

## Oak Avantage® American Granular Oak

**Product Data Sheet** 

Oak Avantage American Granular Oak offers the classic aromas and flavors of American Oak, but in a more refined and elegant style. This seasoned American Oak has been air dried for 18 months before being granulated to a uniform particle size, and toasted.



## **USES & BENEFITS**

- Can be added throughout the winemaking process
- · Coarse granular size can be added directly to wine
- · Ideal tool for touching up final oak character
- · Can be added during barrel aging and will come out easily during barrel cleaning
- Sophisticated flavor profile makes this an ideal addition to finished wine

DOSE RATES\*: White Wines ......5 - 20 lbs / 1000 gallons

Red Wines .....5 - 30 lbs / 1000 gallons

PACKAGE SIZE: 44 lb bag

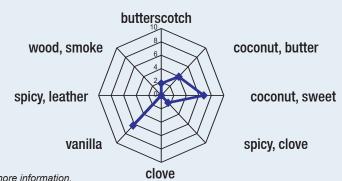
PARTICLE SIZE: 63% > 2 mm

33% 2.0 - 0.5 mm 4% < 0.6 mm

TOAST LEVEL: Medium Toast

## **FLAVOR COMPONENTS**

- 18 month drying process creates a more delicate and sweeter oak character
- Aromatic notes of vanilla and caramel contribute an intense and rich creaminess to mouth feel
- Flavor profile finishes with sweet tropical fruits of pineapple and coconut



\*Dose rates are application dependent. Please contact a Gusmer representative for more information.



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