

ENTRY CATEGORIES 2018

Wines

Wines are judged by country, region, and vintage as appropriate.

Still Wines

1. Vintage / Non Vintage Wines

- (white, rosé, red)
- Dry
 - Medium
 - Sweet
 - Eiswein/Icewine
 - Botrytis
 - Wine based drinks
 - Fruit Flavoured
 - Confectionary Flavoured
 - Other Flavoured
 - Organic/Biodynamic
 - Low/No Alcohol

Sparkling Wines

2. Champagne

- (white, rosé)
- Zero Dosage
 - Ultra Brut
 - Brut
 - Extra Dry
 - Sec
 - Demi-Sec
 - Doux
 - Non Vintage
 - Vintage
 - Prestige Cuvée

3. Cava

- Brut Nature
- Extra Brut
- Brut
- Extra Dry
- Dry
- Demi-Sec
- Sweet
 - Cava
 - Reserva
 - Gran Reserva

4. Prosecco

- Prosecco DOC
- Prosecco di Treviso/Trieste
- Asolo Prosecco DOCG
- Conegliano – Valdobbiadene DOCG
- Valdobbiadene Superiore di Cartizze DOCG
 - Frizzante/Spumante Superiore
 - Brut
 - Extra Dry
 - Dry
 - Demi-Sec

5. Bottle Fermented Sparkling Wine

- (white, rosé, red)
- Dry
 - Medium
 - Sweet

6. Tank Fermented Sparkling Wine

- (white, rosé, red)
- Extra Dry
 - Dry
 - Medium
 - Sweet

7. Lightly Sparkling / Perlé

- Dry
- Medium
- Sweet

Fortified Liqueur Wines

8. Madeira

- Sercial and other dry styles
- Verdelho and other medium dry styles
- Bual and other medium sweet styles
- Malmsey and other sweet styles

9. Port

- White
- Pink
- Ruby
- Tawny
- Aged Tawny
- Reserve
- Crusted
- Late Bottled Vintage
- Single Quinta Vintage
- Colheita
- Vintage

10. Sherry

- Fino
- Manzanilla
- Manzanilla Pasada
- Amontillado
- Medium Sherry
- Palo Cortado
- Oloroso
- Cream
- Pale Cream
- Pedro Ximenez
- Other

11. Vermouth & Other Aromatised Wines

- Dry
- Sweet
 - White
 - Golden
 - Rosé
 - Red

12. Worldwide Fortified Wine / Vin De Liqueur

- White (dry)
- White (sweet)
- Red (wood aged)
- Red (bottle aged)

Rice Wine

13. Sake (judged by country)

- Ginjo / Daiginjo
- Junmai Ginjo/Junmai Daiginjo
- Junmai-shu
- Honjozo
- Futsuu-shu
- Sparkling
- Nigori Sake
- Koshu (aged sake)
- Traditional shubo making
 - Kimoto / Yamahai

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Spirits

Spirits are judged by type, age and strength. Whiskies are also variety / style judged by region, style and cask finish / strength where appropriate.

14. Absinthe

- a. Blanche
- b. Verte
- c. Bohemian & Other Styles

15. Armagnac

- a. VS
- b. VSOP
- c. XO/Napoleon
- d. Vintage
- e. Blanche
 - i) Bas Armagnac
 - ii) Ténarèze
 - iii) Haut-Armagnac

16. Aquavit

- a. Clear
- b. Golden

17. Bitters

- a. Digestive
- b. Cocktail

18. Calvados

- a. Fine
- b. VS/Reserve
- c. VSOP
- d. XO and older
 - i) Pays d'Auge
 - ii) Domfrontais
 - iii) Calvados

19. Cognac

- a. VS
- b. VSOP
- c. XO
- d. Extra
- e. Vintage
- f. No age statement
 - i) Grande Champagne
 - ii) Petite Champagne
 - iii) Fine Champagne
 - iv) Other Regions

20. Fruit Spirits (distilled)

- a. Fermented and Distilled
- b. Macerated and Distilled
- c. Vielle (Distilled and Macerated)
 - i) Apple, Pear, Quince
 - ii) Stone fruits
 - iii) Berries and Grapes
 - iv) Wild fruits
 - v) Roots
 - vi) Other (please specify)

21. Grape Brandy

- a. Brandy de Jerez
- b. Grappa
- c. Marc/Pommace Brandy
- d. Other

22. Gin (judged by % alcohol)

- a. London dry gin
- b. Dutch
- c. Contemporary Styles (please specify)
- d. Flavoured
- e. Wood finished
- f. Old Tom
- g. Sloe Gin

23. Liqueurs

- a. Aniseed
- b. Cassis
- c. Chocolate
- d. Citrus fruit
- e. Coconut
- f. Coffee
- g. Non-flavoured cream
- h. Flavoured cream
- i. Egg
- j. Fruit (please specify)
- k. Herb
- l. Spice
- m. Nut
- n. Floral
- o. Whisky
- p. Honey
- q. Other

24. Pisco

- a. Chilean
 - i) Regular (30–35%)
 - ii) Special (35–40%)
 - iii) Reserve (40–43%)
 - iv) Great (43%+)
- b. Peruvian
 - i) Aromatic
 - ii) Pure
 - iii) Acholado
 - iv) Mosto Verde

25. Rum

(please specify Molasses/Agricole)

- a. White
- b. Golden
- c. Dark
- d. Flavoured

26. Shochu / Soju

(judged by country)

- a. Rice
- b. Barley
- c. Buckwheat
- d. Sweet Potato
- e. Other (please specify)

27. Tequila / Mezcal

- a. Blanco (Silver)
- b. Joven (Gold)
- c. Reposado (Aged)
- d. Añejo (Extra Aged)
- e. Extra Añejo (Ultra Aged)
 - i) 100% Agave
 - ii) Blended

28. Vodka

- a. Pure/Neutral (Base Product)
- b. Flavoured

29. Whiskey - USA

- a. Bourbon
- b. Blended
- c. Single Grain (please specify)
- d. Single Malt
 - i) Overproof

30. Whiskey - Irish

- a. Blended
- b. Deluxe blend
- c. Grain
 - i) Single
 - ii) Blended
- d. Blended malt (vatted)
- e. Single malt
 - i) Cask finish
 - ii) Cask strength
- f. Single Pot Still

31. Whisky - Scotch

- a. Blended
- b. Deluxe blend
- c. Grain
- d. Blended malt (vatted)
- e. Single malt
 - i) Cask finish
 - ii) Cask strength

32. Whiskies - Worldwide

(including Scandinavian, European, Japanese, Canadian etc)

- a. Blended
- b. Deluxe blend
- c. Single grain
- d. Blended malt (vatted)
- e. Single malt (specify distillery)
 - i) Cask finish
 - ii) Cask strength
- f. Other (please specify)

33. Cocktails

(please specify)

34. Asian Spirits

- a. Baijiu
- b. Makgeolli

35. Miscellaneous Spirits

- a. Cachaça
- b. 'Irish' Potteen
- c. Flavoured Spirits
- d. Other (please specify)

36. Grain Spirits (Wheat, Corn, Barley etc)

- a. Clear/White/No Age
- b. Matured Age
 - i. Wash/Distiller Beer Based
 - ii. Full mash/Solids Based