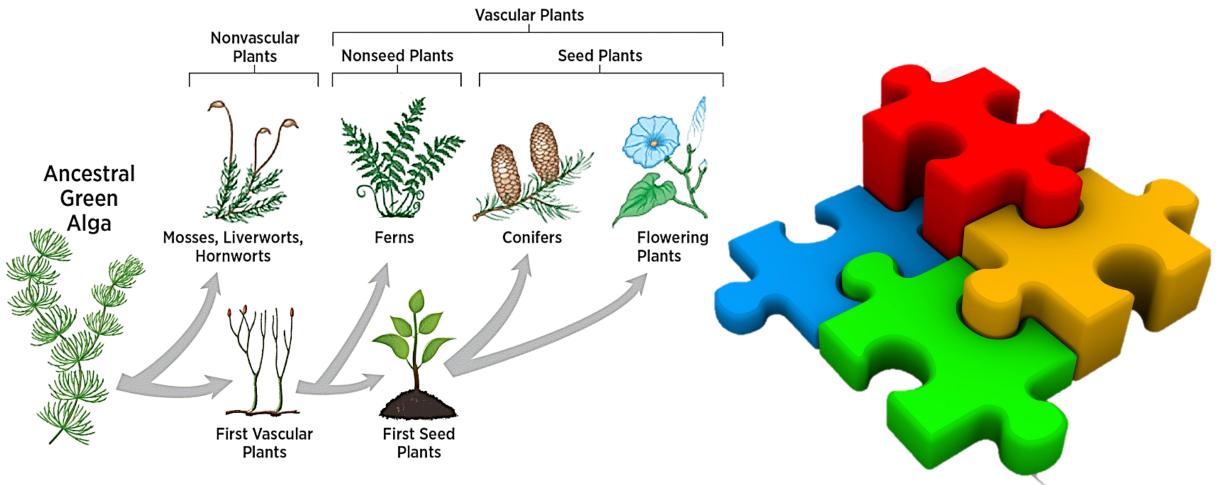




ABIOTIC STRESS TOLERANCE & GRAPEVINE BIODIVERSITY: phenotyping activities for climate change adaptation

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Abiotic stress adaptation



In millions of years of fighting for survival even a detail can make the difference!



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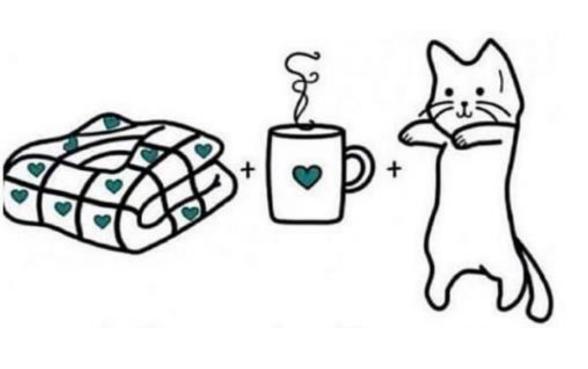
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- Winter warming
- **Earlier bud break**
- ➤ Increased risks of spring frost damages



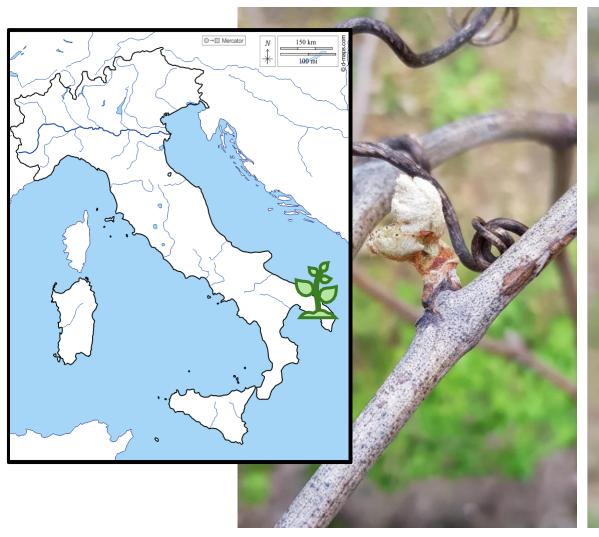
How to face wintertime?





Also plants have their strategies!

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000: Dormancy: winter buds pointed to rounded, light or dark brown and bud scales more or less closed according to cultivar



001: Beginning of bud swelling: buds begin to expand inside the bud scales



003: End of bud swelling: buds swollen, but not green



005: "Wool stage": brown wool clearly visible



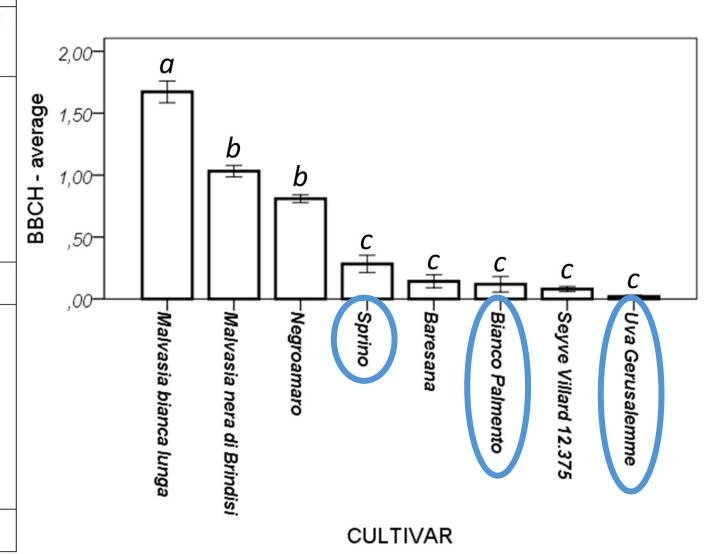
007: Beginning of bud burst: green shoot tips just visible

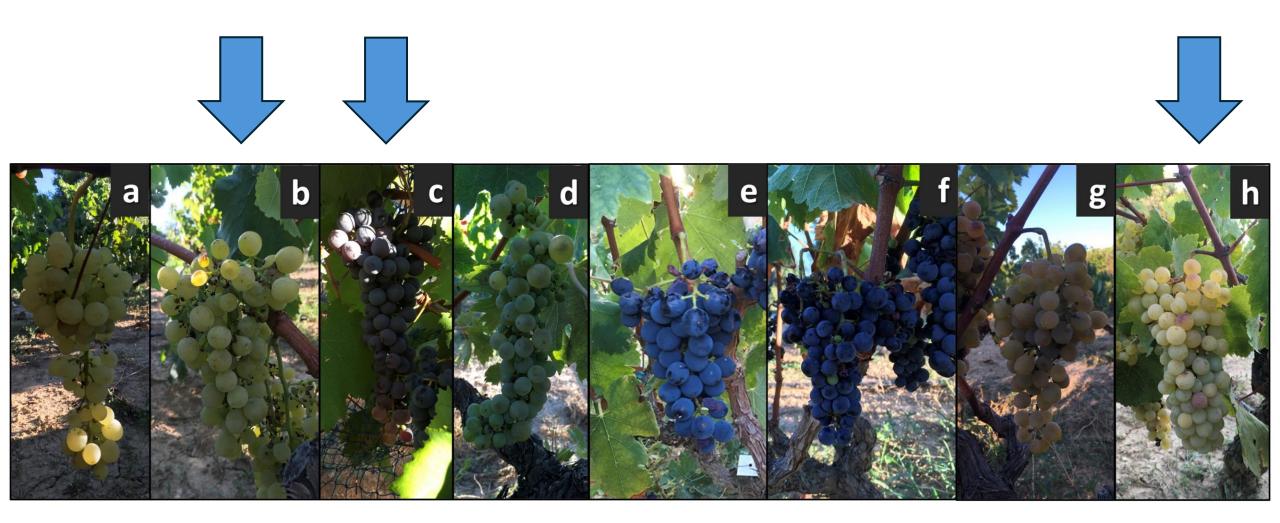


009: Bud burst: green shoot tips clearly visible

"Prevention is better than treatment"

CULTIVAR SELECTION





(a) Baresana, (b) Bianco Palmento, (c) Uva Gerusalemme, (d) Malvasia bianca lunga, (e) Malvasia near di Brindisi, (f) Negroamaro, (g) Seyve Villard 12.375, (h) Sprino

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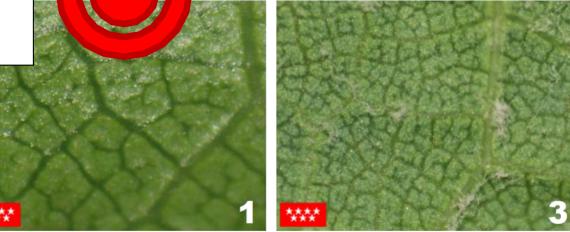
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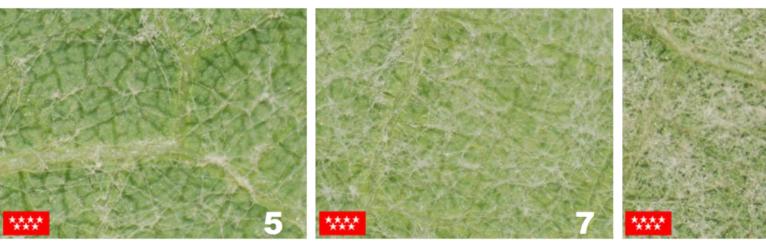
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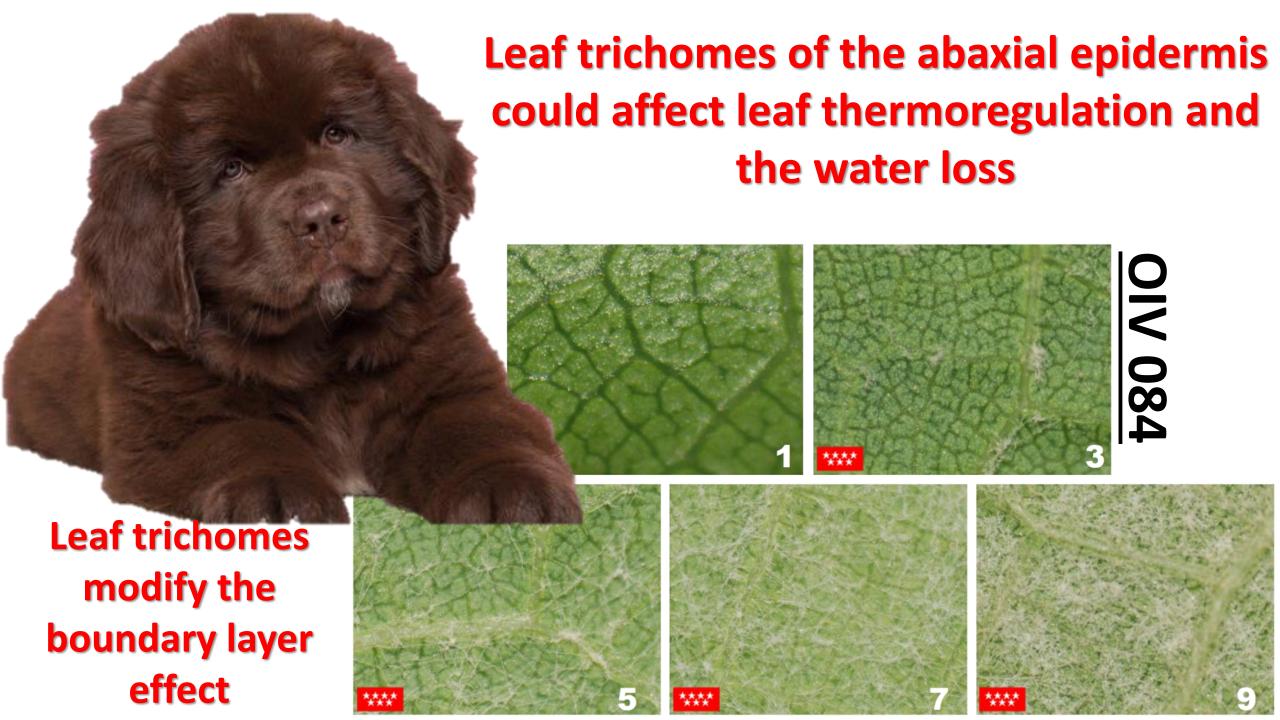
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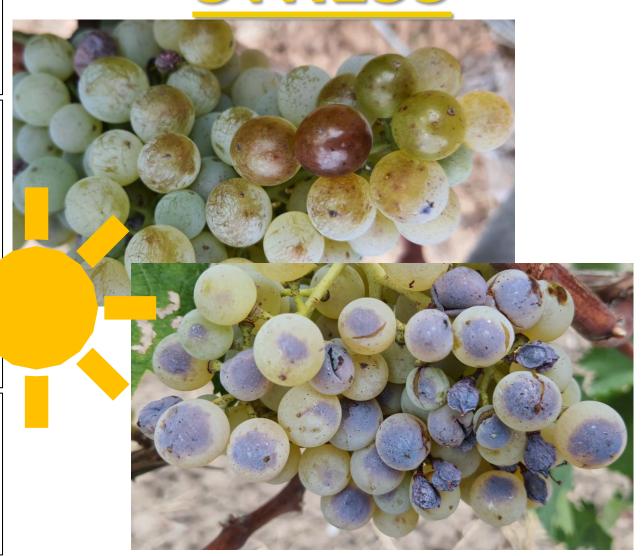
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RADIATIVE STRESS



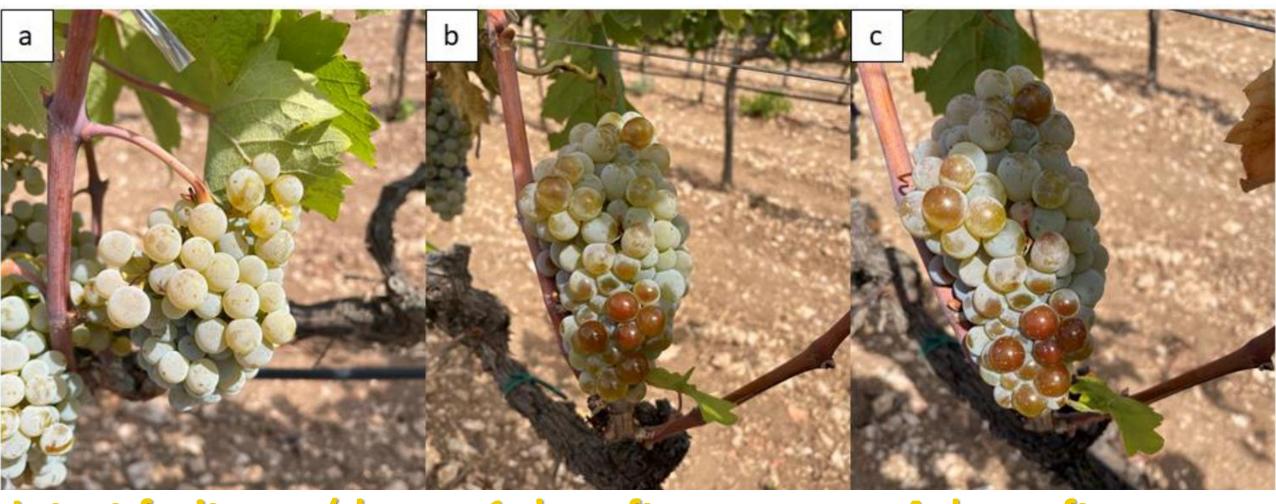


Photooxidative sunburn depends on chemical composition

(photosynthetic pigments and phenolics)



EPICUTICULAR WAXES = RADIATION BARRER



Intact fruit wax (day 4th)

1 day after wax removal

4 days after wax removal

To understand the ability of different genotypes to adapt to climate changed conditions, nothing can be taken for granted. Sometimes, small and apparently meaningless details could participate to the stress tolerance. Thus, it is important to observe the plants in ampelographic fields or in poly-varietal old vineyards to highlight the variability among genotypes preserving and exploiting the grapevine intraspecific biodiversity.





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