ANCHOR ALCHEMY III



A Saccharomyces cerevisiae blend.

A yeast blend for COMPLEX red wines.

ORIGIN:

Alchemy III is a scientifically formulated blend of wine yeast strains. It has been developed in collaboration with the Australian Wine Research Institute (AWRI). These yeast blends have been formulated to provide optimum aroma profiles.

APPLICATION:

Alchemy III is for the production of complex red wines. This blend is a very high producer of 2-phenyl- ethanol (rose), 2-phenylethyl acetate (floral and fruity), β -ionone (raspberry) and acetate esters (fruity and candy). Common to both Anchor Alchemy red blends is their very high contribution to fruit aromas due to higher total esters and ethyl hexanoate production. This is further enhanced by β -damascenone (violets) and a decrease in methoxy-pyrazines (which can mask fruit characters). Alchemy III produces complex wines, with good structure and body and is suitable for all red varietals.

FERMENTATION KINETICS:

- Good fermenter
- Conversion factor: 0.57 0.62

TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS:

Cold tolerance:	16°C
Optimum temperature range:	16 - 28°C
Osmotolerance:	26°Brix, 14 Baume
Alcohol tolerance at 15°C:	15.5%
Foam production:	no

METABOLIC CHARACTERISTICS:

Glycerol production:	8 - 11 g/l
Volatile acidity production:	<0.5 g/l
SO ₂ production:	none to very low
Nitrogen requirement:	medium

PHENOTYPE:

- Killer: positive and negative (propagation instead of direct inoculation will distort the ratio of the blend)
- HCDC: promotes the formulation of pyranoanthocyanins

DOSAGE:

30 g/hl (no propagation)

PACKAGING:

Alchemy III is vacuum-packed in 1 kg packets. It must be stored in a cool (5 - 15°C), dry place, sealed in its original packaging.



