

IDENTIFICATION OF YEAST STRAINS BY 26s rDNA sequence analysis, chemo-taxonomic testing and DNA 'Fingerprinting':

CONDITIONS OF ANALYSIS

The National Collection of Yeast Cultures (NCYC) will analyse yeast samples under the following conditions:

1. Price

DNA 'Fingerprinting':	£250 per strain/gel (unless included in Premium Safe Deposit package. <i>Sacch. cerevisiae</i> strains only).
Chemo-Taxonomic:	£250 per strain
DNA Sequencing:	£200 per strain
Isolation & Purification:	£80 per strain (if required).

Payment is net 30 days following receipt of notice.

2. Delivery

The Customer will deliver the samples carriage paid by any method of transport at the Customer's option; all samples will be at the Customer's risk during transit.

3. Performance

3.1

The NCYC will use its best endeavours to carry out the Analysis but in the event of it becoming impossible of performance or otherwise frustrated then the NCYC shall inform the Customer and shall discuss with the Customer whether to abandon or otherwise redirect the Analysis.

3.2

While the NCYC will use its best endeavours to ensure accuracy, the Customer understands and accepts that the results are subject to normal experimental error and are based on the evidence and methods and techniques known at the time.

4. Endorsement

The Customer shall not use the results supplied by the NCYC in such a way as to suggest or imply any recommendation by the NCYC of the Customer's products or services or any connection between the NCYC and the Customer. The Customer agrees to submit for the NCYC's prior written approval any advertising or similar material in which the Customer refers to the NCYC.

5. Confidentiality

All communications from the Customer to the NCYC and all information and other material supplied to or received by the NCYC from the Customer which is by its nature intended to be exclusively by the knowledge of the Customer alone shall unless otherwise agreed to be kept confidential by the NCYC.

6. Limitation of Liability

The total liability of the NCYC to the Customer for any and all losses and damages arising from any cause whatsoever shall in no circumstances exceed the greater of the Contract price or the full economic cost actually paid by the Customer to the NCYC.

7. Health and Safety

The Customer shall disclose fully and fairly to the NCYC any risk or hazard to the health of humans, animals or plants known or reasonably thought by the Customer to be inherent to any item or associated with its testing in accordance with the Contract.

8 Governing Law & Jurisdiction

These terms are subject to English Law and any dispute arising from the Analysis shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts .