

## PocketSwab® Plus - Sustainable and Stable



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“The optimum order box size for Charm customers is 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 700 and 1,000 swabs, or combinations if above 1,000,” says Charm Shipping Manager, Darla Lucier.

“Our ERP system has complete order tracking and lot traceability. It knows if we are short a bag or if we have overfilled. It even records a video of everything we have packed,” adds Lucier.



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Charm® PocketSwab Plus ATP swabs are shelf-stable at room temperature for 12 months from date of manufacture. This eliminates the need for ice-packs and allows them to be shipped via ground service rather than by air, saving customers costly freight charges. Disposal issues associated with ice-pack use are also eliminated.

The shelf-stable formulation provides customers with the added benefit of additional refrigerated space as they no longer need to use their refrigerated space for ATP swabs.

The picture below shows a 10x8x7 double-wall corrugated box, which packs 4 foiled sealed bags, 25 PocketSwabs per bag. Each bag is re-sealable, to help ensure that product integrity is maintained.



To meet the growing demand for sustainable solutions, Charm swabs are made from recyclable components and Charm customers can conveniently recycle them within their own waste management programs. Exclusive to Charm, each PacketSwab foil bag is labeled with recycling instructions.

Unlike some competitor products which employ potentially hazardous chemicals, (e.g., sodium azide) Charm ATP swabs do not contain any hazardous chemicals.

Charm Sciences is committed to providing sustainable solutions that help its customers lower their environmental impact and reduce handling and waste management costs.

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