Special Issue

Wine Technology and Sensory Analysis

Message from the Guest Editors

Wine production is a complex process. The chemical composition of each wine depends on the wine variety, vineyard conditions, viticultural and vinification techniques and finally the aging and maturation stage. Each stage includes various factors that could affect the wine's chemistry. Wine's chemical composition is a mixture of many types of compounds. A combination of all the chemical compounds results in a unique wine color and aroma. Wine's aroma includes flavor and scent. Sensory analysis of wine is a crucial scientific discipline that enables an objective determination of wine's visual properties, olfactory and taste characteristics, variety correctness, and a potential consumer's perception of wine. The aim of this Special Issue is to provide insights into different wine technologies that are currently used and that affect wine's chemical composition and sensory properties. Submissions that include chemical and sensory analyses of grape, must and wine, along with new approaches, wine varieties, analytical methodology, vinification methods and their significance in world winemaking, are encouraged.

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