



# LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL EXTRA VIRGIN OLIVE OIL COMPETITION

## COMPETITION DIVISION & CATEGORIES

2024 Los Angeles International Extra Virgin Olive Oil Competition  
Judging February 6, 7, 8

Early Bird Deadline December 31 - Entry Deadline January 12 – Shipping Deadline January 19

Mr. Darrell Corti, Extra Virgin Olive Oil Chairman

The award-winning Extra Virgin Olive Oils will be displayed at the LA County Fair, May 3-27, 2024.  
Early Bird - \$175 per entry received before December 31, 2023, \$180 per entry beginning January 1, 2024.  
Three (3) bottles per entry (if bottles contain less than 250 ml, please send 4 bottles).

We award Gold, Silver, Bronze, Best of Class, and Best of Show  
The best of the competition is awarded the **“Premio Mugelli/Mugelli Award”**.

### **“PREMIO MUGELLI/MUGELLI AWARD”**

*This prestigious award is given in memory of Marco Mugelli, a former distinguished Los Angeles International Extra Virgin Olive Oil Competition Judge. Marco was instrumental in advancing the highest quality olive oil not only in Italy and Spain but throughout the world.*

**Best of Class:** An outstanding Gold Medal Extra Virgin Olive Oil that has scored 94 points or higher

**Gold Medal:** An outstanding Extra Virgin Olive Oil of superior character and style

**Silver Medal:** A very good Extra Virgin Olive Oil with special qualities

**Bronze Medal:** A well-made Extra Virgin Olive Oil

Delicate (Light Intensity)

Best of Show

Best of Class

Medium (Medium Intensity)

Best of Show

Best of Class

Robust (Intense Fruitiness)

Best of Show

Best of Class

### Division 995 – Domestic Categories

05- Mission

10- Coratina

15- Frantoio

20- Ascolano

23- Manzanillo

25- Arbequina

26- Arbosana

27- Koroneiki

28- Picual

30- Other Mono Cultivar

35- North Coast Blends

40- Sacramento Valley Blends

45- Sierra Foothill Blends

50- Central Coast Blends

55- San Joaquin Valley Blends

60- South Coast and So Cal Blends

65- Other Region Blends



### Division 995 - International Categories

70- Italy, North Mono Cultivar	140- Portugal, Mono Cultivar	186- Japan, Blends
75- Italy, North Blends	145- Portugal, Blends	190- North Africa (List Country)
80- Italy, Central Mono Cultivar	147- Europe, Mono Cultivar	191- Tunisia, Mono Cultivar
85- Italy, Central Blends	148- Europe, Blends	192- Tunisia, Blends
90- Italy, South Mono Cultivar	150- Greece, Mono Cultivar	193- Lebanon
95- Italy, South Blends	155- Greece, Blends	194- Cyprus
100- Italy, Islands Mono Cultivar	160- Greece Islands, Mono Cultivar	195- Middle East, Mono Cultivar
105- Italy, Islands Blends	165- Greece Island, Blends	196- Middle East, Blends
110- Spain, North Mono Cultivar	170- Slovenia	197- Mexico
115- Spain, North Blends	173- Montenegro	198- China, Mono Cultivar
120- Spain, South Mono Cultivar	175- Croatia	199- China, Blends
125- Spain, South Blends	180- Turkey, Mono Cultivar	200- Canada
130- France, Mono Cultivar	181- Turkey, Blends	
135- France, Blends	185- Japan, Mono Cultivar	

### Division 997 – Southern Hemisphere Categories

300- Argentina, Mono Cultivar	320- Peru, Mono Cultivar	345- South Africa, Blends
305- Argentina, Blends	325- Peru, Blends	350- Australia, Mono Cultivar
307- Brazil	330- Uruguay, Mono Cultivar	355- Australia, Blends
310- Chile, Mono Cultivar	335- Uruguay, Blends	360- New Zealand, Mono Cultivar
315- Chile, Blends	340- South Africa, Mono Cultivar	365- New Zealand, Blends

**\*The oils submitted must have a chemical analysis for free fatty acids completed no more than 120 days prior to submission. To be considered extra virgin olive oil, the free fatty acid level must not be more than 0.8% with a peroxide index of less than 20.**

### Division 998 – Flavored Oils

405- Lemon	420- Other Citrus (Grapefruit, Tangerine, Kumquat, etc)	435- Garlic
410- Lime	423- Citrus Blend	440- Truffle
412- Kaffir Lime	425- Herb	445- Other Flavor, Specify flavor
415- Orange (Blood Orange, Bergamot, etc)	430- Chili	450- Flavored Blends

**\*Please use separate entry form for Flavored Oils**

*For more information, please contact our International Competitions Dept., (909) 865-4538 or email Leah Duran [duran@fairplex.com](mailto:duran@fairplex.com)*

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