

white and rosé wines Compromised Fruit: Botrytis Bunch Rot

VARIETY	TYPE OF WINE	
White and Rosé Varieties	Incidence of 5% or more of Botrytis cinerea and associated secondary infections.	
CHALLENGES	OBJECTIVE	
 Oxidation Off-aromas and flavors Stuck fermentation Organic acid depletion Depletion of SO₂ Secondary Infection Filterability Biogenic amine Mycotoxins 	Mitigate the detrimental wine matrix alterations from fruit compromised by Botrytis bunch rot.	

KEY WINEMAKING STEPS WHEN DEALING WITH BOTRYTIS AFFECTED GRAPES:

- 1. Hand harvest and sort contaminated grapes in the vineyard.
- 2. Use antioxidant and antioxidase protection to limit browning, color loss and aroma oxidation.
- 3. Limit skin contact to reduce extraction of off-flavors; whole cluster press and separate out press fractions (the first ten gallons is full of negative fugus metabolites).
- 4. Control any spoilage microbes as early as possible.
- 5. Utilize Pectinase and Beta-glucanase enzyme activity to improve clarification and settling
- 6. Supplement must with amino acids and ammonia to ensure complete healthy fermentation.
- 7. Select robust, low nutrient requiring yeast.
- 8. Press early and select yeast with low nitrogen requirements and fast, complete fermentation kinetics.
- 9. Utilize cellulose (Celferm) to remove off-flavors and aromas.
- 10. Balance wine mouthfeel with mannoproteins and fermentation tannins.
- 11. Late application of certain fungicides can increase elemental sulfur and metal content (Cu), analyze for metals and use **Claril HM** to remove excess heavy metals.

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WINEMAKING STAGE	OBJECTIVE	ENARTIS RECOMMENDATIONS	DOSAGE
Harvest	Antioxidant	AST : Potassium metabisulfite 50% L-ascorbic acid 30% Gallic tannin 20%. 10 g/hL (0.8 lb/1000 gal) of AST provides around 28 mg/L of SO2 and 30 mg/L of ascorbic acid. (At reception)	25 g/ton
Processing and Settling	Antioxidant	EnartisTan Antibotrytis: Gallic, di-gallic, ellagic and condensed tannins.	100-200 g/ton
	Enzyme	EnartisZym EZ Filter : Pectinase and beta-glucanase enzyme for rapid settling and improved filterability.	3 mL/hL
	Juice Fining	Claril SP : Bentonite 50%, PVPP 20%, caseinate 15%, and silica15%. Remove oxidized compounds and off-flavors.	40 g/hL
	Antimicrobial	EnartisStab Micro M : Pre-activated chitosan from Aspergillus niger with purified yeast hulls. Removes spoilage microbes from the juice.	80 g/ton
Inoculation	Organic nitrogen, yeast survival factors	Nutriferm Energy: Contains amino acids, organic nitrogen, micronutrients, vitamins, mineral salts and survival factors which are immediately available to meet these requirements. Add at inoculum rehydration.	20 g/hL
	Yeast	EnartisFerm ES181: Boosts aromatic complexity and produces high quality white wines.	20 g/hL
Fermentation	Polysaccharides	EnartisPro Blanco : Inactivated yeast with sulfur containing peptides. Improves mouthfeel, promotes varietal aroma.	20-40 g/hL
1/3 Fermentation	Inorganic Nitrogen, Yeast Nutrients	Nutriferm Advance: DAP, inactivated yeast and cellulose.	20-40 g/hL
Malolactic Fermentation	Malolactic Bacteria	EnartisML Silver : Oenococcus oeni that ensures ML fermentation under difficult conditions due to high alcohol and polyphenol content.	Volume dependent
	Nutrients	Nutriferm ML : Amino acids, vitamins, polysaccharides, cellulose and co-factors.	20-30 g/hL
Maturation	Antioxidant Antimicrobial	Winy: Potassium metabisulfite.	0.5 ppm Molecular SO ₂
	Antimicrobial	EnartisStab Micro : Pre-activated chitosan from Aspergillus niger. Removes unwanted spoilage bacteria and yeast from the wine.	10 g/hL
	Antioxidant / antimicrobial	Hideki: Tannin blend which has exceptional antioxidant and antimicrobial properties with less sensory impact.	3 g/hL

For more information about how to treat Botrytis infected grapes and wine, please contact the Enartis Technical line at (707) 838-6312 ext. 2

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