PURE-LEES LONGEVITYTM

A new selected specific inactivated yeast to protect wine against oxidation during storage / aging.

ORIGIN AND APPLICATION

As soon as alcoholic fermentation (AF) is complete, wine becomes very sensitive to oxygen. Oxidation mechanisms are responsible for the loss of fruit aromas, color and the appearance of heavy notes.

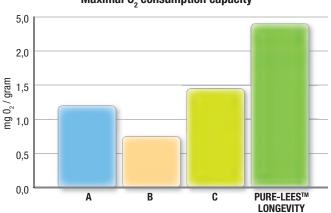
PURE-LEES LONGEVITY™ is a specific inactivated yeast developed in collaboration with INRAE Montpellier (France) in order to provide a tool to help protect wines against oxidation during storage and aging.

PURE-LEES LONGEVITY™ relies on a high dissolved oxygen consumption capacity.

Different specific inactivated yeasts have been continually evaluated for their capacity to consume oxygen. Based on lab-scale and pilot-scale trials we have selected and developed **PURE-LEES LONGEVITY**TM, a specific inactivated yeast with a high dissolved oxygen uptake capacity.



APPLICATIONS



Maximal 0_2 consumption capacity

Figure 1: Evaluation of the maximal oxygen consumption of several inactivated yeasts – characterization using a standard protocol in a model-wine solution

PURE-LEES LONGEVITYTM O₂ consumption rate for a dose rate at 40 g/hL is 1.7 mg/L dissolved oxygen. If the dose rate is doubled, the level of O₂ consumption also increases. Consumption rate by this SIY yeast = 0.7 mg/L O₂ per hour.



Several trials undertaken at pilot and winery scale have shown that **PURE-LEES LONGEVITY™** helps protect color and aromas from oxidation (more efficiently than SO₂ under these experimental conditions):

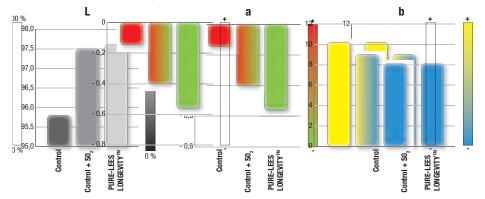
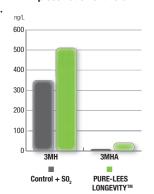


Figure 2: Sauvignon Blanc wine trial comparing of control vs. SO₂ addition (60 ppm) vs **PURE-LEES LONGEVITY™** (40 g/hL): Color evaluation after 5 months of aging.



PURE LEES LONGEVITY™ provides excellent preservation of thiols.

Figure 3: Sauvignon blanc wine trial comparing SO₂ addition (60 ppm) vs **PURE-LEES LONGEVITY™** (40 g/hL): Thiols evaluation after 5 months of aging.

DOSAGE AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

- Recommended average dosage is 20 g/hL (up to 40 g/hL).
- Time of contact depends on your ageing process time (from 1 to 9 months).
- Suspend **PURE-LEES LONGEVITY™** in ten times its weight of water or wine and mix.
- Mix well for a quick and optimized impact.
- Add to the must/wine, towards the end of alcoholic fermentation.
- **PURE-LEES LONGEVITY™** is a specific inactivated yeast; thus it contains naturally amino acids and minerals. **PURE-LEES LONGEVITY™** also contributes to the nutritional content available for yeast even though it does not replace the regular nutrition program.

PACKAGING AND STORAGE

- 1 kg sealed foil bags
- Store in a dry environment below 25°C.

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