



Wine Characteristics

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Characteristic	Description
Acidity	Tart, mouth-puckering quality of wines due to the presence of agreeable acids. Acidity varies depending on a number of factors, including the grapes used and the duration of aging. A certain amount of acidity is essential for keeping the flavor of wine crisp and fresh.
Body	Feeling of fullness in the mouth. Dark red wines feel thicker and richer in the mouth and are referred to as full-bodied wines, while lighter, crisper white wines are usually described as lighter-bodied or thin wines.
Bouquet	The odor or fragrance of a wine that originates from fermentation and aging.
Fruit	The flavor imparted by the type of grape used. Different types of grapes have significantly different flavors and produce wines with a variety of flavors that are characteristic of the grape itself.
Oak	Fragrance and/or flavor present in wine that is fermented and/or aged in barrels made from oak. Varies in intensity depending on age and type of oak used and the duration of time in barrels.
Sweetness	Amount of sugar present in wine, determined primarily by the type and ripeness of the grapes used and the duration of the fermentation process. Riper grapes have higher sugar content and are sweeter. Sweet wines ferment for shorter periods of time, permitting less of the grape sugar to convert to alcohol, resulting in a higher sugar content and a sweet flavor. Long fermentation periods produce wine with little or no sugar present, referred to as "dry" wine.
Tannins	Bitter taste present in red wines from chemical compounds in the skins of red grapes. Tannins act as a natural preservative, enabling red wines to age for long periods of time without spoiling.
Vintage	The year the grapes used to make the wine were harvested. Some years are recognized for particularly good growing conditions and wines made from grapes of these vintages are usually superior to wines made from grapes harvested in poor growing seasons.

About Us

K.D. Imports, LLC is based in South Florida, USA and imports fine wines primarily from Italy.

The wines of **K.D. Imports, LLC** have had the honor of appearing on several "Wine Spectator Award of Excellence" wine lists throughout the USA and have been featured at both the Chicago and New York City Wine Enthusiast "Toast of the Town" wine tasting galas. Our San Giulio Prosecco has even been featured on NBC's "Today Show."

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