



«Innovation brings us closer to nature...»



The guardian of aromas

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The advent of the industrial era led some thinkers to imagine a false dichotomy between nature on the one hand and progress and the inventions it produced on the other. Today, science is forging a reconciliation between progress and nature by developing a virtuous circle known as sustainable development.

Genuine technological development has always looked to nature for inspiration. We at Diam are mindful of this for all our technological and industrial developments. The best way to preserve a food product is to look at how fruits protect the seeds they carry. Science allows us to discover the infinite potential offered up by the molecules of these fruits.

Diam takes inspiration from nature to improve its products. This is how the concept of Diam corks was born: purify the cork, using a natural process, to eliminate any molecules that could impair the taste of the wine. Many more innovations quickly followed to help our corks provide the best possible ageing conditions for some of the world's greatest wines. Today, Origine by Diam[®] offers the world of wine a corking solution that is totally natural and respectful of our environment and our planet.

Dominique Tourneix
Directeur Général



«A real innovation
is one that respects our planet...»



CORK, A CENTRAL ELEMENT OF A SUSTAINABLE ECONOMY.

Natural cork is the main material used for the manufacture of our closures (>95% of the volume of the corks), giving our products unrivalled elasticity. Unlike alternative types of corks, our Diamant system of cork purification uses very little energy. The cork industry contributes considerably to maintaining our oak forests and to the economy of the cork-producing regions of the western Mediterranean and Europe's southern Atlantic seaboard.

A BINDING AGENT DERIVED FROM RENEWABLE RESOURCES, A REAL TECHNOLOGICAL BREAKTHROUGH.

After many years of work, Diam Bouchage's research and development teams have perfected a binding agent composed of 100% bio-based polyol, from a totally renewable source. Our stoppers will thus benefit from an innovative ingredient, exclusively of plant origin. Tested and approved by independent laboratories, this new binding agent is a real technological breakthrough, combining efficiency with respect for the environment.



BEESWAX, 100% NATURAL.

The beeswax used in Origine by Diam[®] corks is completely natural. It makes the corks totally watertight, protecting the wine against any capillary migration and protecting the integrity of the cork elasticity. As pollinators, bees contribute hugely to our biodiversity and to the life of mankind on Earth! In recognition of this, Diam Bouchage has decided to support the association www.untoitpourlesabeilles.fr.



«Origine by Diam®
protects the nature of your wines»



ORIGINE BY DIAM®, THE LATEST ADDITION TO OUR RANGE.

Designed using environmentally-friendly innovations, these new products in the Origine by Diam® offerings are currently available in DIAM 10 and DIAM 30. They carry the same guarantee as the classic Diam range in terms of security, consistency and choice. The Origine by Diam® range will soon be extended to include other products in the same brand for still and sparkling wines.





Since 2005, we have been designing and producing innovative high-tech corks. Our company is renowned for its revolutionary Diamant® process, which gets rid of the trichloroanisole (TCA*) molecules that can give wine a musty flavour, as well as other molecules likely to impair the taste. Our stoppers thus maintain a neutral environment in which to protect the wine's aromas, year after year and bottle after bottle. To keep pace with growing demand on five continents, we recently built a new cork-processing plant at our site in Céret, in south west France. With our three brands, Diam, Mytik and Altop, respectively for still wines, sparkling wines and spirits, we currently market one and a half billion closures a year.



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