LEVEL² BIODIVA™

Torulaspora delbrueckii

ENHANCE AROMATIC COMPLEXITY AND IMPROVE MOUTHFEEL

The wide variety of selected natural yeasts reflects the biodiversity, and yet this diversity is still underexploited despite the large number of species and subspecies (other than *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*) that are present in most grape musts. During spontaneous fermentation, actual microbial population dynamics result in successions of enzyme activity that undoubtedly contribute, positively or negatively, to the aromatic complexity and diversity of the wine. Thanks to Lallemand Oenology R&D research program, the management of alcoholic fermentation (AF) introducing the use of non-*Saccharomyces* selected yeasts in combination with *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* opens new possibilities for winemakers.

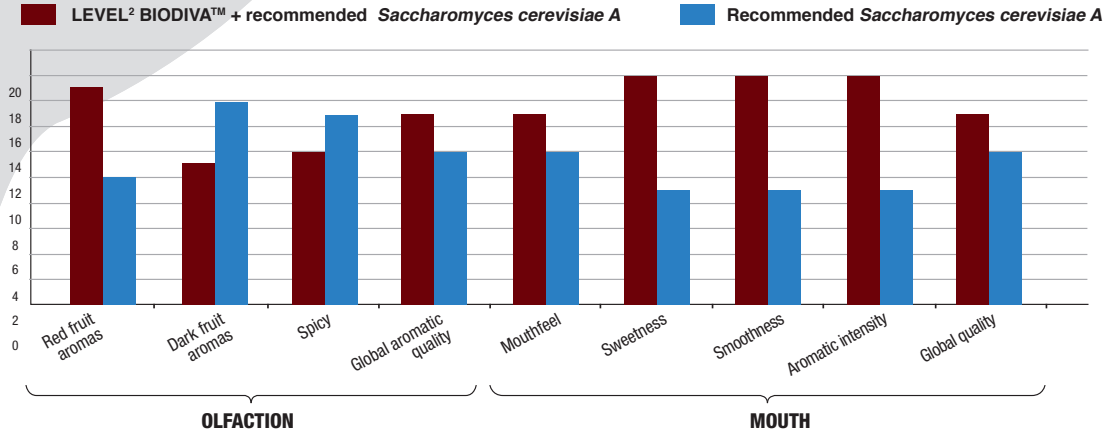
DESCRIPTION

LEVEL² BIODIVA™ is a **pure culture of *Torulaspora delbrueckii*,** selected for its properties to enhance wine aromatic and mouthfeel complexity. Used in sequential inoculation with compatible selected *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* yeast studied and recommended by Lallemand Oenology, LEVEL² BIODIVA™ develops wine aromatic complexity by favoring the perception of certain esters. Thanks to its exceptional ability to overproduce polyols, LEVEL² BIODIVA™ contributes to increase the mouthfeel perception in dry white, rosé and red wines.

Due to its low volatile acidity production and its tolerance to osmotic shock, LEVEL² BIODIVA™ is particularly adapted for fermenting late harvest and ice wines.

BENEFITS

Comparative trial on Syrah (Rhône valley):
impact of LEVEL² BIODIVA™ on the sensory profile - Blind tasting, 27 tasters



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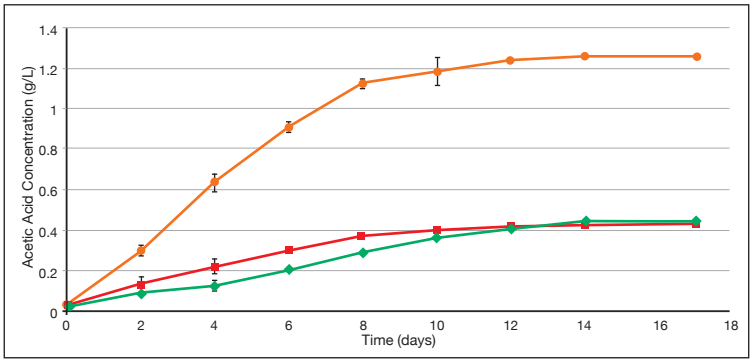
Vidal Icewine Juice



Acetic acid concentration during icewine fermentation.

- *S. cerevisiae 734*
- *LEVEL² BIODIVA™ 50 g/hL* inoculation rate
- *LEVEL² BIODIVA™ 25 g/hL* inoculation rate

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LEVEL 2 SOLUTIONS BIODIVA™

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PROPERTIES

- Pure culture of *Torulaspora delbrueckii*
- Lag phase: Moderate
- Alcohol tolerance: when used for fermenting high premium sweet wine, usage of yeast protectant such as NATSTEP™ is recommended.
- Optimal fermentation temperature: >16°C/61°F
- Volatile acidity production: Very low
- Very good compatibility with malolactic fermentation
- Nitrogen needs:

YAN level (mg/L)	< 80	80 < YAN < 150	> 150
YAN = *Yeast Assimilable Nitrogen*	**1**- Add complex nutrition* just after Biodiva™ inoculation		
	2- Add complex nutrition* just after *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* inoculation	**1**- Add complex nutrition* just after *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* inoculation	**1**- Add complex nutrition* just after *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* inoculation
	3- Add DAP** after a drop of 45 points from original density	**2**- Add complex nutrition* after a drop of 45 points from original density	

** For inoculation rate, follow good nutrition practices*
*** Diammonium Phosphate*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

Important:
Before inoculation, make sure that the free SO_2 level is lower than 15 mg/L.

1ST INOCULATION: LEVEL² BIODIVA™

Inoculate at 25 g/hL: rehydrate the yeast in 10 times its weight of water at 30°C/86°F. After 15 minutes, stir very gently.
To help the yeast rehydrated acclimate to the cooler juice temperature and avoid cold shock, slowly combine an equal amount of juice with yeast rehydration solution (this step may need to be repeated).
Total rehydration time should not exceed 45 minutes.

2ND INOCULATION: Recommended *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*

After a density drop of 10 to 15 points (1.5 to 3°Brix) from the starting juice density, proceed to the 2nd inoculation of the recommended selected *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* yeast at 25 g/hL with standard *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* yeast rehydration protocol (clean water, 37°C/99°F, 20 to 30 minutes).

For more information, please contact your Lallemand representative

PACKAGING AND STORAGE

- Available in 125 & 500 g pack.
- Store below 11°C/51.8°F, in original unopened packaging.

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