

# UVAFERM 43 RESTART™

*Saccharomyces cerevisiae*

The upmost fructophilic yeast for a simple and efficient restart of stuck fermentations

## DESCRIPTION

In a collaboration with InterRhône (France), UVAFERM 43™ is now available in a more robust form called UVAFERM 43 RESTART™. This new yeast is quicker to adapt after inoculation as it has been optimized and pre-acclimatized to perform efficiently under the challenging conditions of a stuck fermentation. The yeast is naturally resistant to adverse conditions of stuck fermentation. Highly fructophilic, UVAFERM 43 RESTART™ enables winemakers to efficiently resolve most stuck fermentation problems in a few steps.



## BENEFITS & RESULTS

Under oenological conditions, glucose and fructose are the main fermentable sugars used by *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*. Although both of these hexoses are generally present in musts in equivalent quantities, *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* prefers to consume glucose, which explains why the main residual sugar in stuck ferments is fructose. Our R&D showed that in oenological conditions where nitrogen, sugar and glucose/fructose ratios were varied, the yeast UVAFERM 43 RESTART™ proved to be the most efficient at metabolizing fructose under conditions similar to those found in stuck ferments.

## PROPERTIES\*

- *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* Gal- (ex var. *bayanus*)
- Alcohol tolerance up to 18% v/v
- High fermentation rate
- Competitive factor ("Killer K2") active
- Excellent for restarting stuck ferments with high fructose/glucose ratio
- Highly fructophilic
- Relatively low nutritional requirement
- Low SO<sub>2</sub> and H<sub>2</sub>S production
- Neutral sensory effect on the finished wine

\*subject to fermentation conditions

## PROTOCOLE TO RESTART A STUCK FERMENTATION

### Products required:

- **ResKue™** – 65 g/hL of stuck wine volume
- **Go-Ferm Protect Evolution™ (GPE)** – 30 g/hL of stuck wine volume
- **Uvaferm 43®** – 50 g/hL of Stuck Wine Volume
- **Fermaid AT™** – 50 g/hL of initial starter mixture volume (in step 2).
- Juice or Grape concentrate.

### Procedure for 10 hL (1000 L) of stuck wine

#### 1. Preparation of the wine

- Ensure 7-8 ppm free SO<sub>2</sub>.
- Rehydrate 400 g ResKue™ (40g/hL), as per the data sheet.
- Stir resuspended ResKue™ into the wine.
- Allow to settle for 48 hrs, then rack or filter the wine

#### 2. Preparation of the 'initial starter mixture'

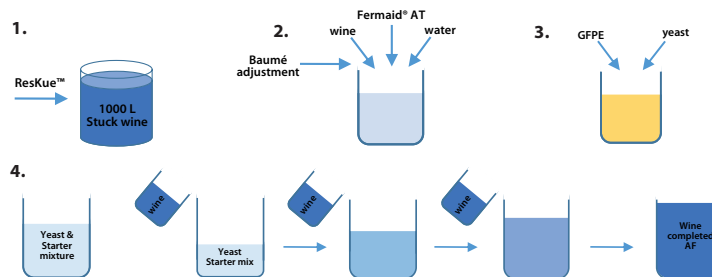
- Prepare the initial starter mixture and adjust temperature to 25-30 °C.
- 25 L stuck wine.
- 25 L water.
- 25 g Fermaid® AT (50 g/hL)
- Adjust sugar to approx. 5° Baume (e.g. with grape juice of grape concentrate).

#### 3. Preparation of the yeast

- Add 300 g GoFerm Protect Evolution™ (30 g/hL) into 6 L water, 40-43 °C.
- Stir until a homogenous suspension.
- Leave for 10 minutes.
- Sprinkle 500 g Uvaferm 43 (50 g/hL) slowly & evenly onto GFPE/water, 35-40 °C.
- Wait 20 minutes.
- Further gentle mixing.

#### 4. Restart the fermentation of the stuck wine

- Slowly add yeast (Step 3) into the initial starter mixture (Step 2).
- Ensure temperature does not change more than 10 °C.
- Mix well; maintain temperature at 20-24 °C.
- Monitor the sugar level of the starter.
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- Maintain temperature at 20-24 °C
- Repeat adding stuck wine, as above, until all the stuck wine has been added
- Only allow the last batch of added stuck wine to go to complete dryness



## PACKAGING AND STORAGE

- Available in 500 g and 10 kg
- Store in a cool dry place
- To be used once opened

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