

Merlot malbec carmenere

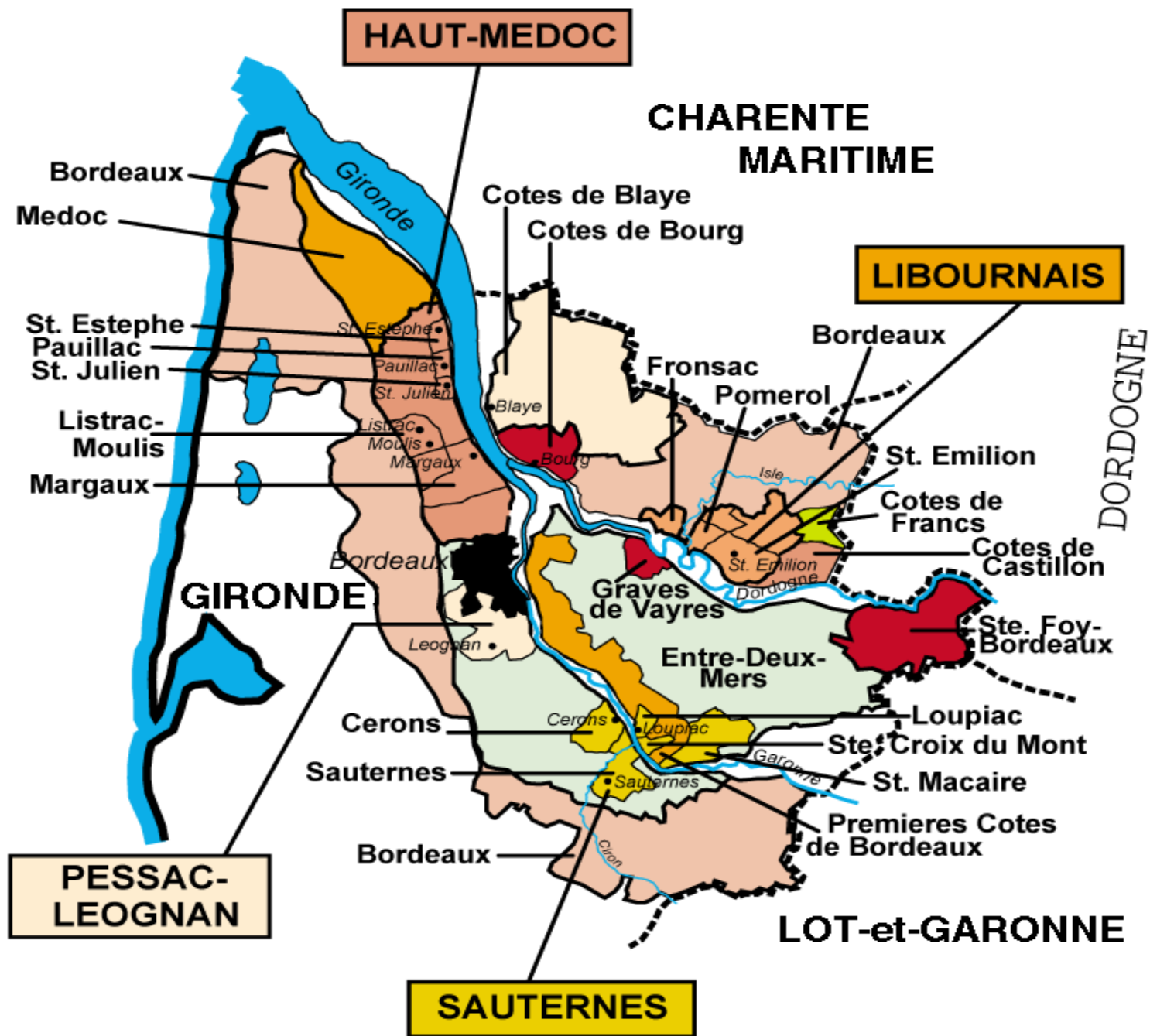
Quiz chardonnay viognier albarino

- name the main Burgundian winemaking techniques for Chardonnay
- which container provides more oak character a small new barrel or a large old barrel
- what is the main quality wood used in barrels
- name three areas in France producing top quality chardonnay
- where does Viognier originate from?
- Which climate is Viognier typically planted in – warm Mediterranean or temperate continental
- Which red wines allow Viognier
- Name three famous French appellations that grow Viognier
- Albarino is found in which two famous appellations
- What would be an appropriate food match for Albarino



merlot

- Most planted Bordeaux red
- Effect of phylloxera replant
- Bordeaux geography
- Benchmarks
- Vs Cabernet sauvignon
- Like Cabernet S. one of its parents is Cabernet franc

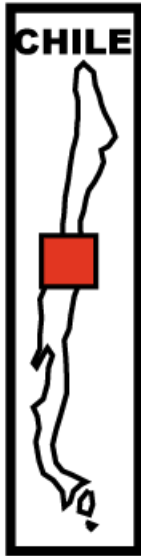


Red winemaking

- fruit is de-stemmed and crushed
- Sulphur dioxide?
- fermentation temperature is kept high at 30 C
- cap management
- once alcoholic fermentation is complete, do we press or macerate?
- post fermentation maceration
- remove the free run wine and press
- typically free run wine and first press are blended together
- full malolactic conversion
- extended barrel ageing (18-24 months)
- every 3 months the wine is racked
- every week the wine is topped up
- Fining or filtering ?

carmenere

- Effect of phylloxera replant
- Ripening
- Mistakenly thought to be Merlot
- One time popular Bordeaux Varietal
- CS five times more planted in Chile
- Viticultural paradise
- Chile wine geography



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ARGENTINA

malbec

- One of the Bordeaux five
- Displaced in Bordeaux after phylloxera
- Benchmark areas
- Mendoza 80% of Argentina wine, 1/3 is malbec plantings
- Number one red in Argentina
- Most planted in Argentina
- Introduced in 1852 to Argentina
- Cot may be it's original name

- <http://vimeo.com/41572419>

Argentine Winegrowing Valleys

NORTH

- 1 El Arenal
Altitude: 8858 ft
SALTA
- 2 Molinos
Altitude: 7874 ft - 9842 ft
SALTA
- 3 Cafayate
Altitude: 5577 ft
SALTA
- 4 Fiambalá
Altitude: 4921 ft
CATAMARCA

CUYO

- 5 Famatina
Altitude: 3280 ft
LA RIOJA
- 6 Zonda
Altitude: 4265 ft
SAN JUAN
- 7 Tulum
Altitude: 2624 ft
SAN JUAN
- 8 Pedernal
Altitude: 4265 ft
SAN JUAN
- 9 North
Altitude: 2296 ft
MENDOZA: Las Heras, Lavalle.
- 10 Luján west
Altitude: 3116 ft - 3280 ft
MENDOZA: Las Compuertas, Vistaiba.
- 11 Luján / Maipú
Altitude: 2952 ft
MENDOZA: Carrodilla, Mayor Drummond, Lunlunta.
- 12 Río Mendoza south
Altitude: 3280 ft
MENDOZA: Perdriel, Azeite.
- 13 Maipú east
Altitude: 2296 ft - 2460 ft
MENDOZA: Rusell, Cruz de Piedra, Barrancas, Medrano.
- 14 East
Altitude: 2296 ft
MENDOZA: La Paz, Santa Rosa, Rivadavia, San Martín, Junín.
- 15 Uco Valley west
Altitude: 3280 ft
MENDOZA: San José, EL Peral, Villa Bastías, Tupungato, Gualtariy, Los Arboles, Vista Flores.
- 16 Uco Valley center
Altitude: 3280 ft
MENDOZA: La Arboleda, El Zampal, Campo Vidal, Cordón del Plata, Agua Amarga, Villa Seca, Los Sauces.
- 17 San Carlos
Altitude: 3280 ft - 3608 ft
MENDOZA: Altamira, La Consulta, San Carlos, E. Bustos, El Cepillo.
- 18 San Rafael
Altitude: 2296 ft
MENDOZA



The web

- www.winesofchile.org
- www.winesofargentina.org
- www.bordeaux.com