



Ca-Granulat

Granuled calcium bentonite

Product description

Ca-Granulat is a granuled calcium bentonite for stabilization of juice, grape must and wine by adsorption of haze forming proteins and other colloids. In case of a combined treatment with silica sol and protein based fining agent the clarification is supported by enhanced flocculation. Furthermore the treatment has a positive impact on the sensorial value of beverages and wines due to a limited polyphenol adsorption.

Dosage

Depending on intended effect it is advisable to determine exact dosages for the respective medium by pre-tests. The stabilizing and clarification effect results from pH-value, temperature and turbidity of the treated beverage.

Typical dosages are:

Product	Dosage [g/100 L]
Apple juice	80 - 200
Soft berry juice	100 - 250
Cider	50 - 250
Grape juice	50 - 200
Wine	50 - 200

Slowly add Ca-Granulat into a 5 - 10fold water amount under constant stirring and swell for minimum 4 - 8 hours. Prior to application check prepared suspension for off-flavour. Dilute the pre-swollen suspension with beverage before use and agitate proper.

Storage

Bentonite is very sensitive to odour and moisture. Therefore product must protect against off-flavour and moisture. Protect from moisture and foreign odours. Reseal opened packagings immediately airtight. For improper storage and application liability is excluded.

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