# **Brewlab**

# Yeast Profile: 1500 Thames Valley 1

#### **SUMMARY**

Single character. Standard bitter production. Moderate fermentation speed. Light mineral worts preferred. Moderate ester ability. Moderate flocculation.

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#### MORPHOLOGY

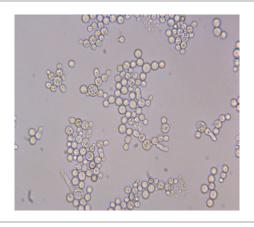
# Cell features in active growth.

Spherical, occasionally elongate cells.

#### **Colony features:**

Wallerstein media: Cream colonies with diffuse pale green centre. Textured surface regular edge/irregular edge?

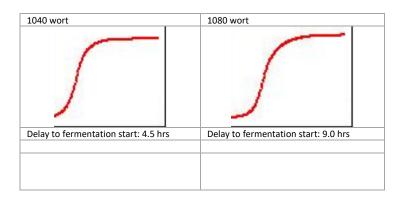
Lysine media: no growth.





#### **GROWTH PROFILES**

See summary profiles- for comparison to standard brewing and non brewing yeasts.



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# FLOCULATION AND SEDIMENTATION

Medium flocculation, strong sedimentation.

### **METABOLISM**

POF test: Negative.

Hydrogen sulphide potential under stress. Light.

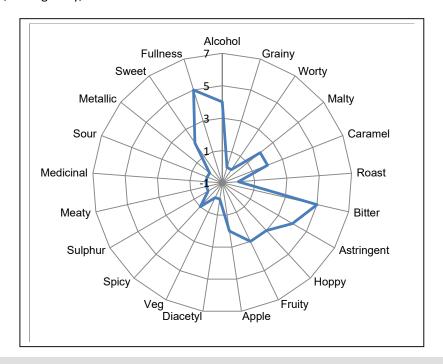
# STRESS RESISTANCE

Acid: High

Oxygen: Medium

#### **FLAVOUR PROFILE**

From neutral wort, 1040 gravity, 25 IBU bitterness.



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