

# Site Quality Self-Assessment

based on

## **Rx-360 Supplier Assessment Questionnaire**

Module 2, Site Specific Information

Relevant for

2-4 Fleming Road, Kirkton Campus Livingston, EH54 7BN United Kingdom

The site self-assessment covers our quality management system for the following regulated applications:

- Manufacturing of clinical diagnostic products



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# **Information**

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# Rx-360 Supplier Assessment Questionnaire : Site-Specific Information

☑ Please check here if additional documents are attached.

	SECTION 1. General Site Information				
1.1	Site or Facility-Specific Name: Millipore UK Ltd.				
1.2	Address: 2-4 Fleming Road, Kirkton Campus Livingston, EH54 7BN United Kingdom  GPS Coordinates: Latitude: 55.882896 Longitude: -3.553824				
1.3	Phone: Please contact your local Sales Representative				
1.4	Email: Please contact your local Sales Representative				
1.5	Fax: Please contact your local Sales Representative				
1.6	Website: merckmillipore.com				

	SECTION 2. General Site Operating Information					
2.1	What year did the site start operating? 1995					
2.2	What is the primary activity of the site? (e.g. manufacturing, distribution, etc.) manufacturing of clinical diagnostic products					
2.3	To which, if any, subdivision of the parent company does the site belong?					

	SECTION 2. General Site Operating Information
	Life Science division of Merck KGaA, Darmstadt, Germany
2.4	Size of site (in sq. ft. or m.): 31013 squarefeet
2.5	Please list or attach the normal hours/schedule of the facilities, including shutdown dates (if applicable):  1 shift per 8 hours (check)
2.6	Total number of employees on site: 106
2.7	Total number of employees in Quality: 28
2.8	Total number of employees in Manufacturing: 62 (remaining 16 in support functions)
2.9	What quality management system is utilized on site?  ☐ ISO 9001 ☐ ISO 13485 ☐ 21 CFR Part 210/211 ☐ 21 CFR Part 820 ☐ European GMP, Eudralex Volume 4 Part I ☐ European GMP, Eudralex Volume 4 Part II ☐ ICH Q7 ☐ HACCP ☐ ISO 22000 ☐ Other Please describe: ISO 14001  Which Regulatory Initiatives does the site follow/comply with? ☐ REACH ☐ RoHs ☐ Ca Prop. 65 ☐ WEEE
2.10	Does the company/site

	SECTION 2. General Site Operating Information					
2.11	Is the site registered with any gove GMP certification, etc.)?  Yes No If yes, please specify.	rnment regulator	y agency (FDA	registration,		
	1761 - US FDA License Number					
2.12	By whom is the site inspected (reg the last three years: FDA inspection TUV SUD ANVISA	, i	•	•		
2.13	How often, as an annual average, i 5	s the site audited	by customers o	or third parties?		
2.14	Has an Rx-360 audit been performed at this site? Yes No Please also state the date of the audit if applicable.  http://rx-360.org/audit-programs/					
2.15	Are you willing to have Rx-360 conduct an audit on behalf of your customers according to the Rx-360 audit programs on your site?    Yes					
2.16	Are you willing to have your custon X Yes  No	ners conduct audit	ts on your site?			
2.17	Please list regulatory sanctions impa warning letters, CEP suspension, im None	_	hin the last five	years (i.e.		
2.18	If answering yes, please specify the	N/A activities:				
2.19	Please check the supplier controls in	place for this fac	rility:			
2.19a	Quality Agreements with Suppliers	X Yes	☐ No	□ N/A		

SECTION 2. General Site Operating Information						
2.19b	Subcontractor Qualification/Audit Program	⊠ Yes		No	□ N/A	
2.19c	Periodic Review of Supplier Performance	⊠ Yes		No	□ N/A	
2.19d	Supplier Feedback Program	⊠ Yes		No	□ N/A	
2.19e	Approved Material Supplier List	⊠ Yes		No	□ N/A	
2.19f	Approved Service Supplier List	⊠ Yes		No	□ N/A	
	SECTION 3. Object	ionabla M	otarials.	on Sita		
3.1	Does the site or production plant p		aterials	on Site		
3.1	process or store any of the following		Yes	No	Not Applicable	
			105	110	Пррисави	
3.1a	Beta-Lactam Antibiotics			$\boxtimes$		
3.1b	Steroids and/or hormones			$\boxtimes$		
3.1c	High potency compounds			$\boxtimes$		
3.1d	Materials of animal origin/Biologi	cs				
3.1e	Live virus or micro-organism					
3.1f	Allergens					
3.1g	Genetically Modified Organisms (					
3.1h	Agrochemicals (Pesticides, Herbic Fungicides, etc.)	eides,				
3.1i	Other (Please specify):					
	SECTION 4. Cross	Contamir	nation Co	ontrol		
4.1	Are any of the following cross-		Yes	No	Not	
	contamination controls in place	?	165	110	Applicable	
4.1a	Dedicated Facilities			<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
4.1b	Access Controls				<u> </u>	
4.1c	Dedicated Personnel					
4.1d	Dedicated Gowning					
4.1e	Procedural Controls					
4.1f	Other (please specify):					

## Additional Comments:

SECTION 5. Site Operating Policies							
5.1	Does the site utilize the following written policies, programs, or procedures?						
Site Spe	ecific:	Yes	No	Not Applicable			
5.1a	Environmental, Health, and Safety						
5.1b	Facility Environmental Control Policy						
5.1c	General Facility Cleaning Procedures						
5.1d	Hygiene and Sterilization Procedures						
5.1e	Validated Equipment Cleaning Procedures						
5.1f	Preventative Maintenance Program/Procedures						
5.1g	Pest Control Program						
5.1h	Master Production Procedure	$\boxtimes$					
Quality	:						
5.1i	Quality Control/Quality Management Policy						
5.1j	Quality Manual						
5.1k	Periodic Product Quality Review						
5.11	Master Validation Plan						
5.1m	Risk Assessment Program						
5.1n	Supplier Approval Procedure						
5.1o	Monitoring and Review of Approved Suppliers						
5.1p	Mechanism to Reduce Testing						
5.1q	Receiving Incoming Inspection						
5.1r	Change Control Procedures						
5.1s	Document Management Policy						
5.1t	Document Retention Policy						
5.1u	Change Notification Procedures for Clients						
5.1v	Control of Nonconforming Material						
5.1w	Deviation/Investigation Procedure						
5.1x	Out of Specification Policy and Procedure						
5.1y	Sampling Procedure/Sampling Plan						
5.1z	Raw Material Retention Program	$\boxtimes$					
5.1aa	CAPA Procedure						
5.1bb	Label Control and Accountability						
5.1cc	Product Release Procedure						
5.1dd	Employee Training Program						
5.1ee	Stability, Expiration, and Shelf-Life Program						
5.1ff	Product Retention Program						
5.1gg	Recall Procedure						

5.1hh	Customer Complaint Handling	$\boxtimes$		
5.1ii	Equipment validation/qualification procedure	$\boxtimes$		
	<b>SECTION 5. Site Operating P</b>	olicies		
		Yes	No	Not Applicable
5.1jj	Internal audit/self-inspection program procedure	$\boxtimes$		
5.1kk	Site Security/Site Access Control Policies			
5.111	New Hire Program/Induction Program	$\boxtimes$		
Business	Continuity/Contingency Plan:			
5.1mm	Disaster Recovery Plan			
5.1nn	Pandemic Preparedness Plan			
5.100	Supply Chain Emergency Preparedness Plan	$\boxtimes$		
5.1pp	Business Continuity/Contingency Plan	$\boxtimes$		
5.1qq	Can the company provide a plan upon request? C below:	OR provide	a short o	lescription

	SECTION 6. Quality Assurance and Production					
		Yes	No	Not Applicable		
6.1	Does the site have an independent and defined Quality Assurance/Quality Management Division?	$\boxtimes$				
6.2	Does QA/QM have authority over the following:					
6.2a	Policies and procedures?					
6.2b	Review of documentation for release?					
6.2c	Release or rejection of incoming materials?					
6.3	Does QA/QM investigate and resolve quality complaints?					
6.4	Does QA/QM investigate and resolve internal deviations?					
6.5	Does the QA/QM have the authority to assign a disposition to materials?					
6.6	Does the QA/QM review manufacturing and testing records prior to release?					
6.7	Does the facility utilize computerized systems for managing GxP activities or data?					
6.8	Are relevant computerized systems 21 CFR part 11 and EU GMP annex 11 compliant?					
6.9	Does the site use statistical methods for consistency and uniformity?					
6.10	Does the site use controlled documents for following and recording manufacturing instructions?					

SECTION 6. Quality Assurance and Production						
		Yes	No	Not Applicable		
6.11	Does the company qualify and/or validate manufacturing procedures?					
6.12	Is any environmental monitoring conducted in production/finishing areas?					
6.13	Does the site supply BSE/TSE declarations?	M				
6.14	Does the site supply a declaration of Elemental Impurities?					
6.15	Are ICH Q3C(R4) solvents used in the manufacturing process of supplied materials?					
6.16	Are stability studies carried out according to ICH guidance?	M				
6.17	Are solvents and mother liquor reused/recycled?					
6.18	Does the site have a process water treatment system?	П				
	<ul> <li>☐ City/potable water</li> <li>☐ Distilled water</li> <li>☐ Dionized water</li> <li>☐ Water for injection (WFI)</li> <li>☐ Reverse Osmosis</li> <li>☐ Clean steam</li> <li>☐ Ultra-filtrated water (purified water)</li> <li>☐ Other: ultra pure</li> </ul>					
6.19	Does the plant have a batch/lot system?	$\boxtimes$				
6.19a	Is the system traceable?	$\boxtimes$				
6.19b	Is it unique?	$\boxtimes$				
6.19c	Is batch/lot manufacturing continuous?	$\boxtimes$				
6.19d	Is manufacturing batch by batch?	$\boxtimes$				
6.20	Does the site perform on-plant audits prior to approving critical GxP suppliers?					
6.21	Does the site audit critical GxP suppliers after initial approval?					
6.22	Does the site inspect incoming materials?	$\boxtimes$				
6.23	Does the site test incoming materials to defined specifications?					
6.24	Does the site establish purchase specifications for raw materials?	$\boxtimes$				
6.25	Is the equipment multi-use?					
6.26	Does the site qualify equipment installation?					
6.27	Does the site qualify equipment operation?					
6.28	Does the site qualify equipment performance?	$\boxtimes$				

SECTION 6. Quality Assurance and Production					
		Yes	No	Not Applicable	
6.29	Are production critical use instruments calibrated regularly?	$\boxtimes$			
6.30	Is rework allowed?		$\boxtimes$		
6.31	Is reprocessing allowed?		$\boxtimes$		
6.32	Are manufacturing and packaging activities traceable to the equipment, areas, and materials used?				
6.33	Are production materials handled and stored in a manner to prevent degradation, contamination and cross-contamination?				
6.34 If answering 'not applicable' for any of the above, please elaborate:					
Additio	onal Comments: 6.8: yes to 21 CFR part 11, no to EU Annex 11	comp	liance	)	

SECTION 7. Laboratory Procedures				for this Site
		Yes	No	Not Applicable
7.1	Does the site have standard procedures for sample handling/tracking?	$\boxtimes$		
7.1a	Does the site have standard procedures for retaining samples?			
7.1b	Does the site have standard procedures for retesting samples?	$\boxtimes$		
7.2	Does the site have written and approved specifications and test methods?	$\boxtimes$		
7.3	Are laboratory instruments calibrated regularly?			
7.4	Is there a standard procedure in place for analytical method development?	$\boxtimes$		
7.5	Does the site qualify and/or validate analytical test procedures?	$\boxtimes$		
7.6	Does the site perform stability testing on materials and/or products?	$\boxtimes$		
7.7	Are retention samples of key raw materials maintained?	$\boxtimes$		
7.8	Are standards traceable to their preparation and reagents used?			
7.9	Are retention samples of finished product maintained?			
7.10	Are shelf life/retest/expiration dates available and standardized?			
7.11	Does the company provide a certificate of analysis (CoA) and/or a Certificate of	$\boxtimes$		

	SECTION 7. Laboratory Procedures		<b>N/A for this Site</b>				
		Yes	No Not Applica				
	Conformation/Compliance (CoC) for each lot or batch?						
7.12	Does the CoA/CoC contain the manufacture name and location?						
7.13	Does the CoA/CoC signed/e-signed by a Quality representative?	$\boxtimes$					
7.14	If a repacker performs analyses, will the CoA reflect both the original manufacturing site data as well as the repacking site data?						
7.15							
7.16	Additional Comments: None						
SECTION 8. Packaging, Storage, and Transport   N/A for this Sit							
		Yes	No	Not Applicable			
8.1	Does the site have a validated or qualified labeling system?						

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		Yes	No	Not Applicable		
8.1	Does the site have a validated or qualified labeling system?	$\boxtimes$				
8.2	Are batch production records retained and available?	$\boxtimes$				
8.3	Are packaging and labeling areas separate from production?	$\boxtimes$				
8.4	Are barcode readers in use and challenged regularly?					
8.5	Are vision systems in use?		$\boxtimes$			
8.6	Is product ever packaged without a label being initially applied (i.e. bright stocking)?					
8.7	Do labels include shelf life/expiration dates?	$\boxtimes$				
8.8	Do labels include lot/batch number?					
8.9	Do labels include requirements for storage conditions?					
8.10	Is tamper evident seal used for each container of supplied materials?					
8.11	Does the company use a First-In-First-Out or First-Expiration-First-Out system?					
8.12	Does the company maintain appropriate storage conditions?					
8.12a	Are those storage conditions monitored and documented?	$\boxtimes$				
8.13	Does the site make available a description of storage and/or warehouse conditions?	$\boxtimes$				

SECTION 8. Packaging, Storage, and Transp			☐ N/A for this Site		
		Yes	No	Not Applicable	
8.14	Does the site distribute products via a third party?		$\boxtimes$		
8.15	Are good distribution policies implemented?	$\boxtimes$			
8.16	Are transport mechanisms dedicated?	$\boxtimes$			
8.17	Does the company validate shipping method?	$\boxtimes$			
8.18	Does the company validate packaging methods?	$\boxtimes$			
Additional Comments: 8.17 & 8.18 packaging methods and shipping methods validated for					
customer who have temperature controlled shipping only, not all shipments					

I (Supplier) confirm that the information provided in this questionnaire is correct and can be verified.

Date:07 Oct 2020

Title:Head of Quality

## **Additional Site-Specific Information**

### (not based on Rx 360 Supplier Assessment Questionnaire)

#### 9. Lot numbering information

#### FINAL BATCH NUMBER CONFIGURATION

All batch numbers for Millipore UK Ltd, Livingston products are of 7 or 8 characters, categorized as follows:

Character 1: Capital letter relating to product category

Character 2: Capital letter relating to product sub-category

Character 3: Capital letter relating to the month of production

Characters 4&5: Last 2 digits of year of production (eg. 18 for 2018, 19 for 2019, 20 for 2020).

Characters 6&7: Numbers 01-99 relating to the individual production batch sequence in each year. Character 8: Capital letter to identify sublots. Omitted if not required.

Batch numbers are presented as follows: BMA2001A (the first sublot of the first batch of product code BM manufactured in January of the year 2020.