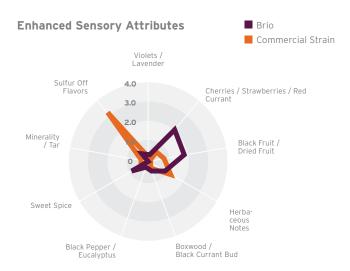




Selected for its intense aroma purity and ability to enhance varietal characteristics, Brio elevates the aromatic expressiveness of a wine with impressive notes of cherry, black fruit and spice. Brio improves the extraction of phenolic compounds and colour, which helps to produce a complex, rounded wine. Brio is noted for its ability to enhance the flavor of red wine varietals, particularly Pinot Noir, Grenache and youthful Gamays. With its intense aromatics and ability to aid color and extraction, Brio is also well-suited for early release red and rosé wines.

#### **Recommended Varietals:**

- Pinot Noir
- Grenache
- Gamay
- Carmenere
- Syrah
- · Petit Verdot



## **TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Kinetics	Moderate - Fast
Optimal Temperature	17 °C to 28 °C
Cold Tolerance*	16 °C
Alcohol Tolerance	16%
Nitrogen Requirements	Moderate
Killer Factor	Active
Flocculation	High

Conversion Factor\*\* 16.5 g/L

Glycerol 6.0-8.0 g/L

Volatile Acidity Low

SO<sub>2</sub> Production Moderate

H<sub>2</sub>S Production None

Foam Production Low

YAN Levels:

Low 150-225 Moderate 225-300 High 300+

<sup>\*</sup> Once active fermentation has been established.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Grams of sugar required to produce 1% alcohol (v/v). Varies depending on the sugar and nutrients composition of the must and environmental conditions.



# REHYDRATION PROTOCOL

Correct yeast rehydration is crucial to obtain a healthy fermentation.

# Please follow the Rehydration Instructions to avoid stuck or sluggish fermentations.

### **Inoculation Rate:**

0.2-0.35 g/L (1.7-2.9 lbs/1000 gallons)

# **Rehydration Instructions:**

- 1. In an inert and sterile container, prepare chlorine-free water at 38-42 °C (100-108 °F) that is 10 times the weight of the yeast to be rehydrated.
- 2. Gently mix the yeast into the water and allow 20 minutes for rehydration.
- **3.** After rehydration, begin to slowly add full strength juice into the yeast mixture every 5 minutes to allow for acclimation. Do not decrease the temperature of the mixture by more than 5 °C (9 °F) with each juice addition.
- **4.** When the temperature of the yeast suspension is less than 10 °C (18 °F) warmer than the must or juice to be inoculated, slowly add the yeast mixture into the fermentation vessel.

Note: Directly adding dry yeast to the must or juice tank is not advised.



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