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YEAST FOR BASIC RED WINES

APPLICATION

This Saccharomyces cerevisiae (ex. cerevisiae) yeast has been selected for the fermentation of basic red wines. It is suitable for a large variety of red grapes and respects the terroir and varietal characteristics. VIN-O-FERM® RED provides excellent color and tannin stability and develops typical complex primary aromas which are harmoniously integrated with notes based on spice, red and dried fruits.

OENOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

- Fermentation temperature: 18 24°C
- Nitrogen requirement: low
- Alcohol tolerance: up to 16 % vol.
- SO2 production: none
- Fermentation speed: fast

- Foam production: low
- Volatile acid production: < 0.10 g/L
- Glycerol production: average
- Killer type: no

CHEMICAL AND MICROBIOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

 Moisture 	< 8 %	 Acetic acid bacteria 	$< 1.10^4 \text{CFU/g}$
 Total viable cells 	$> 1.0^{10} \text{CFU/g}$	 Coliforms 	$< 1.10^{2} \text{CFU/g}$
 Total other yeast 	< 1.10 ⁵ CFU/g	• E. coli	absent in 1 g
 Total mold 	< 1.10 ³ CFU/g	 Salmonella 	absent in 25 g
 Lactic acid bacteria 	$< 1.10^{5} CFU/g$	 Staphylococci 	absent in 1 g

DOSAGE INSTRUCTIONS

Dosage 15 - 25 g/hl, a lower dosage will diminish its fermentative characteristics. In case of the second yeast addition use 30 - 50 g/hl to restart the fermentation. Rehydrate 500 gram **VIN-O-FERM®** yeast in 3.5 liter water or 1.5 liter must. Avoid a temperature difference of 10°C between the hydrated yeast and the must and hydrate for at least 15 minutes but not more than 45 minutes.

We recommend using NATUSTART® B or NATUSTART® BCW.

STORAGE AND PACKAGING

Store in its original packaging preferably at $5 - 15^{\circ}\text{C}$ in a dry place free from offensive odours. All **VIN-O-FERM**® yeast products are vacuum-packed and are available in 100 and 500 gram alum-foil packages and also in 10 kg alum-foil bags. The yeast can be used for up to 3 years after the date of production.

QUALITY ASPECTS

Yeast selected by OenoBioTech and controlled by the Microflora laboratory at the ISVV of the University of Bordeaux which includes inter-delta sequence (DNA fingerprint) ensuring that each lot of consists of the pure original strain. **VIN-O-FERM®** yeast products are non-GMO and are conform to the specification of the oenological CODEX.

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