

OSCAR — a national observatory for a sustainable deployment of disease-resistant grape varieties



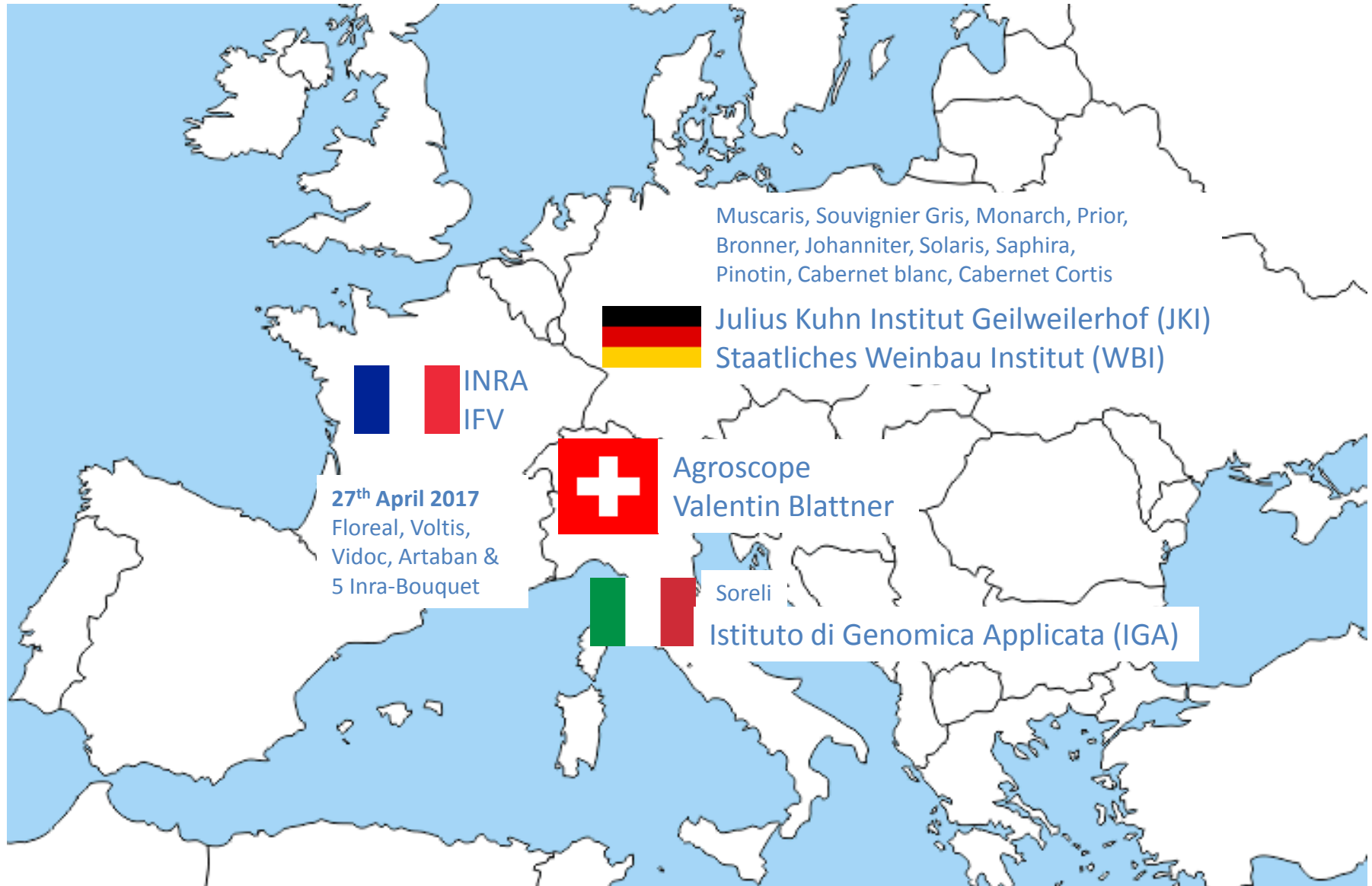
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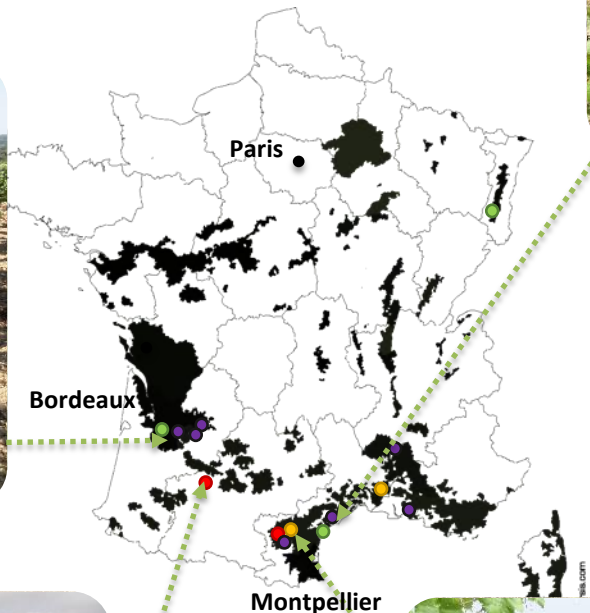
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In Europe, conventional breeding programmes has led to the creation of a new generation of disease resistant varieties with excellent agronomic and organoleptic characteristics.



In France, an underlying trend for the use of disease-resistant varieties



Challenges

1. Valorisation potential

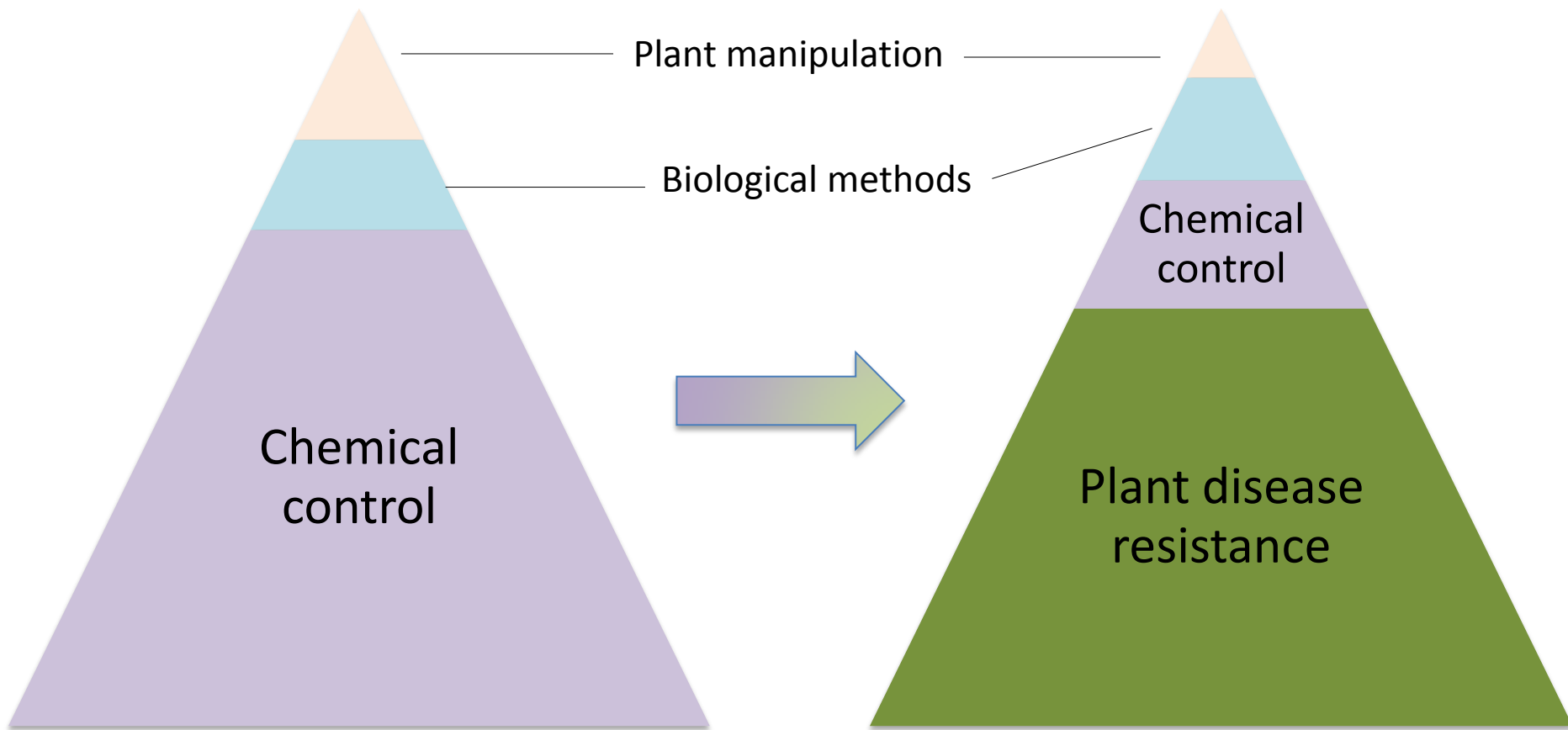
- Quality, organoleptic characteristics, wine-making process
- Market 'environmental quality'
- Regulation (Varieties deriving from interspecific crosses are prohibited in AOC - European regulations EU1308/2013)



Challenges

2. Cropping systems

- Management of varieties with new « disease profiles »
- Modification of the cropping system and of the objectives of grapevine protection



Challenges

3. Durability of resistances

- Perennial plant, limited number of genes
- Adaptation of the pathogens to plant resistance
- Increase of aggressiveness, erosion of quantitative resistance

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Breakdown of resistance to grapevine downy mildew upon limited deployment of a resistant variety

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Adaptation of a plant pathogen to partial host resistance: selection for greater aggressiveness in grapevine downy mildew

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Rapid and multiregional adaptation to host partial resistance in a plant pathogenic oomycete: Evidence from European populations of *Plasmopara viticola*, the causal agent of grapevine downy mildew



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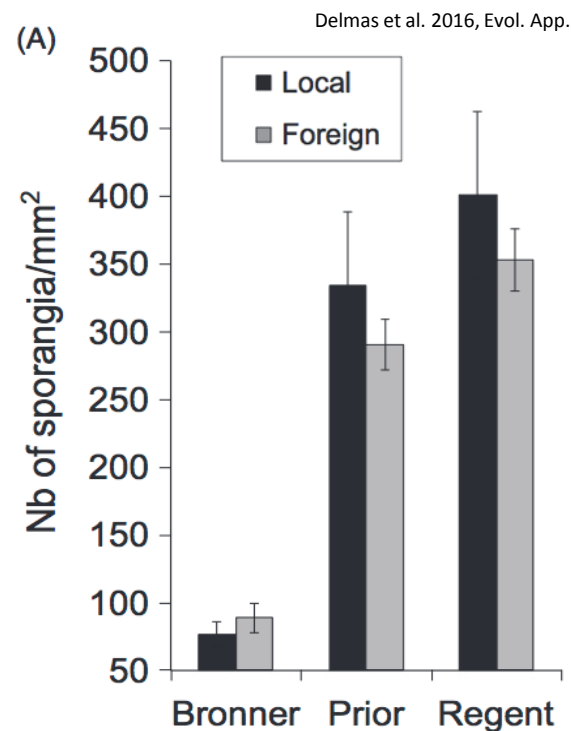
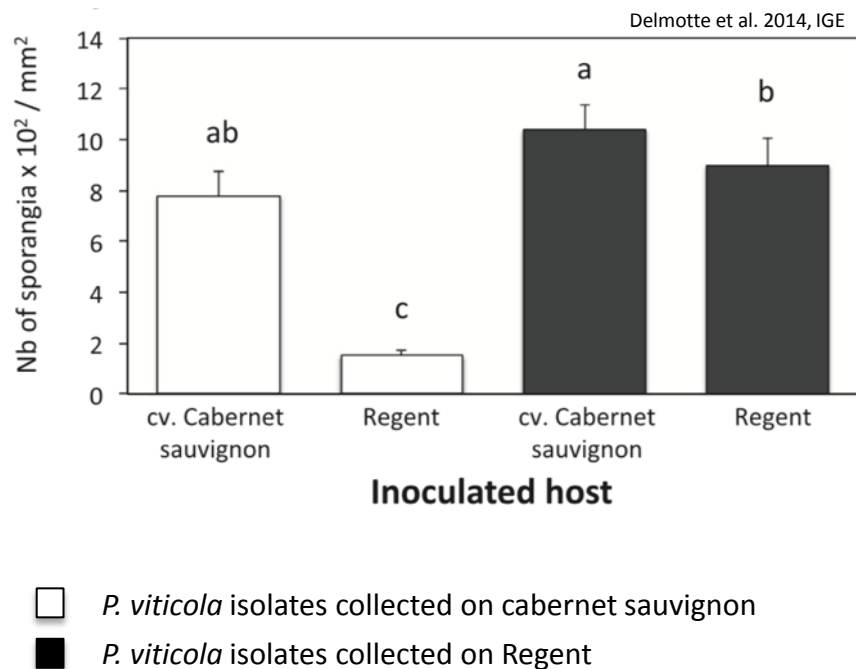
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Challenges

3. Durability of resistances

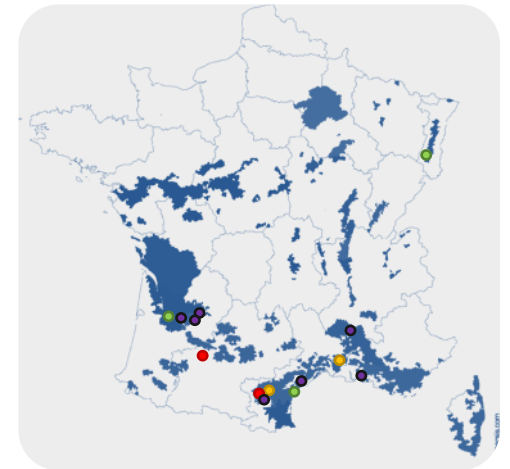
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Observatoire national du déploiement des **cépages résistants**

- A national network launched in 2017
- Based on wine growers willingness to contribute
- Research and action is being done 'with' people and not 'for' people



**To organise the collective
monitoring of long-term
resistance efficacy**



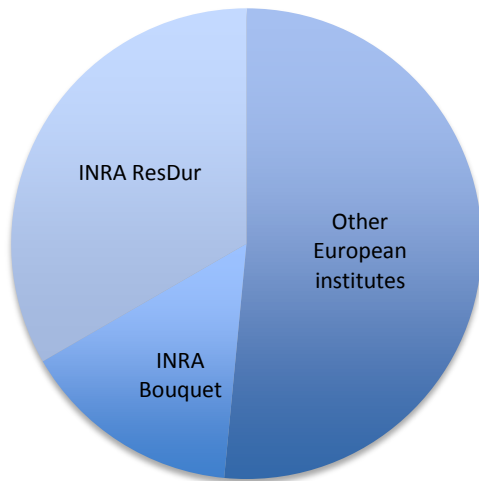
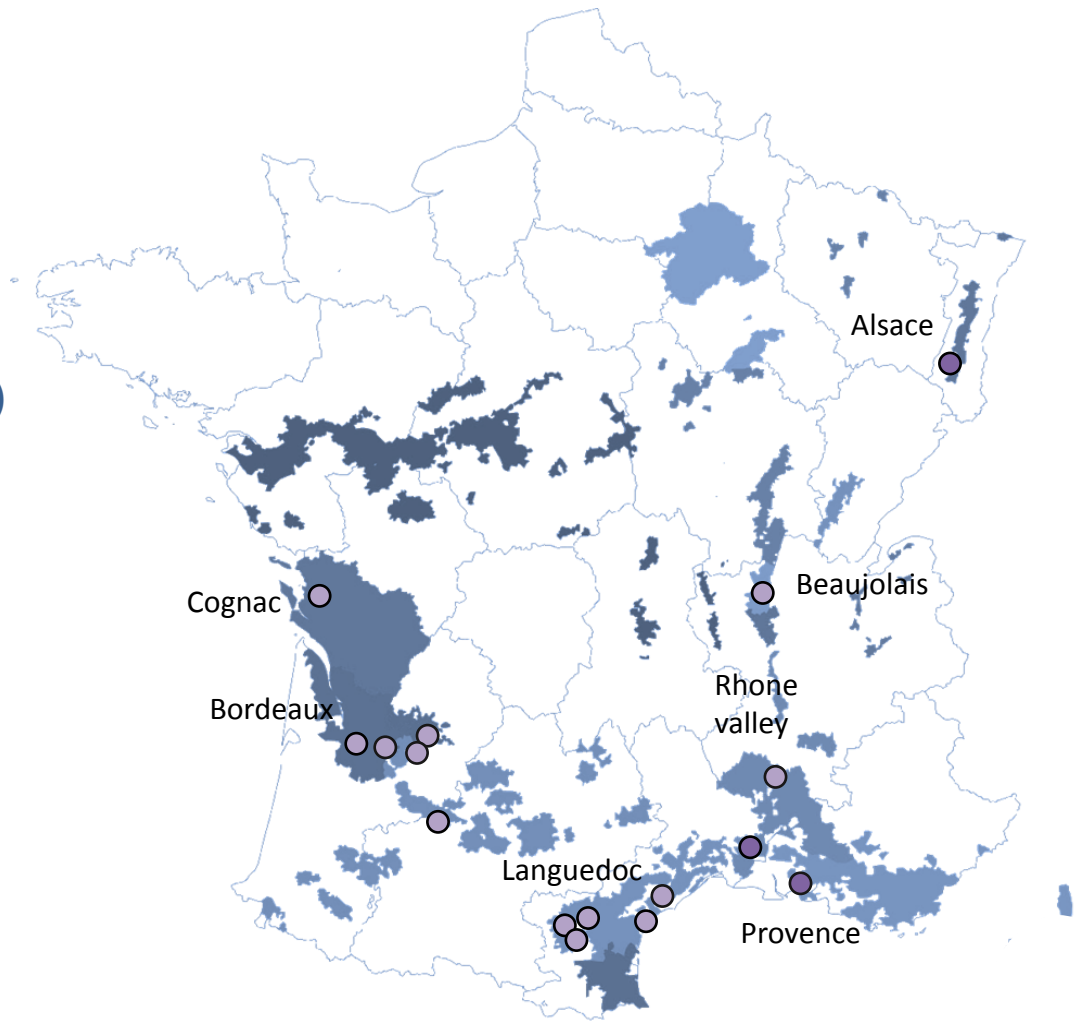
**To collect data,
share results
and experiences**

**To initiate a
participatory
action research**



- Plot in production (> 0.5 ha)
- Diversity of agro-climatic conditions
- Diversity of cropping systems
- OSCAR includes all resistant varieties registered in France
 - INRA-Bouquet (Rpv1, Run1)
 - INRA- Floreal, Voltis, Artaban, Vidoc (Rpv1/Rpv3; Run1/Ren3)
 - Cabernet cortis, Sauvignier gris, Soreli, Monarch, Muscaris

- 2017 — #34 plots
(Bordeaux, Rhone valley, Provence, Languedoc)
- 2018 — #65 plots
(+ Cognac, Alsace, Beaujolais)
- ≈ 300 ha
- 20 varieties



Implementation

- A shared protocol

Mars - Avril	Débourrement
Mai	Préfloraison
	> Evaluation bioagresseurs:
Juin	Floraison / Nouaison
	> Evaluation bioagresseurs:
Juillet	Fermeture
	> Evaluation bioagresseurs:
Août	Véraison
	> Evaluation bioagresseurs:
Septembre	Récolte
	> Evaluation bioagresseurs:
Octobre	
	> Bilan de campagne
	> Estimation de la pression parasitaire locale



1. Description of the plot

2. Socio-economical characteristics of the farm

3. Phenological stages

4. Diseases dynamics

5. Local disease pressure

6. Phytosanitary protection

7. Harvest

Implementation

- Survey of practices, feedback
 - *Agronomical behaviour (plant growth, fragility, productivity, quality)*
 - *Mecanisation (pruning, yield)*
 - *Protection (Strategy and Decision rules)*



Implementation

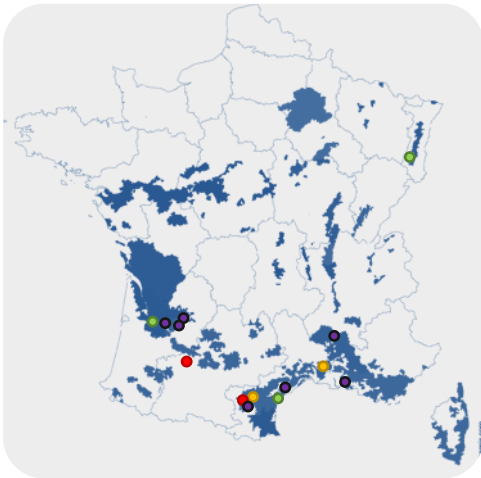
- Assessing diseases at the vineyards

Epidemiology of pathogens (targeted or not by grape resistance)



Implementation

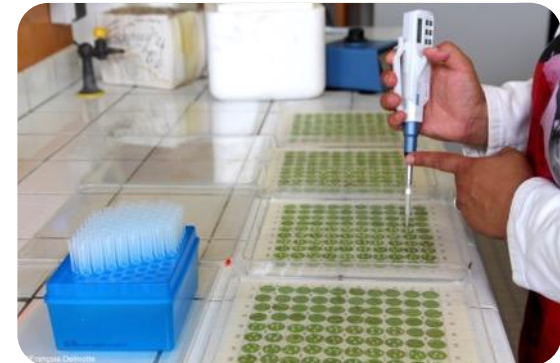
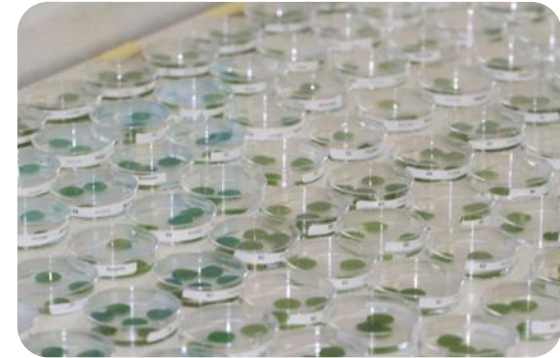
- **Monitoring** pathogens targetted by R genes
- Long-term preservation of isolates
- Bioassays to assess aggressiveness/ virulence evolution



Annual large-scale sampling



Multiplication, preservation



Monitoring of aggressiveness



Disease-resistant grapevine cultivars drastically reduce fungicides use: results of a five years multi-criteria evaluation of two low-fungicide input cropping systems

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Objectives

The RESINTBIO project aims to design and evaluate low input cropping systems. We compare a system using disease resistant grape variety with a system using susceptible variety. The systems combine different strategies of diseases, pests and weed control (Table). For the system based on the resistant variety Artaban, we also evaluate the durability of the resistance genes Rpv1 and Rpv3.

Method

Two systems, planted in 2011, are experimented at a large scale (3 repetitions of 0,2 ha) for a multi-criteria evaluation.

In the field : Multi-criteria evaluation

RES : fungus resistant variety system INT : low-pesticide input system

Strategies	RES	INT
Efficiency of chemical treatments	Decision rules Doses reduction	Decision rules Doses reduction
Cultural control	Mechanical weed control	Mechanical weed control
Biocontrol	Natural substances use	Natural substances use
Prophylaxis	Leaf removal Inoculum suppression	Leaf removal Inoculum suppression
Varietal resistance	Variety Artaban, resistant to downy and powdery mildew	Variety Cabernet sauvignon

○ Not used ● Low ● Moderate ● High
Levels of utilisation of the strategies in the 2 systems

Criteria used to evaluate the systems :

- Production (yields, quality, residues)
- Pests and diseases
- Environmental impact
- Costs of production, working time

In the lab : Durability assessment of the resistance

- Cross-inoculation of pathogens on plants in controlled conditions
- 4 hosts*85 isolates*4 replicates = 1360 interactions (leaf discs)
- Aggressiveness assessed at 6 days after inoculation by image analysis

• Origin of downy mildew isolates

res. var : Isolates collected on Artaban (system RES). **44 isolates**

sus. var. : Isolates collected on *V. vinifera* in Bordeaux region. **41 isolates**
Isolated were collected from 2011 to 2015

• Inoculated hosts Resistance genes

Cabernet sauvignon	-
Artaban	Rpv1, Rpv3
U85	Rpv1
Regent	Rpv3



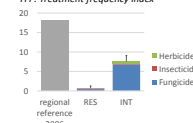
- Data analysis: one way ANOVA and Tukey test

Results

In the field

Environment

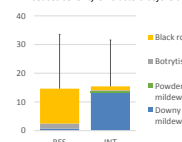
TFI : Treatment frequency index*



-50% IFT reduction for INT compared to regional references ; 90% of IFT reduction between RES and INT.
-The quantity of fungicide residues measured in the wine is low : 3 molecules in INT, and none in RES.

Agronomy

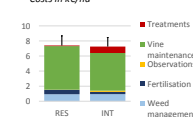
Diseases severity on clusters before the harvest (%)



-Diseases severity on clusters are principally caused by **downy mildew in INT, and black rot in RES**.
Diseases severity in RES less than 5% since 2015, with decision rules for 1 or 2 treatments against black rot

-Yields objectives reached almost every year in INT and always higher than 78%. Since 2015 yields objectives reached in RES.

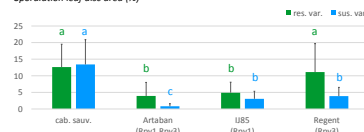
Socio-economics



-No difference of costs between the 2 systems. The savings made thanks to the economy of treatments in RES are balanced with prophylaxis measures. Costs close to the references.

In the lab

Sporulation leaf disc area (%)



Resistance efficiency depends on isolate's origin

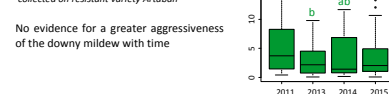
For isolates collected on *V. vinifera*, resistant varieties are more efficient with 2 resistance genes. For isolates collected on Artaban, we found resistance breakdown for Rpv3 but a high resistance level for Rpv1 alone and for Rpv1 pyramided with Rpv3

Evidence for adaptation to resistance genes

Isolates collected on Artaban are more aggressive on Artaban and Regent than isolates collected on *V. vinifera*. However, resistant varieties do not select for additional aggressiveness on susceptible variety

Resistance erosion with time ?

Sporulation leaf disc area (%) of isolates collected on resistant variety Artaban



No evidence for a greater aggressiveness of the downy mildew with time

Conclusion : Resistances remain overall efficient. Pathogen adaptation results from the selection by resistant genes of preexisting aggressive isolates.

Oral presentation (O29)

Session 'Genomics and data handling' – Mario Pezzotti

Tuesday 15h40

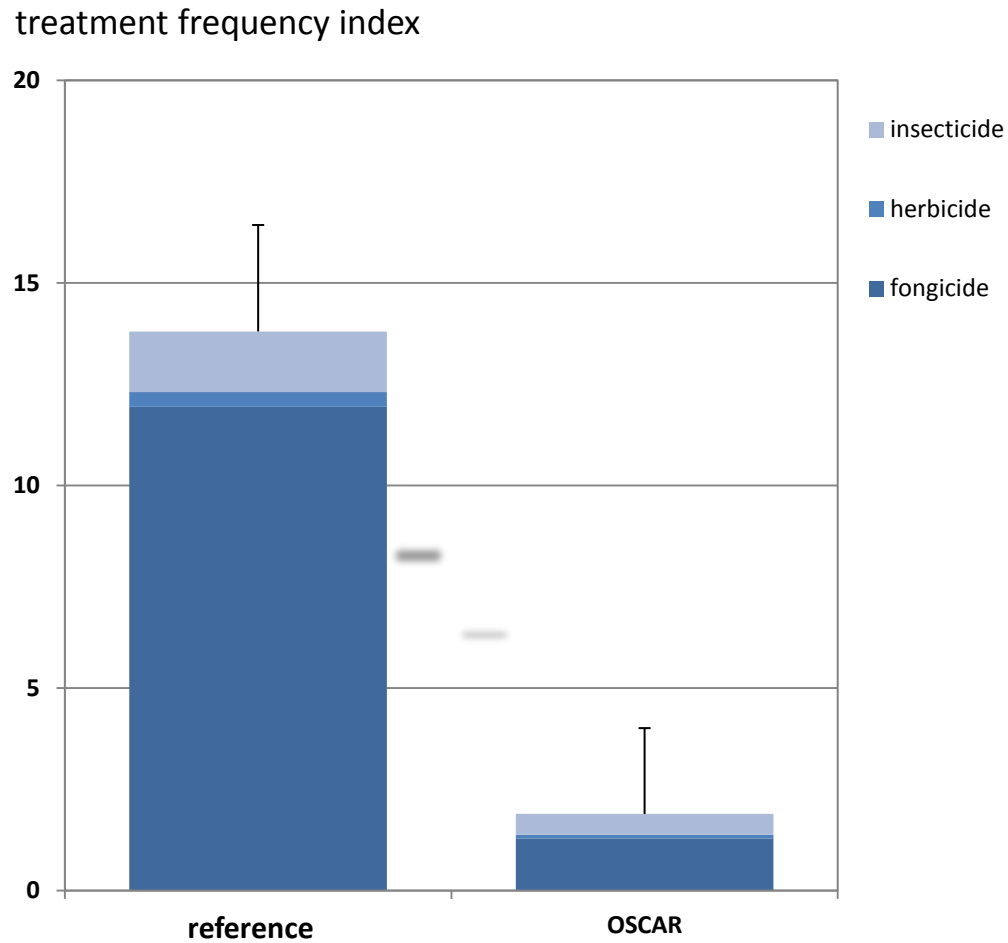
Yann Dussert et al.

"Plasmopara viticola population genomics : adaptation of downy mildew to grapevine partial



*sum, for the various applications, of the ratio of the applied pesticide dose to the national recommended dose

Overall, a reduction of 86% of fungicide use



2017 - Pests & diseases prevalence

Maximal **frequency** of vines presenting disease symptoms on **leaves**



Downy

Powdery

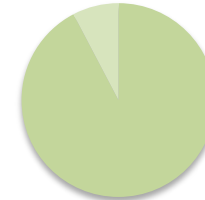
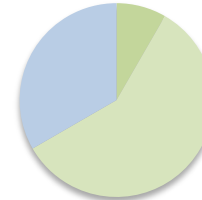
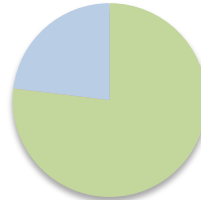
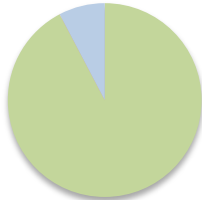
Black-rot

Mites

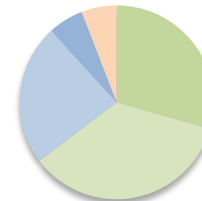
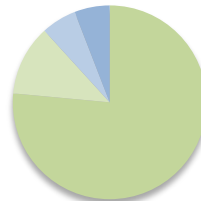
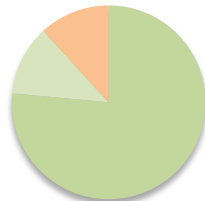
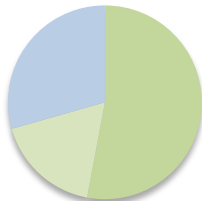
Anthracnose

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varieties



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2017 - Pests & diseases prevalence

Maximal severity of symptoms on clusters



Downy

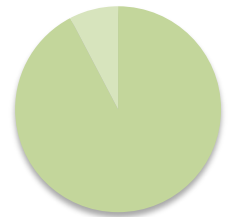
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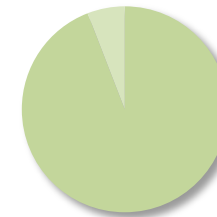
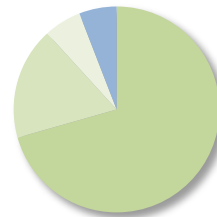
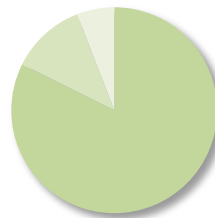
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Objectives

OSCAR was born in January 2017. A national observatory for a sustainable deployment of disease resistant grape varieties.

Varieties monitored



You will find here the characteristics of resistant grape varieties monitored within OSCAR in the form of summary sheets.

Identifying symptoms



Partially disease resistant grape varieties can get diseases symptoms but sometimes in a different form from susceptible varieties.

Legislation



The regulation for resistant grape varieties is moving. Registration, classification... Find out the synthesis here

Summary sheets by variety



3159-2-12 B



» 3160-11-3 N



>> 3176-21-11 N



3184-1-9 N



>> 3197-81 B



>> **Artaban**



Cabernet cortis



» Floreal



>> **Monarch**



Muscaris



>> **Soreli**



>> **Souvignier gris**



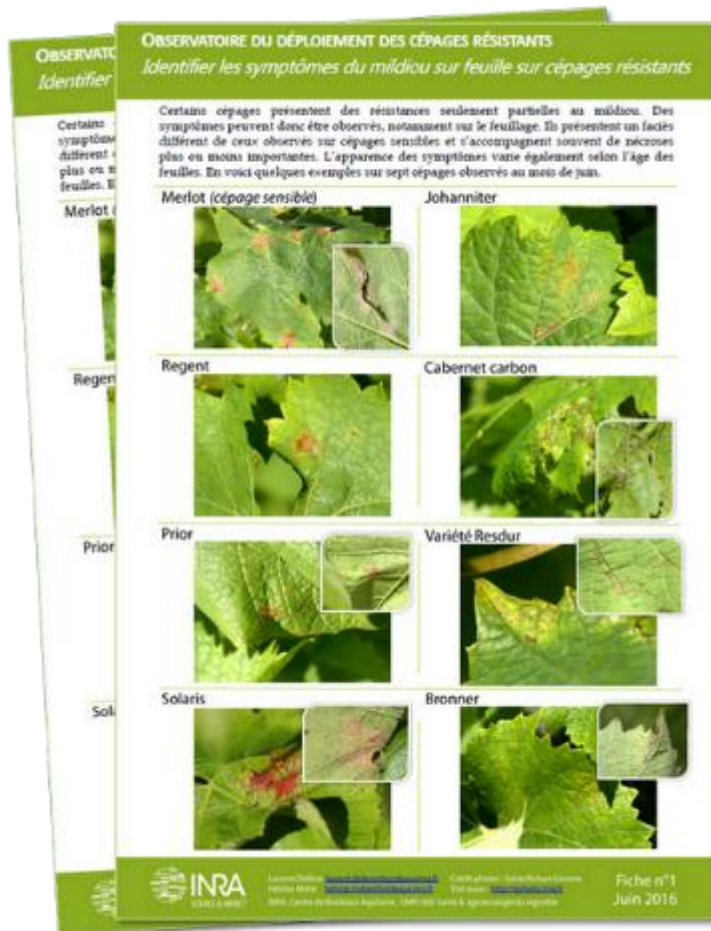
Vidoc



» **Voltis**



« Learning tools » for disease symptoms recognition



Update on legislation



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Legislation

In France, any grape variety intended for use in producing and marketing wine must meet two cumulative conditions: **be registered in the official listing** and **be classified** as a wine-grape vine variety. Although the very first definitive classifications for resistant grape varieties were awarded at the beginning of 2017, some grape varieties have a **temporary classification**, even if they are sometimes registered in the official listing in the country in which they were bred. Limited areas of **trial plots can then be planted**. The modalities are defined by the [Ministerial Order of 9 May 2016](#) under the new [planting licensing](#) regime.

- + Temporary classification, definitive classification, registration in the EU common catalogue of plant varieties - what is the difference?
- + What are the approaches for experimental planting?
- + How to find planting material ?
- + Can AOC (protected designation of origin) be made with these new grape varieties?

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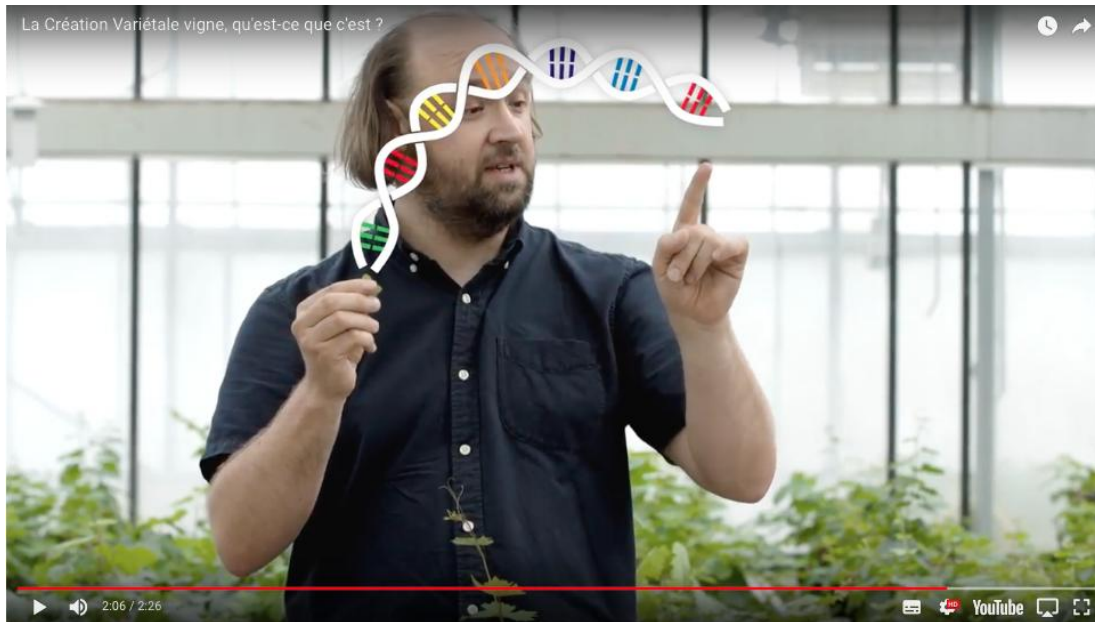


Lancement d'une thèse en septembre qui s'appuiera sur le réseau OSCAR !
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Une collecte nationale de mildiou da...
OSCAR, en structurant les initiatives d...
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- Videos
- Reports, press kits
- Technical articles
- Scientific papers





Expected results of OSCAR

- Data on the « behaviour » of the interaction
[Variety] × [Cropping system] × [Agroclimatic cond.]
- Data on the valorization of wines produced for R-var.
- Durable management of resistance
 - Long term monitoring of resistance efficacy
 - Epidemiological data to calibrate mathematical models
- Surveillance of emergences (new diseases, etc.)
- Enlarge OSCAR to Switzerland, Germany, Italy, etc.?

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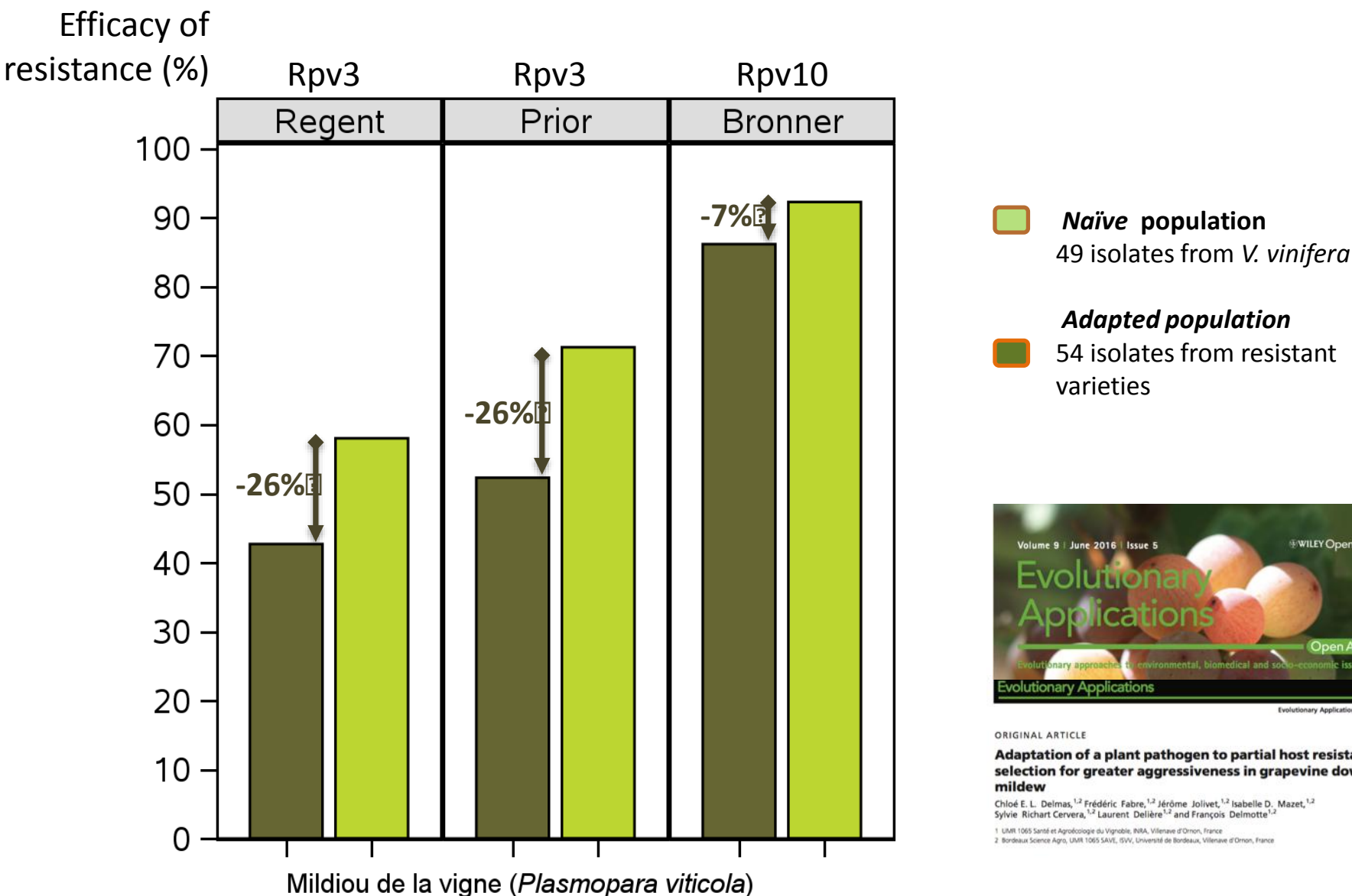
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Cultivar specificity ?

A general increase of aggressiveness

