

## **Technical Data Sheet**

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Performance Additives **Beverage** 

## **SPHEROBENT G2000**

# Activated granulate bentonite for microdose application and easy dispersion

### **Description**

**Spherobent G2000**, sodium-activated granulated bentonite, is obtained by the re-agglomeration of powder products. This process not only allows powder-free products to be obtained, it also considerably increases their capacity to disperse and their colloidal properties, thereby increasing the level of clarification.

Spherobent G2000 is characterised by:

- extremely good deproteinising action
- almost complete absence of powder
- very easy dispersion
- very low inert matter content
- deposit volumes reduced to a minimum
- the smell and taste of the wine are not affected

The high quality of the bentonites used ensures complete deproteinising and protein stability.

**Spherobent G2000** can be used in all types of musts and wine.

Because it is highly deproteinising, **Spherobent G2000** is effective even when used in **microdoses**. It is also characterized by a high level of reducing strength with regard to **riboflavin**.

#### Instructions for use

- Disperse Spherobent G2000 in cold water (1:10 ratio) by shaking vigorously until a homogeneous suspension is obtained.
- 2. Allow the solution (gel) to stand for a few hours
- 3. Mix again and add to the product to be treated

#### **Dosage**

Spherobent G2000: from 20 to 50 g/hl

#### **Packaging**

Supplied in 25-kg paper bags

		Spherobent G2000	
Chemical-physical characteristics (typical value):			
Swelling		[ml/2g]	32
Moisture		[%]	10 – 12
Particle-size analysis		[mm]	0.15–2
Deproteinising strength (Codex)		[%]	80
Chemical analisys (tipical)		[%]	
SiO <sub>2</sub>		56.23	
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>		26	
TiO <sub>2</sub>		0.19	
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>		3.22	
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>		0.05	
MnO		0.01	
MgO		2.27	
CaO		1.78	
K <sub>2</sub> O		0.82	
Na₂O		2.54	
LOI		6.89	
Soluble metals (according to International Oenological Codex):			
Lead	[ppm]	<5	5,0
Iron	[ppm]	<600	
Sodium	[%]	<3,5	
Calcium and magnesium	[meq/100g]	<100	
Other heavy metals	[ppm]	<10	

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#### PRODUCTS FOR USE IN OENOLOGY

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