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A good place to keep the storage container

<p>KEEP DRY Silica Gel / ART-SORB</p>	<p>A room which is relatively dry (about 35% relative humidity) Do include Silica It must be conditioned to a low humidity level before use.</p>	<p>Silica gel will help to buffer the humidity in the capsule. It is sold in granular form in art supply stores, hardware stores, and some department store closet shops. ART-SORB, a more costly but easy-to-use form of silica gel is available from conservation suppliers.</p>
<p>ABSORB OXYGEN AGELESS</p>	<p>This product locks up oxygen that might leak into the capsule. DO : use just before sealing</p>	<p>"Ageless" is sealed in a packet that is oxygen permeable. It should not be used until just before sealing the container and should not be placed near heat-sensitive items. "Ageless" is available from conservation supplier</p>
<p>PROTECT THE VESSEL</p>	<p>A time capsule going into the ground may be placed inside a burial vault for added protection, or coated with asphalt- or pitch-impregnated fabric to keep out water.</p>	
<p>COOL</p>	<p>A cool room is best (room temperature or below) Maintain distance from radiators and vents Placed northerly or otherwise sheltered from extreme fluctuations in temperature caused by sun heating</p>	
<p>AVOID VIBRATION</p>		
<p>DARK</p>	<p>Minimal exposure to all kinds of light; no exposure to direct or intense light</p>	
<p>STABLE</p>	<p>Stable environment (avoid attics, basements, and other locations with high risk of leaks and environmental extremes)</p>	
<p>OFF THE FLOOR</p>	<p>Preferably off the floor.</p>	
<p>BURY IT</p>	<p>Not recommended but If you bury it, you should create a pattern of iron magnets around the capsule.</p>	<p>That will suggest some kind of purpose to anyone who stumbles upon it</p>