

BENTOCUP

Removes unwanted sulphur compounds.

CHARACTERISTICS

Bentocup is a cupric citrate-based formula that removes unpleasant odours caused by sulphur compounds (sulphides and mercaptan derivatives). When applied in combination with specifically formulated bentonite granules, these substances precipitate, leaving minimal traces of residual copper.

Recently approved by the OIV and EU, cupric citrate bonds more strongly with sulphur molecules than copper sulphate and has less impact on the wine's sensory balance.

SENSORY PROPERTIES

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APPLICATIONS

In white and red wines, before fining and stabilization.

COMPOSITION

- » Activated sodium bentonite granules.
- » Cupric citrate (2%).

DOSAGE

Wines *5-15 g/hl*

The legal maximum dose allowed in wine copper citrate 1 g/hl, provided that the copper content does not exceed 1 mg/l.

Preliminary laboratory tests with increasing dosages are recommended to determine optimal usage.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

1. Dissolve the product in 10 times its weight of wine and pour into the vat, mixing vigorously and thoroughly.
2. The product will start to act immediately. Leave to stand for 24–48 hours, then remove lees by racking and/or filtering.

PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Greeny-blue granules.

PACKAGING

1-kg and 20-kg packets.

PHYSICO-CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Copper content [%]	0,6-0,8
pH (1%)	8-10
Moisture [%]	< 15

STORAGE

Store in the original packaging in a cool, dry, odour-free place.

Once open, use as soon as possible.

Best before: 5 years from packaging.

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This product complies with the International Oenological Codex and EC Regulation No 606/2009.