



LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL WINE COMPETITION

DIVISIONS & CATEGORIES

Los Angeles International Wine Competition Dates
March 22 – 23, 2023

Entry Deadline February 24

The Los Angeles International Wine Competition and its panel of esteemed tasters invite you to participate in the 81st annual competition open to wines throughout the world. The award-winning wines, will be displayed at the 101st Anniversary of the Los Angeles County Fair, May 5 – 29, 2023.

\$95 per entry.

Six (6) bottles per entry.

AWARDS OFFERED PER CATEGORY

Best of Class: 94 – 100 pts: An outstanding Gold Medal wine that is superior in its class

Gold Medal: 90 – 100 pts: An outstanding wine of superior character and style

Silver Medal: A very good wine with special qualities

Bronze Medal: A well-made wine

Mail Wine, Wine Entry Form and Fees to:

Los Angeles International Wine Competition
1101 W. McKinley Ave.
Pomona, CA 91768

- Please mark boxes 1/2, 2/2, etc.
- Please put entry form and fees in #1 box.

For more information, please contact our International Competitions Dept., (909) 865-4268, or email Leah Duran at duran@fairplex.com

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WINE DIVISIONS AND CATEGORIES

Division 1004 – Fortified Wine

- 1- Angelica
- 2- Madeira
- 3- Marsala
- 4- Muscat, White
- 5- Muscat, Black/Red
- 6- Port, Ruby
- 7- Port, Tawny
- 8- Port, Varietal
- 9- Port, Vintage
- 10- Port, Vintage, Varietal
- 11- Port, Flavored (Chocolate, etc)
- 12- Port, White
- 13- Vermouth, Red
- 14- Vermouth, White
- 15- Dessert Wine, Other

Portugal

- 16- Port, Vintage
- 17- Port, Tawny
- 18- Port, Other

Non-Spanish

- 19- Sherry, Dry
- 20- Sherry, Medium
- 21- Sherry, Sweet

Spain

- 22- Sherry, Fino
- 23- Sherry, Amontillado
- 24- Oloroso, Dry
- 25- Oloroso, Sweet
- 26- Other

Division 1020 – Sparkling Wine

Non Vintage Methode Champenoise

- 201- Blanc de Blancs
- 202- Natural (0 - .5% RS)
- 203- Blanc de Noirs
- 204- Brut (.51 - 1.5% RS)
- 205- Extra Dry (1.51 - 2.5% RS)
- 206- Dry (2.51 - 3.5% RS)
- 207- Brut Rosé
- 208- Red Sparkling (Syrah, etc)

Vintage Methode Champenoise

- 209- Blanc de Blancs
- 210- Blanc de Noirs
- 211- Natural (0 - .5% RS)
- 212- Brut (.51 - 1.5% RS)
- 213- Brut Rosé

Australia/New Zealand

- 214- Blanc de Blancs
- 215- Blanc de Noirs
- 216- Natural (0 - .5% RS)
- 217- Brut (.51 - 1.5%RS)
- 218- Dry
- 219- Brut Rosé
- 220- Red Sparkling (Shiraz, etc)

Champagne

- 221- Blanc de Blancs
- 222- Blanc de Noirs
- 223- Brut (.51 - 1.5% RS)
- 224- Extra Dry (1.51 - 2.5% RS)
- 225- Dry (2.51 - 3.5% RS)
- 226- Brut Rosé

France

- 227- Blanquette De Limoux
- 228- Cremant Brut
- 229- Cremant Brut Rosé

Italy

- 230- Prosecco, Brut
- 231- Prosecco, Extra Dry
- 232- Prosecco, Dry
- 233- Natural (0 - .5% RS)
- 234- Brut (.51 - 1.5% RS)
- 235- Extra Dry (1.51 - 2.5% RS)
- 236- Dry (2.51 - 3.5% RS)
- 237- Moscato D'Asti
- 238- Sparkling Dolce
- 239- Asti Spumante
- 240- Sparkling Rosé
- 241- Sparkling Red (Brachetto)

Spain

- 242- Cava
- 243- Cava, Rose

Other

- 244- Sparkling Brut, Bulk/Charmat Process
- 245- Sparkling Extra Dry, Bulk/Charmat Process
- 246- Sparkling Rosé
- 247- Sparkling Grenache Rosé
- 248- Sparkling Moscato/Spumante
- 249- Sparkling Fruit Wines
- 250- Sparkling Wine with Fruit Flavors
- 251- Sparkling Gewurztraminer
- 252- Sparkling Pinot Grigio
- 253- Sparkling Moscato with Fruit Flavors
- 254- Sparkling Moscato Rosé
- 255- Sparkling Orange Moscato
- 256- Sparkling Red Moscato
- 257- Lambrusco, White
- 258- Lambrusco, Red
- 259- Semi-Sparkling White (Frizzante)
- 260- Semi-Sparkling Red (Frizzante)
- 261- Semi-Sparkling with Fruit Flavors
- 262- Sparkling Wine, Other
- 263- Semi-Sparkling Rose
- 264- Prosecco Style CA Sparkling

Division 1030 – Red Wine

- 301- Alicante Bouschet
- 302- Barbera
- 303- Cabernet Franc
- 304- Cabernet Sauvignon, Non Vintage
- 305- Cabernet Sauvignon, 2021 or later, retail price, 0 - \$14.99
- 306- Cabernet Sauvignon, 2021 or later, retail price, \$15.00 and up
- 307- Cabernet Sauvignon, 2020 retail price, 0 - \$19.99
- 308- Cabernet Sauvignon, 2020 retail price, \$20.00 - \$39.99
- 309- Cabernet Sauvignon, 2020 retail price, \$40.00 and up
- 310- Cabernet Sauvignon, 2019 retail price, 0 - \$29.99
- 311- Cabernet Sauvignon, 2019 retail price, \$30.00 and up
- 312- Cabernet Sauvignon, 2018 or earlier
- 313- Carignane
- 314- Chambourcin
- 315- Charbono
- 316- Cinsault
- 317- Concord
- 318- Dolcetto
- 319- Gamay (all types)
- 320- Graciano
- 321- Grenache
- 322- Lagrein
- 323- Lemberger or Blaufrankish
- 324- Malbec
- 325- Merlot, Non Vintage
- 326- Merlot, 2021 or later, retail price, 0 - \$14.99
- 327- Merlot, 2021 or later, retail price, \$15.00 and up
- 328- Merlot, 2020, 0 - \$14.99
- 329- Merlot, 2020, \$15.00 - \$29.99
- 330- Merlot, 2020, \$30.00 and up
- 331- Merlot, 2019 or earlier
- 332- Mourvedre
- 333- Nebbiolo
- 334- Noble
- 335- Norton/Cynthiana
- 336- Petit Verdot
- 337- Petite Sirah, 2021 or later
- 338- Petite Sirah, 2020
- 339- Petite Sirah, 2019 or earlier
- 340- Pinotage
- 341- Pinot Noir, Non Vintage
- 342- Pinot Noir, 2021 or later, retail price, 0 - \$14.99

- 343- Pinot Noir, 2021 or later, retail price, \$15.00 - \$29.99
- 344- Pinot Noir, 2021 or later, retail price, \$30.00 and up
- 345- Pinot Noir, 2020, retail price, 0 - \$29.99
- 346- Pinot Noir, 2020, retail price, \$30.00 and up
- 347- Pinot Noir, 2019 or earlier
- 348- Primitivo
- 349- Ruby Cabernet
- 350- Sangiovese
- 351- Sangria
- 352- Souzao
- 353- Super Tuscan Blend
- 354- Syrah, Non Vintage
- 355- Syrah, 2021 or later
- 356- Syrah, Vintage 2020
- 357- Syrah, 2019 or earlier
- 358- Tannat
- 359- Tempranillo
- 360- Teroldego
- 361- Touriga
- 362- Zinfandel, Non Vintage
- 363- Zinfandel, 2021 or later, retail price, 0 - \$19.99
- 364- Zinfandel, 2021 or later, retail price, \$20.00 and up
- 365- Zinfandel, 2020, 0 - \$19.99
- 366- Zinfandel, 2020, \$20.00 - \$39.99
- 367- Zinfandel, 2020, \$40.00 and up
- 368- Zinfandel, 2019 or earlier
- Blend Categories are for Judging Purposes ONLY and will be listed as Red Blends**
- 369- Bordeaux Blend (including Meritage), 2020 or later, retail price, 0 - \$29.99
- 370- Bordeaux Blend (including Meritage), 2020 or later, retail price, \$30.00 and up
- 371- Bordeaux Blend (including Meritage), 2019 or earlier retail price, 0 - \$29.99
- 372- Bordeaux Blend (including Meritage), 2019 or earlier, retail price, \$30.00 and up
- 373- Cabernet Based Red Blend
- 374- Merlot Based Red
- 375- Petite Sirah Based Red Blend
- 376- Syrah Based Red Blend
- 377- Zinfandel Based Red Blend
- 378- Cabernet Sauv/Merlot Blend
- 379- Cabernet Sauvignon/Syrah Blend
- 380- Italian Style Red Blend
- 381- Rhone Style Blend (Light to Medium-Style)
- 382- Rhone Style Blend (Medium to Heavy-Style)
- 383- Portuguese Style Red Blend
- 384- Spanish Style Red Blend
- 385- Non Vinifera Red Blend
- 386- Sweet Red Blend
- 387- Red Blend, Other than listed
- 388- Non Vinifera Varietals not listed
- 389- Red Moscato
- Argentina**
- 390- Bonarda
- 391- Cabernet Sauvignon
- 392- Malbec
- 393- Argentinean Red Blend
- Australia**
- 394- Cabernet Sauvignon
- 395- Grenache
- 396- Shiraz, 2020 or later
- 397- Shiraz, 2019 or earlier
- 398- Cabernet /Merlot Blend
- 399- Shiraz Blend
- 400- Rhone Style Blend
- Chile**
- 401- Cabernet Sauvignon
- 402- Carmenere
- 403- Chilean Red Blend
- France**
- 404- Cotes de Bordeaux
- 405- Bordeaux
- 406- Cabernet Sauvignon
- 407- Cotes de Bourg
- 408- Chateaufneuf-du-Pape
- 409- Coteaux du Languedoc
- 410- Cotes-du-Rhone
- 411- Malbec (Cot)
- 412- Pessac-Leognan
- 413- Pinot Noir
- 414- Medoc
- 415- Montagne-Saint-Emilion
- 416- Pomerol
- 417- Moulis
- 418- Margaux
- 419- Saint Emilion
- Greece**
- 420- Agiorgitiko
- 421- Mavrodaphne
- 422- Red Greek Blend
- Italy**
- 423- Amarone
- 424- Barbaresco
- 425- Barbera
- 426- Barolo
- 427- Brunello di Montalcino
- 428- Carignano
- 429- Chianti
- 430- Chianti Classico
- 431- Vino Nobile di Montepulciano
- 432- Dolcetto
- 433- Friularo
- 434- Lambrusco
- 435- Montepulciano d'Abruzzo
- 436- Nebbiolo
- 437- Negroamaro
- 438- Nero D'Avola
- 439- Pinot Noir, Provincia di Pavia
- 440- Primitivo
- 441- Sagrantino
- 442- Sangiovese
- 443- Super Tuscan Blend
- 444- Valpolicella
- 445- Vino Passito
- 446- Italian Red Blend
- New Zealand**
- 447- Pinot Noir
- Portugal**
- 448- Portuguese Red Blend
- 449- Touriga
- South Africa**
- 450- Pinotage
- 451- Red Blend
- Spain**
- 452- Garnacha
- 453- Monastrell
- 454- Rioja, Cosecha
- 455- Rioja, Crianza
- 456- Rioja, Reserva
- 457- Rioja, Gran Reserva
- 458- Tempranillo
- 459- Spanish Red Blend
- Turkey**
- 460- Turkish Varietal
- 461- Turkish Red Blend
- Old World**
- 462- Cabernet Sauvignon
- 463- Merlot
- 464- Pinot Noir
- 465- Syrah
- 466- Zinfandel
- 467- Red Blend
- 468- Varietal not listed
- New World**
- 469- Cabernet Sauvignon
- 470- Merlot
- 471- Pinot Noir
- 472- Syrah
- 473- Zinfandel
- 474- Red Blend
- 475- Varietal not listed

Division 1050 – White Wine

- 501- Albarino
 - 502- Auxerrois
 - 503- Blanc du Bois
 - 504- Cayuga
 - 505- Cortese
 - 506- Chardonnay, Non Vintage
 - 507- Chardonnay, Oaked, 2022 or later
 - 508- Chardonnay, Oaked, 2021, retail price, 0 - \$14.99
 - 509- Chardonnay, Oaked, 2021, retail price, \$15.00 - \$29.99
 - 510- Chardonnay, Oaked, 2021, retail price, \$30.00 and up
 - 511- Chardonnay, Oaked, 2020, retail price, 0 - \$14.99
 - 512- Chardonnay, Oaked, 2020, retail price, \$15.00 and up
 - 513- Chardonnay, Oaked, 2019 or earlier
 - 514- Chardonnay, Unoaked, 2022 +
 - 515- Chardonnay, Unoaked, 2021, retail price, 0 - \$14.99
 - 516- Chardonnay, Unoaked, 2021, retail price, \$15.00 and up
 - 517- Chardonnay, Unoaked, 2020 or earlier
 - 518- Chardoneil
 - 519- Chenin Blanc
 - 520- Diamond
 - 521- Edelweiss
 - 522- Ehrenfelser
 - 523- Gewurztraminer, Dry (0<1% RS)
 - 524- Gewurztraminer, Medium Dry (1.1 - 2% RS)
 - 525- Gewurztraminer, Medium Sweet (2.1 - 4% RS)
 - 526- Gewurztraminer, Sweet (4.1 - 6% RS)
 - 527- Gewurztraminer Blends
 - 528- Grenache Blanc
 - 529- Gruner Veltliner
- International Riesling Guidelines as specified by International Riesling Foundation**
www.DrinkRiesling.com
- 530- Riesling, Dry (0<1% RS)
 - 531- Riesling, Medium Dry (1.1 - 2% RS)
 - 532- Riesling, Medium Sweet (2.1 - 4% RS)
 - 533- Riesling, Sweet (4.1 - 6% RS)
 - 534- Malvasia Bianca
 - 535- Marsanne
 - 536- Muscat, Dry (0<1% RS)
 - 537- Muscat, Medium Dry (1.1 - 2% RS)
 - 538- Muscat, Medium Sweet

(2.1 - 4% RS)

- 539- Muscat, Sweet (4.1+% RS)
 - 540- Orange Muscat
 - 541- Valvin Muscat
 - 542- Pinot Blanc
 - 543- Pinot Gris
 - 544- Pinot Grigio, Non Vintage
 - 545- Pinot Grigio, 2022 or later
 - 546- Pinot Grigio, 2021 or earlier
 - 547- Roussanne
 - 548- Sauvignon Blanc, Non Vintage
 - 549- Sauvignon Blanc, 2022 or later, retail price, 0 - \$14.99
 - 550- Sauvignon Blanc, 2022 or later, retail price, \$15.00 and up
 - 551- Sauvignon Blanc, 2021 or earlier, retail price, 0 - \$14.99
 - 552- Sauvignon Blanc, 2021 or earlier retail price \$15.00 and up
 - 553- Sauvignon Blanc, 2020 or earlier
 - 554- Sangria
 - 555- Semillon
 - 556- Seyval Blanc
 - 557- Sovereign Opal
 - 558- Symphony, Dry and Off-Dry
 - 559- Traminette
 - 560- Verdelho
 - 561- Vidal Blanc
 - 562- Vignoles
 - 563- Viognier
 - 564- White Bordeaux Blend
 - 565- Dry White Blend
 - 566- Chardonnay Based Blend
 - 567- Riesling Based Blend
 - 568- Italian Style White Blend
 - 569- Rhone Style White Blend
 - 570- Sweet White Blend
 - 571- Non Vinifera White Blend
 - 572- Other White Blend
 - 573- Non Vinifera Varietals not listed
 - 574- White Varietals not listed
- Argentina**
- 575- Chardonnay
 - 576- Torrontes
- Australia**
- 577- Chardonnay
 - 578- Riesling
 - 579- White Blend
- Chile**
- 580- Sauvignon Blanc
- France**
- 581- Chardonnay
 - 582- Gewurztraminer
 - 583- Pinot Gris
 - 584- Pinot Blanc

- 585- Graves AOC
- 586- Riesling
- 587- Vouvray
- 588- White Bordeaux
- 589- White Rhone Blend
- 590- Varietal not listed

Germany

- 591- Riesling
- 592- Varietal not listed

Greece

- 593- Greek Varietal
- 594- Greek White Blend

Italy

- 595- Arneis
- 596- Cortese (Gavi)
- 597- Falanghina
- 598- Fiano
- 599- Garganega
- 600- Greco
- 601- Grillo
- 602- Malvasia Bianco
- 603- Moscato
- 604- Pinot Grigio
- 605- Soavé
- 606- Trebbiano
- 607- Verdicchio
- 608- Vernaccia
- 609- Vermentino
- 610- Italian White Blend

New Zealand

- 611- Pinot Grigio
- 612- Sauvignon Blanc

Portugal

- 613- Alvarinho
- 614- Portuguese White Blend

South Africa

- 615- Chenin Blanc (Steen)
- 616- White Blend

Spain

- 617- Albariño
- 618- Rueda
- 619- Verdejo
- 620- Malvasia
- 621- Viura
- 622- Spanish White Blend

Old World

- 623- Chardonnay
- 624- Sauvignon Blanc
- 625- White Blend
- 626- White Varietal not listed

New World

- 627- Chardonnay
- 628- Sauvignon Blanc
- 629- White Blend
- 630- White Varietal not listed

Division 1070 – Late Harvest Wine

- 701- Chardonnay (6.1+%RS)
- 702- Chenin Blanc (6.1+%RS)
- 703- Gewurztraminer (6.1+%RS)
- 704- Ice Wine, Riesling
- 705- Ice Wine, Vidal
- 706- Ice Wine, Cabernet Franc
- 707- Ice Wine, Other Varietals
- 708- Ice Wine, Apple
- 709- Ice Wine, Cider
- 710- Sparkling Ice Wine
- 711- Muscat (6.1+%RS)
- 712- Pinot Gris (6.1+%RS)
- 713- Riesling (6.1 - 12% RS)
- 714- Riesling (12.1 - 18% RS)
- 715- Riesling (18.1% RS+)
- 716- Roussanne (6.1+%RS)
- 717- Sauvignon Blanc (6.1+%RS)
- 718- Semillon (6.1+%RS)
- 719- Vidal Blanc (6.1+%RS)
- 720- Vignoles (6.1+%RS)
- 721- Viognier (6.1+%RS)
- 722- Zinfandel (6.1+%RS)
- 723- Beeren Auslese
- 724- Dessert Wine made from dried grapes
- 725- Recioto (Italy)
- 726- Vin Santo (Italy)
- 727- Sweet Bordeaux (Barsac)
- 728- Sweet Bordeaux (Graves Supérieures)
- 729- Sweet Bordeaux (Sauternes)
- 730- Sweet Bordeaux (Other)
- 731- Other Late Harvest

Division 1075 – Rosé Wine

- 751- Rosé, Bordeaux Varietals
- 752- Rosé, (France)
- 753- Rosé, (Provence)
- 754- Rosé, (Italy)
- 755- Rosé, (Portugal)
- 756- Rosé, (Romania)
- 757- Rosé, (Spain)
- 758- Rosé, (Rioja)
- 759- Rosé, Gamay
- 760- Rosé, Grenache
- 761- Rosé, Malbec
- 762- Rosé, Pinot Noir
- 763- Rosé, Sangiovese
- 764- Rosé, Syrah
- 765- Rosé, Tempranillo
- 766- Rosé, Rhone Style
- 767- Rosé (Generic)
- 768- Rosé, Sweet
- 769- Rosé, Non Vinifera
- 770- White Cabernet
- 771- White Merlot
- 772- White Zinfandel

- 773- Zinfandel Rosé
- 774- Pink Sangria
- 775- Pink Moscato
- 776- Rosé, not listed
- 777- Rosé, South Africa
- 778- Rosé, Bulgaria

Division 1080 – Organic Wine

This special division is open to all wines made from organically grown grapes. A wine may enter the organic division as well as other divisions.

- 801- Sparkling
- 802- Chardonnay
- 803- Gewurztraminer
- 804- Muscat
- 805- Pinot Grigio
- 806- Pinot Blanc
- 807- Sauvignon Blanc
- 808- Viognier
- 809- White Blend
- 810- Cabernet Franc
- 811- Cabernet Sauvignon
- 812- Merlot
- 813- Petit Verdot
- 814- Pinot Noir
- 815- Sangiovese
- 816- Super Tuscan
- 817- Syrah
- 818- Petit Sirah
- 819- Zinfandel
- 820- Red Blend
- 821- White Varietal not listed
- 822- Red Varietal not listed
- 823- Frizzante/Semi Sparkling

Division 1090 – Fruit and Miscellaneous Wine

- 901- Apple
- 902- Apricot
- 903- Blackberry
- 904- Blueberry
- 905- Cherry
- 906- Cranberry
- 907- Olallieberry
- 908- Peach
- 909- Pear
- 910- Pomegranate
- 911- Plum
- 912- Raspberry
- 913- Strawberry
- 914- Fruit, not listed
- 915- Mead
- 916- Honey Wine
- 917- Raspberry Honey Wine
- 918- Honey Wine, Flavored
- 919- Fruit Flavored Grape Wine
- 920- Low Alcohol White Wine (<7%)
- 921- Low Alcohol Red Wine (< 7%)
- 922- Non Alcohol Cabernet Sauvignon
- 923- Non Alcohol Chardonnay
- 924- Non Alcohol Riesling
- 925- Non Alcohol Sparkling Wine
- 926- Non Alcohol White Zinfandel
- 927- Non Alcohol, not listed
- 928- White Wine with Fruit
- 929- Wine Cocktails
- 930- Wine Based Spirit Substitutes
- 931- Draft Makgeolli
- 932- Makgeolli
- 933- Makgeolli, Flavored
- 934- Makegeolli, Carbonated
- 935- Sool
- 936- Sool, Flavored
- 937- Sool, Carbonated
- 938- Orange Wine