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## **UBI launches another new product: Acetic Acid Test for Sentia**

Universal Biosensors, Inc. (ASX: UBI) is pleased to announce that it has launched its Acetic Acid biosensor test, the 5<sup>th</sup> test now available on the Sentia wine testing platform.

Acetic acid is tested continuously throughout the year - with similar frequency to Free SO<sub>2</sub>, and is of particular importance for red wine ageing in barrels. The timing of the launch is ideal for the upcoming fermentation and maturation period for wineries in the northern hemisphere.

Acidity in wine is an important component of its quality and taste. Acid adds a sharpness to the flavours and is detected most readily by a prickling sensation on the sides of the tongue and a mouth-watering aftertaste. It is the most volatile of the primary acids associated with wine and is responsible for the sour taste of vinegar. High levels of Acetic acid in wine are considered a highly undesirable fault and therefore monitoring is extremely important.

Mr John Sharman, CEO of UBI said; “The launch of our Acetic Acid test is another milestone for the Sentia platform. We have two more Sentia products in development being a Titratable Acidity test and our next generation Free SO<sub>2</sub> test, which will be a significant enhancement for the very good Free SO<sub>2</sub> product already in market. Both products are scheduled for launch within the next two months.”

Mr Sharman said; “Sentia now has 5 tests on the platform which makes it a more compelling alternative for winemakers to buy when compared with the more expensive, time-consuming and often less accurate laboratory equipment and chemistries currently in use. It should also provide momentum in terms of device sales during 2023. We hope that Acetic Acid will be as well received as our Fructose biosensor, where the first batch of sensors sold out within a few weeks.”

For further information please refer to the Sentia website ([www.universalbiosensors.com/products/sentia/](http://www.universalbiosensors.com/products/sentia/)).

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### **About Universal Biosensors**

Universal Biosensors, founded in 2001, specialises in the design and development of electrochemical cells (strips) used in conjunction with point of use devices that are used in various industries such as healthcare (point of care), wine, food, and agriculture. UBI's ambition is to build a multi product stable of biosensors in large markets which generate ongoing revenue streams. For additional information regarding Universal Biosensors, Inc., refer to: <http://www.universalbiosensors.com>.

### **Forward-Looking Statements**

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