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Prédiction, Détection et Prévention des Risques en Viticulture : Maladies, Ravageurs et Climat

Predicting, Detecting and Preventing grapevine risks: Diseases, pests and climate







# VitiMeteo a modular prognosis system for targeted plant protection in viticulture

Predicting, Detecting and Preventing grapevine risks: Diseases, pests and climate

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## Forecasting – Monitoring - Decision

#### VitiMeteo is a system combined:

- forecasting,
- monitoring
- decisions

#### Scientific basis

- Infection cycle of grapevine pathogens
- Population dynamics of grapevine pests
- Phenology and growth dynamics of grapevine

#### **Technology**

- Electronic weather station
- Database for weather data
- Software





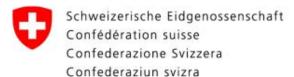


#### VitiMeteo – Joint Project

A joint cross-border project between research and a private software company

VitiMeteo Consortium

#### Research & Development



Eidgenössisches Volkswirtschaftsdepartement EVD Forschungsanstalt Agroscope Changins-Wädenswil ACW



#### Software development



Financed by own funds of the participating research institutions

MEASUREMENT SYSTEMS AND SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT

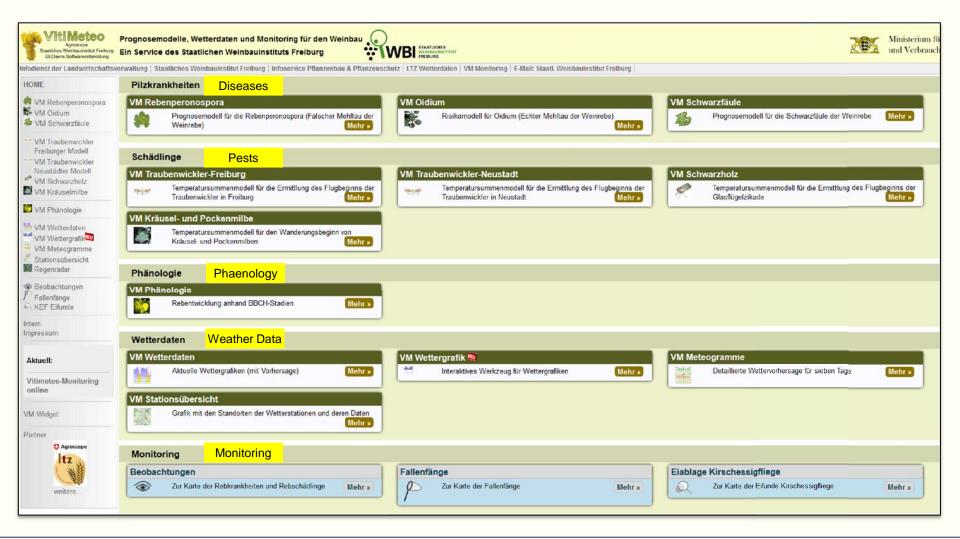
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## Internet Platform: <a href="http://www.vitimeteo.de/">http://www.vitimeteo.de/</a> 2017

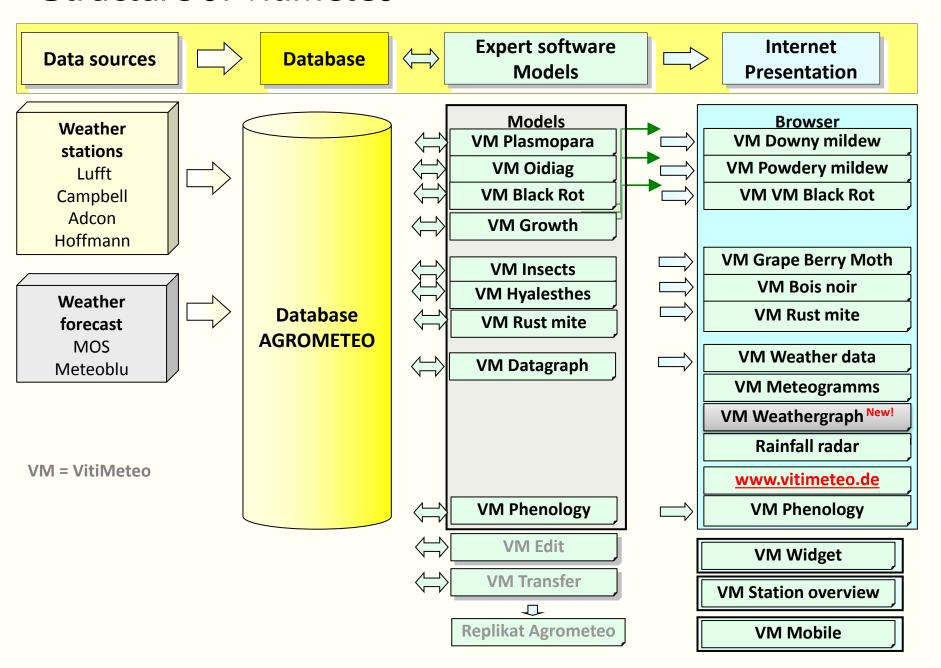








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Data sources Temperature
Rel. Humidity
Precipitation
Leaf Wetness
Day-Night Rhythm

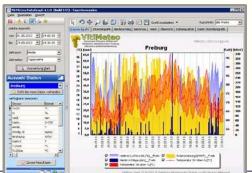


Data base

Data acquisition Data storage

Expert software

Data Processing Modeling



Internet presentation

Data Presentation Information Output

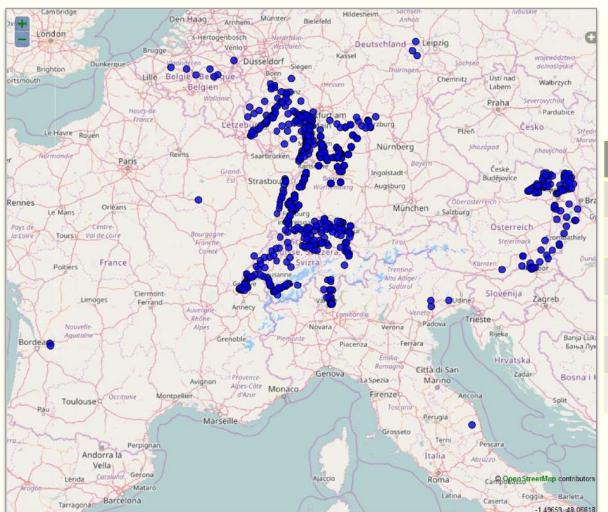






## Application of VitiMeteo in Europe 2017

#### VitiMeteo is used on > 175.000 ha vineyards in central Europe



Weather stations	
Switzerland	~ 95
Germany	~ 180
Austria	~ 100
Belgium	~ 7
Italy	~ 50
France	~ 15







## Basis of VitiMeteo – Biology of the Target Pathogens

Algorithms take all of development steps of *P. viticola* into account

The algorithms were generated using the relationships between meteorological conditions and developmental stages.

Secondary Infection

Release of Zoospores Leaf Wetness  $\Sigma$  h x temp >50

Dispersal of Sporangia

Wind / water droplets Survival of Sporangia → temp + RH

Oospore Maturation **End of Winter Dormancy Primary Infection** Oospore Germination
Dispersal of released Zoospores Infection of Host via Stomata **Incubation Period** Temperature-dependent Sporulation Temp >12°C Leaf Wetness or >92% RH

According to: Olivier Viret, Canton de Vaud (CH), Agroscope

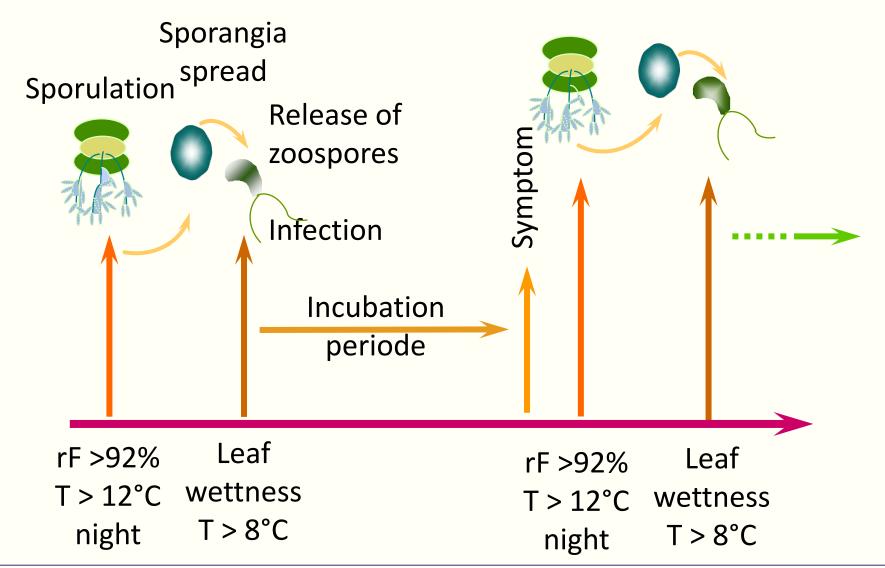
Photoperiod → Darkness







## Infection Cycle of Downy Mildew





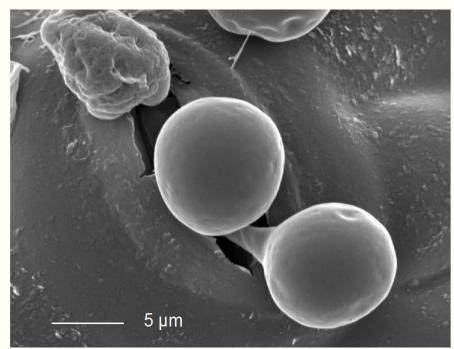






# Infection Cycle of Downy Mildew – Infection





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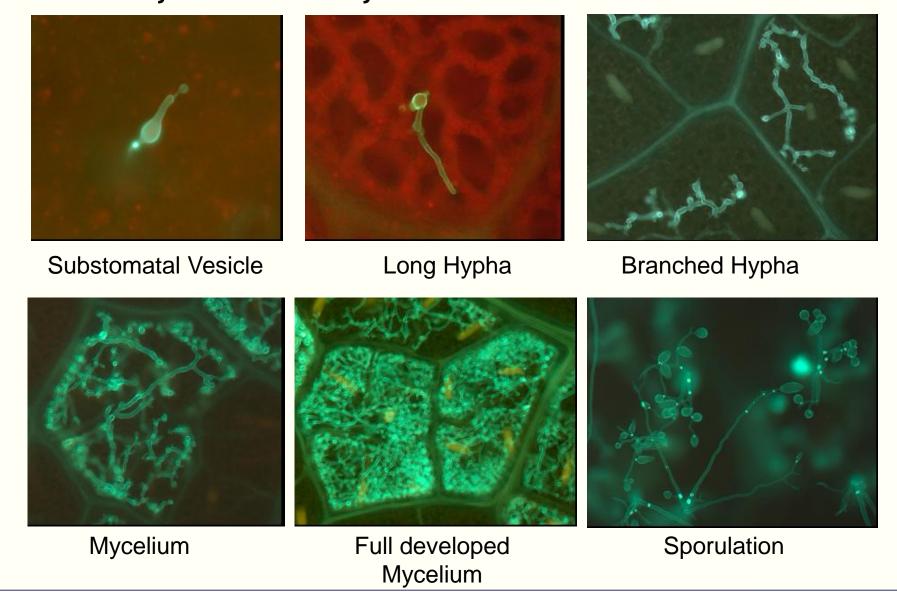








## Infection Cycle of Downy Mildew – Incubation Period

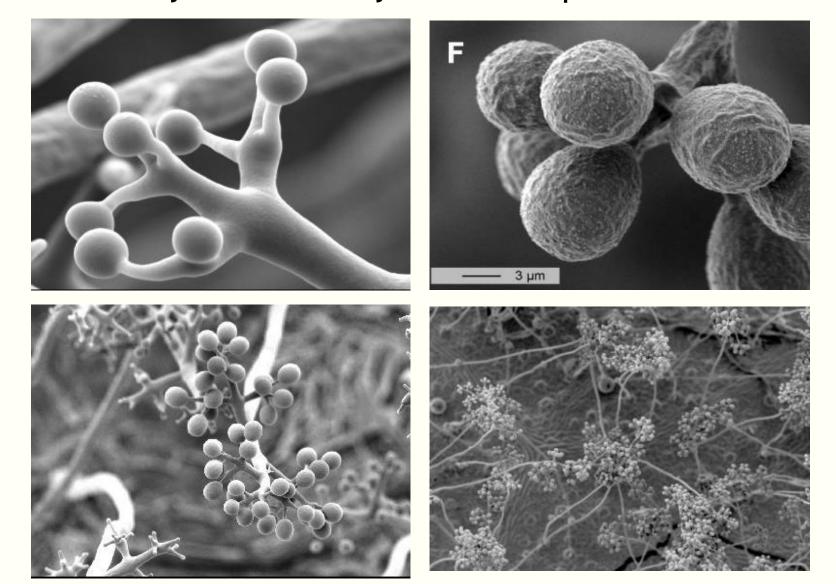








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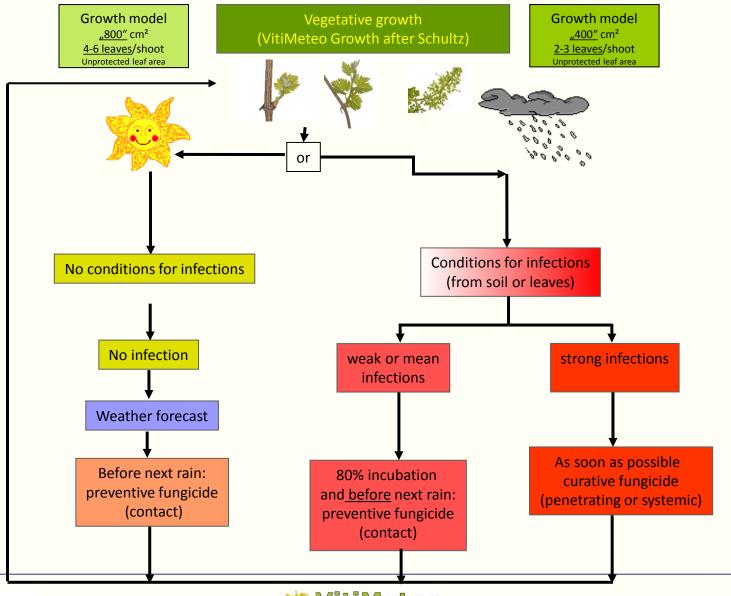








# Control Strategies – based on VitiMeteo

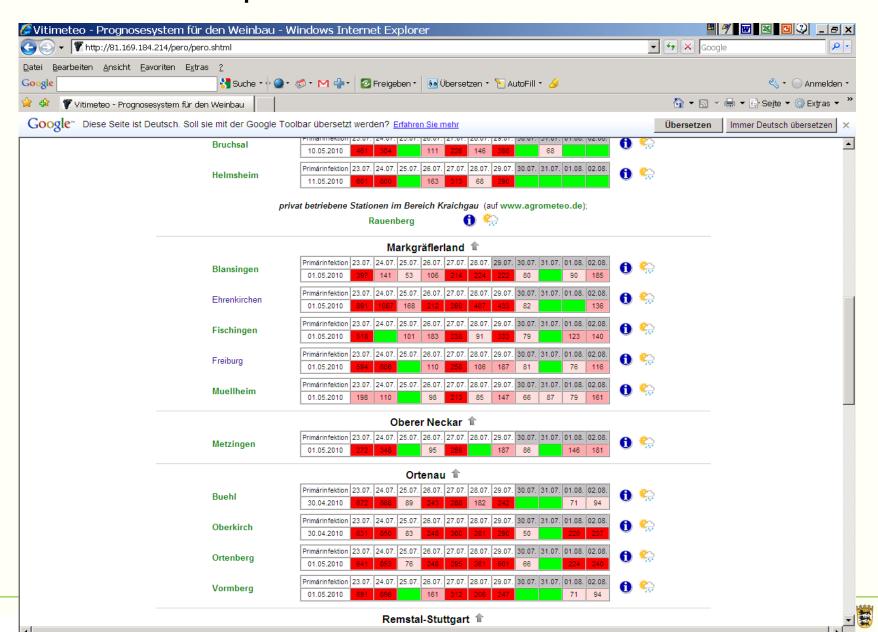






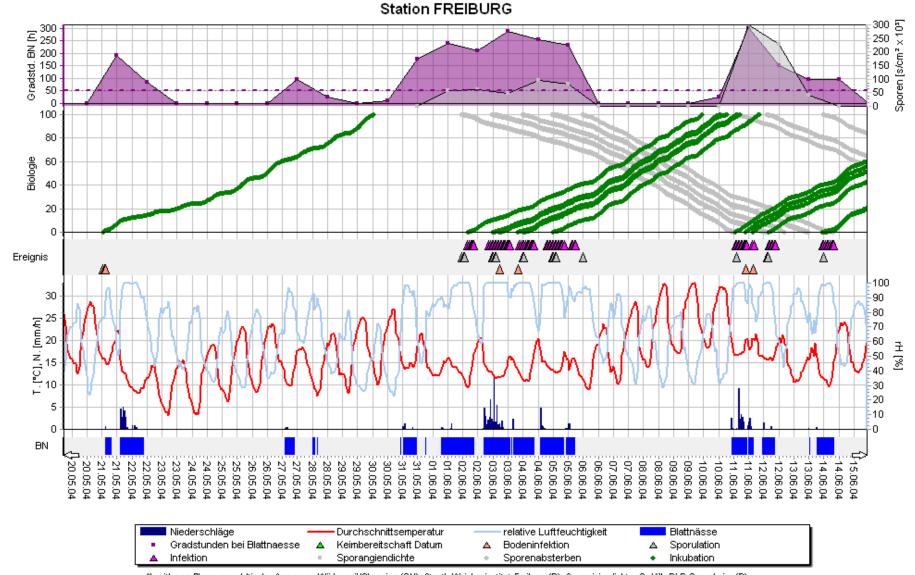


### VitiMeteo - Output



Internet

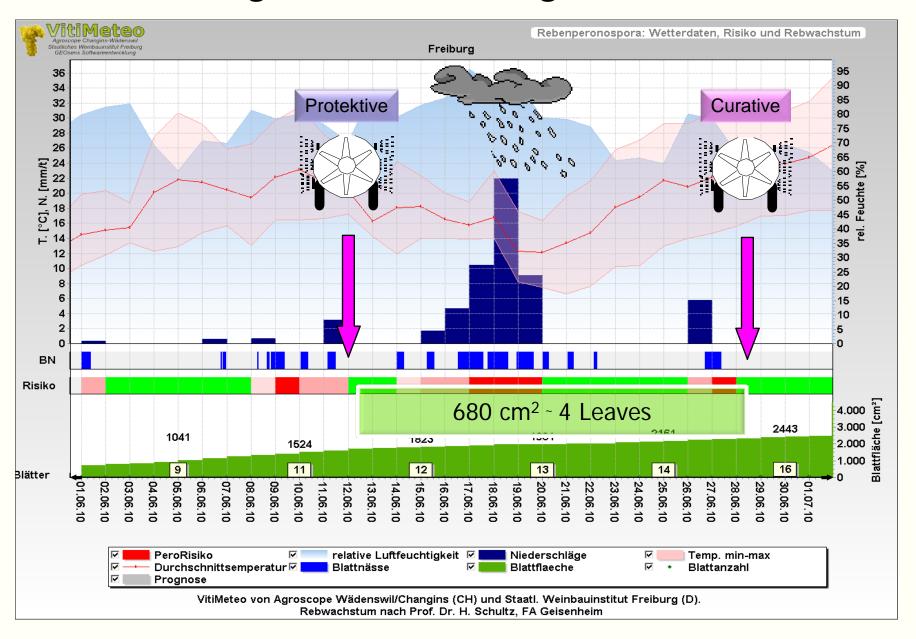
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## VitiMeteo - Targeted Treatment against Infections



## Availability - Users - Training

#### **Availability**

- Internet
- Mobile
- App

#### **Users**

- Plant Protection Service
- Vine Growers
- Cooperatives & Private Wineries

#### Training & Extension

- Seminars with practical Instruction
- Current Support
- Local Contact Person







