





## Erbslöh-Kalk

Chemically pure precipitated calcium carbonate

## **Product description**

A chemically pure precipitated calcium carbonate for reducing tartaric acid in must, young wine and wine. E 170. Deacidification with Erbslöh-Kalk usually occurs in must due to an elevated tartaric acid content, but can also be carried out in young wine and wine. As this type of deacidification only precipitates tartaric acid, the proportion of tartaric acid to total acidity is therefore the limiting factor. The proportion of tartaric acid varies greatly from year to year due to climate, differing locations and the various grape varieties, which is why information about the sites in question should first be obtained from authoritative bodies (wine-growing consultant or specialist laboratory) before calculating deacidification.

A tartaric acid content of at least 1 g/L should remain for reasons of taste (tartaric acid is less acidic than malic acid). For food (restricted use). Must be used in compliance with the regulatory deacidification guidelines.

Permitted according to EU Commission Regulation no. 934/2019. User must check compliance with national regulations. Laboratory tested for purity and quality.

## **Dosage**

Erbslöh-Kalk is slaked with water, then slowly added to the beverage whilst stirring. This causes rapid development of  $CO_2$ , hence the need for sufficiently big deacidification tanks. 67 g Erbslöh-Kalk is required for 100 L of medium to be deacidified in order to precipitate 1 % or 1 g/L tartaric acid.

Double-salt deacidification with Neoanticid or enhanced double salt deacidification with Neoanticid and Malicid® must be carried out if major deacidification is required, if the ratio of tartaric acid to malic acid is unfavourable and generally, if the proportion of tartaric acid is low.

## **Storage**

Protect from odours and moisture. Packs which have been opened should be immediately tightly sealed.



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