

RED WINE

STYLE GUIDE

MEDIUM-BODIED

 **Gamay**
Beaujolais (France)

 **Grenache/Garnacha**
Southern Rhône (France), Priorat, Rioja (Spain), Barossa Valley, McLaren Vale (AUS)

 **Carménère**
Colchagua Valley (Chile)

 **Cabernet Franc**
Right Bank Bordeaux, Loire Valley (France)

 **Sangiovese**
Toscana (Italy)

 **Rhône Blend**
Rhône Valley (France)

 **Merlot**
Bordeaux (France), Napa Valley, Paso Robles (USA)

 **Zinfandel/Primitivo**
Sonoma County, Lodi (USA), Puglia (Italy)

 **Nebbiolo**
Piemonte (Italy)

 **Aglianico**
Campania, Basilicata (Italy)

 **Bordeaux Blend**
Bordeaux (France)

 **Syrah**
Northern Rhône, Rhône Valley (France), Barossa Valley, McLaren Vale (AUS)

 **Petit Verdot**
Blends from Bordeaux (France), Napa Valley (USA)

 **Touriga Nacional**
Dão Valley, Douro Valley (Portugal)

 **Sagrantino**
Umbria (Italy)

Schiava  Trentino-Alto Adige (Italy)

Pinot Noir  Bourgogne (France), Central Otago (NZ), Sonoma County, Willamette Valley (USA)

Corvina  Veneto/Valpolicella (Italy)

Carignan  Languedoc-Roussillon (France)

Mencía  Bierzo (Spain)

Negroamaro  Puglia (Italy)

Barbera  Piemonte (Italy)

Montepulciano  Abruzzo (Italy)

Tempranillo  Rioja (Spain)

Nero d'Avola  Sicilia (Italy)

Malbec  Mendoza (Argentina)

Cabernet Sauvignon  Bordeaux Left Bank (France), Napa Valley (USA), Coonawarra (AUS), Maipo Valley (Chile)

Pinotage  Stellenbosch (South Africa)

Mourvèdre  Southern France/Provence (France)

Petit Sirah  Mendocino, Paso Robles (USA)

Tannat  Canelones (Uruguay)

LIGHT-BODIED

FULL-BODIED

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Common Red Wine Aromas

Red Fruit



Floral



Cocoa



Black Fruit



Spice



Smoke



Dried Fruit



Earth



Tart Cherry



White Pepper



Licorice



Dried Herb



Black Pepper



Lemon



Minerality



Black Berries



Mint

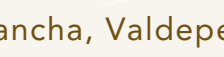


Savoury



WHITE WINE

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	Fruilano Friuli-Venezia Giulia (Italy)	Riesling Mosel (Germany), Alsace (France), Clare Valley and Eden Valley (AUS)	LIGHT-BODIED
	Furmint Tokaj (Hungary)	Picpoul Languedoc (France)	
	Assyrtiko Santorini (Greece)	Verdejo Rueda (Spain)	
	Loureiro Vinho Verde (Portugal)	Albariño Rias Baixas (Spain), Vinho Verde (Portugal)	
	Melon Blanc Loire Valley (France)	Cortese Piemonte (Italy)	
	Sylvaner Franken (Germany)	Torrentés Salta, Mendoza (Argentina)	
MEDIUM-BODIED	Grüner Veltliner Kamptal, Kremstal, Wachau, Vienna (Austria)	Verdicchio Le Marche (Italy)	FULL-BODIED
	Sauvignon Blanc Loire Valley (France), Marlborough (NZ), Casablanca and San Antonio Valleys (Chile)	Vermentino Sardinia (Italy), Liguria (Italy)	
	Pinot Grigio/Gris Trentino-Alto Adige, Friuli-Venezia Giulia, Veneto (Italy), Alsace (France)	Garganega Veneto (Italy)	
	Trebbiano Toscano Toscana (Italy)	Chenin Blanc Stellenbosch, Swartland (South Africa), Loire Valley (France)	
	Fiano Campania (Italy)	Grechetto Umbria (Italy)	
	Falanghina Campania (Italy)	Moschofilero Peloponnese (Greece)	
	Viura Rioja (Spain)	Fernão Pires Lisboa (Portugal)	
	Airen La Mancha, Valdepeñas (Spain)	Sémillon Bordeaux (France), Hunter Valley (AUS)	
	Chardonnay Bourgogne (France), Sonoma, Napa (USA) Central Valley (Chile), Margaret River (AUS)	Grenache Blanc Rhône Valley (France)	
	Marsanne Rhône Valley (France)	Roussanne Rhône Valley (France)	
Gewürztraminer Alsace (France)	Viognier Northern Rhône (France), Walla Walla, Columbia Valley (USA)		

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Common White Wine Aromas

Citrus 	Floral 	Chamomile 
Green Fruit 	Spice 	White Pepper 
Stone Fruit 	Ginger 	Vanilla 
Tropical Fruit 	Peel 	Butter 
Dried Fruit 	Nuts 	Minerality 
Grapefruit 	Beeswax/Honey 	Savoury / Fresh Herbs 