratory acc. to test ASTM-F1608 (LRV ≥ 6).

# Lyoprotect® Quality Control



Seam strength test as part of lot release testing

# 4. Batch Control & Certificates

# Lot release tests

» Seam strength test and seam tightness test for bag integrity.



# Serial number and inspection certificate 3.1 for stainless steel material

» According to DIN EN 10204 3.1



# Quality documentation with Col, CoC and CoA

» Certificate of Inspection, Certificate of Conformity and Certificate of Analysis available.

# Lyoprotect® Quality Control



Simulating real conditions with our in-house freeze dryer

# 5. Validation & Origin



# **Validation Guide**

- >> Validation Guide Basic on request, free of charge.
- >> Comprehensive Validation Guide Premium can be purchased (order no.: VAL-GUI-PR-xxx).



# Extraction Study and Toxicological Assessment

>> This study analyzes extractables from the material used in Teclen Lyoprotect® Single-use Trays and Bags under conditions simulating their intended use. The results confirmed that all extractables were well below regulatory safety thresholds, verifying their safe use for pharmaceutical lyophilization.



# ✓ Made in Germany

>> Products are manufactured in-house or at trusted partners within Germany.

# The Teclen Team

**S** ituated in the beautiful region of Bavaria, Germany, the Teclen Team takes immense pride in crafting most Lyoprotect® products in-house or, as needed, entrusting their creation to skilled partners within Germany.



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