



STAVES

IN DEVELOPING OUR RANGE OF STAVES , OUR AIM WAS TO MEET THE DEMANDS OF OUR CUSTOMERS , WHO WANTED TO "SEE THE CHARACTERISTIC BOUTES STYLE EXTENDED TO 'ALTER - NATIVE' PRODUCTS ".

We do in fact offer a whole range of barrel-related products, all meeting the same exacting quality criteria to which we hold our barrel-making.

- Rigorous selection of oak woods based on their quality and grain

At our stave yard at Louroux de Bouble (Allier) we make our barrel-staves and individual staves from the same timber. We make no distinction.

- Slow, open-air maturing at our wood yard in Marcenat (Allier)

- Bespoke toasting

We toast our staves in a state of the art infra-red heat tunnel. This process allows for perfect regulation of the desired aromatic profile , through monitoring and controlling the duration and intensity of the toast. With this technique we can avoid a uniform all-over toast, and favour a more balanced aromatic profile.

As a result, we can offer products which are regular and consistent in their style and quality, created using the same principles that we apply to our barrel-making.

..... Technical information:



Stave



Packet of 22 Staves



Box of 4x22 staves

Packaging :

Thermosealed packets of 22 staves. Packaging made of polyester, aluminium and polyethylene, ensuring complete protection against damp, air, light, odours and external contaminants.

Contact surface / stave: 0.115cm \varnothing
Contact surface / packet of 22 staves: 2.5m \varnothing
Contact surface / box: 10m \varnothing
Stave to barrel ratio: one packet of 22 staves makes 1.3 barrels

Weight :

Packet of 22 staves = 6.6 kg
Box of 4 x 22 stave-packets = 26.4 kg

Stave size :

95 x 5 x 1 cm
Holes pierced 5 cm in from either end
(Hole diameter 1 cm)

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