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WHITE TABLE WINES

100 Chardonnay
104 Chardonnay Blends
110 Sauvignon Blanc
111 Semillon
112 Pinot Blanc
113 Sauvignon Blanc/Semillon Blends **RULE 1**

CHENIN BLANC **RULE 2**

120 0.7% r.s. or below
121 0.71% r.s. or above

RIESLING, JOHANNISBERG/WHITE **RULE 2**

130 0.7% r.s. or below
131 0.71% r.s. or above
132 2% r.s. or above
133 6% r.s. or above

RED TABLE WINES

200 Cabernet Sauvignon
202 Cabernet/Shiraz or Syrah Blends **RULE 1**
205 Premium Bordeaux Blends (\$25 & over) **RULE 1**
206 Bordeaux Blends (under \$25) **RULE 1**
207 Premium Non-Bordeaux Blends (\$25 & over) **RULE 1**
208 Non-Bordeaux Blends (under \$25) **RULE 1**
210 Merlot
211 Malbec
215 Cabernet Franc
217 Petit Verdot
218 Carménère
220 Zinfandel
221 Primitivo
230 Petite Sirah (Durif)
231 Syrah (Shiraz)
233 Mourvèdre

GEWÜRZTRAMINER **RULE 2**

140 0.7% r.s. or below
141 0.71% r.s. or above
142 2% r.s. or above
143 6% r.s. or above

150 Muscat
160 Viognier
161 Other White Rhône Varietals
162 White Rhône Blends **RULE 1**
164 Pinot Gris / Pinot Grigio
166 White Italian Varietals
167 White Italian Blends **RULE 1**
168 Spanish/Portuguese/Argentine Whites **RULE 1**

OTHER WHITE VARIETALS **RULE 2** 170

0.7% r.s. or below
171 0.71% r.s. or above
172 2% r.s. or above
173 6% r.s. or above

OTHER WHITE BLENDS **RULE 1 & RULE 2**

175 0.7% r.s. or below
176 0.71% r.s. or above

WHITE HYBRIDS

190 Seyval Blanc
191 Vignoles
192 Other Hybrid White Varietals
193 Hybrid White Blends **RULE 1**
194 Late Harvest Hybrid Whites **RULE 2**
195 Late Harvest Semillon and/or Sauvignon Blanc (above 2% r.s.) **RULE 2**
196 Other Late Harvest Whites **RULE 2**
197 Ice Wine (all white varietals) **RULE 2**
198 Passito **RULE 2**

263 Pinotage
265 Nouveau (all varietals)
270 Other Red Varietals
285 Native American Reds
290 Hybrid Red Varietals
295 Hybrid Red Blends **RULE 1**
297 Sweet Reds **RULE 2**
298 Late Harvest Reds **RULE 2**
299 Ice Wine (all red varietals) **RULE 2**

234 Grenache
235 Other Red Rhône Varietals
236 Red Rhône Blends **RULE 1**
239 Bonarda/Charbono
240 Pinot Noir
241 Chianti
242 Sangiovese
243 Sangiovese Blends **RULE 1**
244 Nebbiolo (Barbaresco, Barolo)
245 Dolcetto
246 Barbera
250 Other Italian Reds
255 Gamay Beaujolais
256 Gamay (all types)
257 Library Reds **RULE 3**
260 Tempranillo
261 Spanish / Portuguese / Argentine Reds (varietals and blends) **RULE 1**



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BLANC DE NOIRS / BLUSH / ROSÉ WINES

- 300 Rosé Blends
- 310 Varietal Rosés
- 351 White Zinfandel
- 354 Other Varietal Blush Wines

SPARKLING WINES

- 400 Brut Nature (less than 3 g/l)
- 405 Extra Brut (0-6 g/l)
- 410 Blanc de Blanc (0-6 g/l)
- 420 Blanc de Noir
- 430 Brut (less than 12 g/l)
- 440 Extra Dry (12-17 g/l)
- 442 Sec (17-32 g/l)
- 445 Demi-Sec (32-50/l)
- 446 Doux (more than 50 g/l)
- 450 Riesling/Muscat
- 460 Spumante
- 465 Prosecco
- 470 Rosé
- 475 Sparkling Red
- 480 Native American
- 485 Varietal Sparkling
- 490 Sparkling Fruit
- 495 Semi-Sparkling

FORTIFIED WINES

Port

- 501 Vintage (from Portugal)
- 502 Late Bottled Vintage
- 503 Ruby
- 504 Tawny
- 505 Varietal
- 506 Other Ports

Sherry

- 510 Fino (light & dry)
- 511 Amontillado (medium dry)
- 512 Oloroso (medium sweet)
- 513 Sweet & Cream
- 517 Other Fortified Wines (Madeira, etc.)

RICE BASE

- 600 Sake
- 610 Makkoli
- 620 Rice Wine

CIDER

- 630 Cider
- 631 Fruit Cider
- 632 Specialty Cider
- 633 Wood-Aged Cider

FRUIT WINES

- 670 Fruit Wine
- 680 Fruit Flavored
- 690 Fruit & Grape Blends

SPECIALITY WINES

- 700 Organic Wines
- 710 Biodynamic Wines
- 720 Kosher Wines
- 725 Honey Wine
- 730 Non-Alcoholic Wines

OTHER

- 800 Miscellaneous
- 810 Vermouth
- 815 Apéritifs (flavored, fortified)
- 817 Premixed Wine Cocktails
- 820 Grappa