

**Extended datafile 3.** Current and historic shipping costs from Bangkok, Thailand to Oxford, UK.

<b>Shipment method</b>	<b>Temperature</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>No of boxes<sup>^</sup></b>	<b>Estimated Cost (in THB)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost (in GBP)*</b>
Dry ice	-80°C	2022	4	92,856.65	2,114.16
Dry shipper	-196°C	2022	4	238,411.57	5,428.16
Dry ice	-80°C	2016	6	30,569.90	617.28
Dry shipper	-196°C	2016	5	130,242.95	2,629.93

\*based on the exchange rate from 8<sup>th</sup> April 2016 for samples shipped in 2016 and 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2022

for quote obtained in 2022 (xe.com, search date: 19/10/2022)

<sup>^</sup>standard cryobox with a capacity of 100 1.5mL/2mL cryovials