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Appearance and Colour

0 POOR - Dull or slightly off-colour

1 GOOD - Bright with characteristic colour and hue

2 SUPERIOR - Brilliant with characteristic colour and hue

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Aroma and Bouquet

0 FAULTY - Clear expression of an off-odour

1 OFF CHARACTER - Marginal expression of an off-odour

2 ACCEPTABLE - No characteristic of varietal-regional-stylistic fragrance or aged bouquet

3 PLEASANT - Mild varietal-regional-stylistic fragrance or aged bouquet

4 GOOD - Standard presence of a varietal-regional-stylistic fragrance or aged bouquet

5 SUPERIOR - Varietal-regional-stylistic fragrance or aged bouquet distinct and complex

6 EXCEPTIONAL - Varietal-regional-stylistic fragrance or aged bouquet rich, complex and refined

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Acidity

0 POOR - Acidity either too high (sharp) or too low (flat)

1 GOOD - Acidity appropriate for the wine style

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Balance

0 POOR - Acid / sweetness ratio inharmonious, excessively bitter and astringent

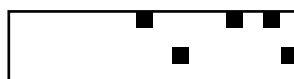
1 GOOD - Acid / sweetness ratio adequate; moderate bitterness and astringency

2 EXCEPTIONAL - Acid / sweetness balance invigorating; smooth mouth-feel

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Body

- 0 POOR** - Watery or excessively alcoholic
1 GOOD - Typical feeling of weight (substance) in mouth

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Flavour

- 0 FAULTY** - Off-tastes or off-odours so marked as to make the wine distinctly unpleasant
1 POOR - Absence of varietal, regional or stylistic characteristics in the mouth
2 GOOD - Presence of typical varietal, regional or stylistic flavour characteristics
3 EXCEPTIONAL - Superior expression of varietal, regional or stylistic flavour characteristics

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Finish

- 0 POOR** - Little lingering flavour in the mouth; excessive astringency and bitterness
1 GOOD - Moderate lingering flavour in the mouth, pleasant aftertaste
2 EXCEPTIONAL - Prolonged flavour in the mouth (> 10 to 15 s), delicate and refined aftertaste

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Overall Quality

- 0 UNACCEPTABLE** - Distinctly off-character
1 GOOD - Acceptable representation of traditional aspects of wine type
2 SUPERIOR - Clearly better than the majority of the wines of the type
3 EXCEPTIONAL - So nearly perfect in all sensory qualities as to be memorable

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General Comments

