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Technical Data Sheet

Lactobacillus plantarum-Dehydrated (250g)

Product Description

Lactobacillus plantarum is a product developed by WHC Lab.

A dehydrated lactobacillus culture for kettle souring and mixed fermentation. Produces a quick clean pH drop and a citrus aroma that pairs nicely with both fruit and hops. IBU intolerant.

Guidelines

Use 10g to 25g per hl of wort, pitch at 34°C to 36°C for quickest souring.

We recommend to use no hops in the kettle at all if kettle souring.

Top tip for a quick sour in the fermenter pair with one of our kveik products to get souring and fermentation at the same time at 34/35°C. If you repitch this yeast into another IBU negative wort you will also get fermenting and souring and this can be repeated multiple times.

The intended fermentation temperature range is 34°C to 36°C.

Ingredient Declaration

Lactobacillus plantarum, maltodextrin qsp. as carrier

Technical Specification		
Strain	Lactobacillus plantarum	
Dosage	10-25g/hl	
Fermentation Temperature	34°C to 36°C	
Weight	0.25 kg	

Physical, Chemical and Microbiological properties			
Parameter	Unit of Measure	Value	Specification Value
Appearance	-	Powder	-
Odor	-	Free from foreign and off odors	Typical
Color	-	Yellow to brown	Light brown/beige
Moisture	%	≤ 8	≤ 8
Viable Count	Cfu/g	≥10¹¹	≥10¹¹
Moulds	Cfu/g	≤ 1000	≤ 1000
Coliform	Cfu/g	≤ 1000	≤ 1000
Pathogenic Bacteria	-	Negative	Negative

Allergens*

Lactobacillus plantarum bacteria does not contain added allergens. Allergens not handled on site. *EU Regulation 1169/2011 (Food Information Regulations) (Annex II)

GMO

Lactobacillus plantarum bacteria does not contain genetically modified organisms or materials.

Packaging

Lactobacillus plantarum bacteria is available in 250g vacuum-packed silver foil packs. This material complies with relevant food-contact legislation, including, EU Regulation 1935/2004 (materials intended for contact with food), EU Regulation 1245/2020 (plastic materials intended for contact with food), EU Regulation 2023/2006 (GMP for materials intended for contact with food), and FDA CFR 21 (174-179) (USA).

Store at cool to ambient temperatures (ideally 5°C to 15°C), dry, and well-ventilated environment.	
3 years from date of production, if vacuum seal is not broken, and if stored as outlined above.	
Once opened, re-seal to keep out air and water. For best results, store re-sealed packs in a refrigerator (0°C to 10°C) and use promptly. Please note expiry date on packs prior to opening. Note: Please refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet/MSDS for further advice.	



If you have any questions or concerns about our product please contact us at lab@whclab.com



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