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The invention relates to the wine industry, namely to a process for maturation of wine distillates.

The process, according to the invention, provides for the maturation of wine distillates in contact with used oak staves with renewed contact surface, the renewal of contact surface of the staves being carried out by making grooves of a width of 2...5 mm, a depth of 3...10 mm and a distance between them of 5...20 mm.

The result consists in the rational use of the technological stock of oak wood and improvement of quality of the finished product.

Claims: 1