# DistilaMax<sup>™</sup> SR



**DistilaMax™ SR** active dry yeast is a strain of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* that has been specially selected for use in sugar fermentations. It is effective for the fermentation of sugar cane and sugar beet products, including juice, molasses and mixed substrates.

#### product features

DistilaMax<sup>™</sup> SR exhibits a short lag phase and demonstrates a tolerance to high osmotic pressure. It also shows good resistance to the Maillard reaction byproducts found in molasses that inhibit the activities of many yeast strains. A producer of low levels of fusel oils, DistilaMax<sup>™</sup> SR is well-suited to the production of neutral cane and neutral beet spirits, as well as light rums.

## specifications

DistilaMax<sup>™</sup> SR contains an active dry strain of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* yeast.

# applications

DistilaMax<sup>™</sup> SR is a robust yeast that is used in batch and semi-continuous fermentations. DistilaMax<sup>™</sup> SR produces low levels of higher alcohols, making it a good choice for production of neutral spirits and light spirits from sugar substrates.

#### directions for use

It is recommended to rehydrate the yeast before utilization. To rehydrate, add yeast to a 10X volume of fresh water at  $40^{\circ}$ C ( $104^{\circ}$ F), then stir and allow to stand for 15 minutes.

Pitching rates will depend on the process, but generally range between 10 and 50g/hl. Lower levels can be used if there is a conditioning stage before the fermentor. If added straight to the fermentor, temperature should be between 30 and 35°C (86-95°F).

#### storage and handling

DistilaMax<sup>™</sup> SR should be stored in a cool, dry area away from heat from maximum stability. When stored under these conditions, the product is stable for 36 months from the date of manufacture.

## packaging

- 500 gram vacuum-sealed pouches
- 10 kg vaccum-sealed boxes

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