Industrial Sorghum Malting: Technologies that can be used and practical considerations

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Malting

- What is malting?
 - Germination of grain in moist air under controlled conditions
- Objectives for opaque beer brewing
 - Mobilization of endogenous enzymes of the grain
 - Use of the endogenous enzymes to modify grain constituents for ready solubilisation
 - Use of the endogenous enzymes to solubilise starchy adjunct during mashing



Grain reception

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Storage in silos

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> NO UNAUTHORNED PASSENGERS



Self-emptying conical steep tank





Loading of grain into the steep





Germination in outdoor floor malting of sorghum

Pneumatic malting

- Steeped grain is transferred onto a perforated steel floor indoors.
- Air is blown from underneath the floor through the grain.

"Pneumatic" – by means of compressed air

• Saladin box-type germination chambers



spray atomisation units

Saladin box or compartment germination vessel





Drying malt outdoors



The kiln





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