



Class 1A: 2013 Viognier

					Class #	Score	Medal
Tallis Wine	2013	Dookie Hills Viognier	Central Victoria	1A	1	47.0	Bronze
Bago vineyards	2013	Viognier	Hastings River	1A	2	43.0	
Dog Day Wines Pty Ltd	2013	Rusty Mutt Catnip Viognier	McLaren Vale	1A	3	0.0	Not Received
Lark Hill Biodynamic Wines	2013	Lark Hill Biodynamic Viognier	Canberra District	1A	4	42.0	
Baillieu Wines	2013	Baillieu Viognier	Mornington Peninsula	1A	5	52.0	Silver
Millbrook Winery	2013	Perth Hills Viognier	Perth Hills	1A	6	45.0	
Shingleback Wine	2013	Shingleback John Foolery Viognier	McLaren Vale	1A	7	48.5	Bronze
Tahbilk Pty Ltd	2013	Tahbilk Viognier	Nagambie Lakes	1A	8	44.0	
ArtWine Pty Ltd	2013	Polka Dot Crispy White	Clare Valley	1A	9	56.0	Gold
The Yalumba Wine Company	2013	Yalumba Y Series Viognier	Unknown	1A	10	45.0	
Salena Estate Wines	2013	Ink Series Viognier	Langhorne Creek	1A	11	46.5	Bronze
Australian Vintage Ltd	2013	Nepenthe Winemaker Select Viognier	Adelaide Hills	1A	12	51.0	Silver

Class 1A Comments:

not a bad class, created much discussion and diverse opinions amongst judges, flavour, without heat or hardness was key

Class 1B: 2012 and older Viognier

					Class #	Score	Medal
The Yalumba Wine Company	2012	Yalumba Eden Valley Viognier	Eden Valley	1B	1	48.0	Bronze
Millbrook Winery	2012	Estate Viognier	Perth Hills	1B	2	50.0	Bronze
The Yalumba Wine Company	2010	Yalumba The Virgilius Viognier	Eden Valley	1B	3	45.0	
Salena Estate Wines	2012	Ink Series Viognier	Langhorne Creek	1B	4	45.5	
Westend Estate Pty Ltd	2012	Westend Richland Viognier	Riverina	1B	5	49.0	Bronze
Deakin Estate	2012	Deakin Estate Viognier	Murray Darling Vic	1B	6	53.0	Silver
Rutherglen Estates	2012	Viognier	Rutherglen	1B	7	53.0	Silver
Vinea Marson	2012	Vinea Marson Viognier	Heathcote	1B	8	43.0	
Watershed Premium Wines	2012	Senses Viognier	Margaret River	1B	9	53.0	Silver
Gatt Wines	2012	Gatt Accent Viognier	Barossa Valley	1B	10	43.0	
Tahbilk Pty Ltd	2011	Tahbilk Viognier	Nagambie Lakes	1B	11	45.5	
Protero Wines	2010	PROTERO VIOGNIER	Adelaide Hills	1B	12	45.0	
Tahbilk Pty Ltd	2012	Tahbilk Viognier	Nagambie Lakes	1B	13	51.0	Silver
Mr Riggs Wine Company	2012	Mr Riggs Viognier	Adelaide Hills	1B	14	41.0	



Blue Pyrenees Estate	2012	Blue Pyrenees Viognier	Pyrenees	1B	15	41.0	
d'Arenberg	2010	The Last Ditch	Adelaide Hills	1B	16	48.5	Bronze
Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy	2012	Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy Viognier	Langhorne Creek	1B	17	45.0	
Watershed Premium Wines	2011	Senses Viognier	Margaret River	1B	18	45.0	
The Yalumba Wine Company	2012	Yalumba Organic Viognier	Riverland	1B	19	43.0	
Elgee Park Wines	2011	Elgee Park Family Reserve Viognier	Mornington Peninsula	1B	20	44.0	

Class 1B Comments:

lots of effort put in to try to find gold, but after much analysis and discussion it was decided that the three silvers just didn't quite get there due to oak balance and alcohol, but all had good flavour, much diversity of opinion

Class 2: White Rhone varietals (except Viognier - eg. Marsanne or Roussanne)

			Class #	Score	Medal	
Rutherglen Estates	2012	Marsanne	2	1	46.0	
Tahbilk Pty Ltd	2007	Tahbilk Marsanne	2	2	47.0	Bronze
Tahbilk Pty Ltd	2013	Tahbilk Marsanne	2	3	47.0	Bronze
Tahbilk Pty Ltd	2012	Tahbilk Roussanne	2	4	48.0	Bronze
Barwon Ridge Wines	2013	Marsanne	2	5	43.5	
Tahbilk Pty Ltd	2012	Tahbilk Marsanne	2	6	50.0	Bronze
Tahbilk Pty Ltd	2009	Tahbilk Marsanne	2	7	55.5	Gold
Stumpy Gully Vineyard	2011	Stumpy Gully Marsanne	2	8	47.5	Bronze
Commodity Traders Australia Pty Ltd	2008	Trifon Estate Marsanne	2	9	48.5	Bronze
Barwon Ridge Wines	2012	Marsanne	2	10	42.5	
Tahbilk Pty Ltd	2011	Tahbilk Marsanne	2	11	56.0	Gold
d'Arenberg	2012	The Money Spider	2	12	46.5	Bronze
Tellurian Wines	2012	Tellurian Marsanne	2	13	43.0	
Yangarra Estate Vineyard	2013	Roussanne	2	14	46.5	Bronze
The Yalumba Wine Company	2012	Yalumba Eden Valley Roussanne	2	15	45.0	

Class 2 Comments:

Some lovely, fresh varietal examples. The better youthful examples promise cellar potential, with the top wine drinking at its peak now.



Class 3: White Rhone blends (eg. a Marsanne Viognier blend OR a Viognier Roussane blend)

			Class #	Score	Medal	
Elderton Wines	2012	Eden Valley Marsanne Roussanne	3	1	49.0	Bronze
Dalfarras Wines Pty Ltd	2010	Marsanne Roussanne Viognier	3	2	55.5	Gold
Rutherglen Estates	2012	Renaissance Viognier Roussanne Marsanne	3	3	48.5	Bronze
Lark Hill Biodynamic Wines	2013	Lark Hill Mr.V	3	4	43.0	
d'Arenberg	2012	The Hermit Crab	3	5	46.5	Bronze
Westend Estate Pty Ltd	2012	Westend The Boxer Roussanne Viognier	3	6	46.0	
Leconfield Wines	2012	Richard Hamilton MRV	3	7	45.0	

Class 3 Comments:

The top wine was a delightful example of achieving balance in a Rhone varietal blend.

Class 4: Arneis

			Class #	Score	Medal	
Centennial Vineyards	2012	Reserve Arneis	4	1	45.0	
YarraLoch	2012	YarraLoch Arneis	4	2	40.0	
De Bortoli Wines	2013	Arneis	4	3	47.0	C
Dal Zotto Wines	2013	Dal Zotto Wines Arneis	4	4	44.0	
Cellarmasters	2012	Stefano De Pieri Di Qualita	4	5	46.5	Bronze
G. Patrilli & Co. Pty LTD	2012	Patrilli Arneis	4	6	44.0	
Bird in Hand	2013	Bird in Hand Arneis	4	7	56.0	Gold
K1 by Geoff Hardy	2013	K1 by Geoff Hardy Arneis	4	8	0.0	Not Received
Jacob's Creek Wines	2012	Jacob's Creek Limited Release Arneis	4	9	48.5	Bronze
Villa Maria Estate	2013	Villa Maria Cellar Selection Hawkes Bay Arneis	4	10	56.0	Gold
K1 by Geoff Hardy	2012	K1 by Geoff Hardy Arneis	4	11	43.0	
Rutherglen Estates	2013	Arneis	4	12	55.5	Gold
De Bortoli Wines	2012	DeBortoli Arneis	4	13	51.0	HC
Tertini Wines	2012	Tertini Reserve Arneis	4	14	42.0	
Chrismont Wines	2012	La Zona Arneis	4	15	43.5	
Villa Maria Estate	2013	Villa Maria Private Bin East Coast Arneis	4	16	46.5	Bronze
Vineyard 28	2013	The Alternative Arneis	4	17	41.0	
Villa Maria Estate	2011	Villa Maria Cellar Selection Hawkes Bay Arneis	4	18	44.0	
First Drop Wines	2013	Vivo Adelaide Hills Arneis	4	19	49.0	Bronze



Class 6: Vermentino

					Class #	Score	Medal
The Little Wine Company	2013	Little Wine Co Vermentino	Hunter Valley	6	1	46.5	Bronze
Angove Family Winemakers	2013	Alternatus Vermentino	McLaren Vale	6	2	46.0	
Fox Creek Wines	2013	Fox Creek Vermentino	McLaren Vale	6	3	45.0	
Trentham Estate Wines	2013	trentham estate	Murray Darling NSW	6	4	45.5	
Chalmers Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2012	Vermentino	Heathcote	6	5	44.0	
The Winery Pty Ltd	2012	Two Italian Boys Vermentino	Murray Darling NSW	6	6	49.0	Bronze
Millbrook Winery	2013	Margaret River Vermentino	Margaret River	6	7	47.0	Bronze
Bassham Wines	2013	Bassham Vermentino	Riverland	6	8	42.0	
Oliver's Taranga Vineyards	2013	Oliver's Taranga Vermentino	McLaren Vale	6	9	48.0	Bronze
Barangaroo Boutique Wines	2013	Barangaroo 2013	Western Victoria	6	10	42.5	
Chalk Hill	2013	Vermentino	McLaren Vale	6	11	47.0	Bronze
Hastwell & Lightfoot	2013	Hastwell & Lightfoot	McLaren Vale	6	12	43.0	
Taylor's Wines	2012	Taylor's Winemakers Project Vermentino	Riverland	6	13	46.5	Bronze
Rupert's Ridge	2013	Rupert's Ridge Heathcote Vermentino	Heathcote	6	14	0.0	Not Received
Dowie Doole	2013	Dowie Doole Vermentino	McLaren Vale	6	15	42.5	
Glen Roy Winemakers Pty Ltd	2013	2013 Bellwether Vermentino	Heathcote	6	16	46.5	Bronze
Kirrihill Wines	2013	Kirrihill Wines, Clare Valley Vermentino	Clare Valley	6	17	0.0	Withdrawn
Salena Estate Wines	2013	Ink Series Vermentino	Riverland	6	18	46.5	Bronze
Seppeltsfield Wines Pty Ltd	2013	Seppeltsfield Barossa Vermentino	Barossa Valley	6	19	45.0	
Cellarmasters	2013	Vasarelli Maria's Table	Currency Creek	6	20	51.0	Silver
Atze's Corner Wines	2013	Vermentino	Barossa Valley	6	21	0.0	Not Received
Mantra Wines	2013	Vermentino	Riverland	6	22	43.5	
Barangaroo Boutique Wines	2012	Barangaroo 2012 Vermentino	Western Victoria	6	23	46.5	Bronze
Cirami Estate	2012	Vermentino	Riverland	6	24	45.0	
Westend Estate Pty Ltd	2013	Calabria Vermentino	Murray Darling Vic	6	25	55.5	Gold
Chalmers Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2013	Vermentino	Heathcote	6	26	44.5	
Vigna Bottin Wines	2013	Vigna Bottin Vermentino	McLaren Vale	6	27	44.5	
Brown Brothers Milawa Vineyard Pty Ltd	2012	Brown Brothers Limited Release Vermentino	North West Victoria	6	28	46.0	
Cappa Stone Wines	2013	Vermentino	Murray Darling Vic	6	29	55.5	Gold
Psyche Wines Pty Ltd	2013	Psyche Bend Smuggler Vermentino	Murray Darling Vic	6	30	44.5	
Cellarmasters	2012	Vasarelli	Currency Creek	6	31	52.0	Silver
Dalfarras Wines Pty Ltd	2013	Dalfarras Vermentino	Nagambie Lakes	6	32	47.0	Bronze
Mitolo Wines	2013	Mitolo Jester Vermentino	McLaren Vale	6	33	43.0	
Feathertop	2013	Vermentino	Alpine Valleys	6	34	42.0	



Cirami Estate	2013	Vermentino	Riverland	6	35	46.5	Bronze
Bremerton Wines	2013	Special Release Vermentino	Langhorne Creek	6	36	56.0	Gold
Salena Estate Wines	2012	Ink Series Vermentino	Riverland	6	37	48.5	Bronze
Jacob's Creek Wines	2012	Jacob's Creek Cool Harvest Vermentino	Murray Darling NSW	6	38	55.5	Gold
Montevicchio	2012	Bianco	Heathcote	6	39	42.0	

Class 6 Comments:

Interesting class to judge with varying styles. The top wines show lovely balance between bright fruit and textural quality. Too many wines were marred by excessive sulphide.

Class 7: Fiano

				Class #	Score	Medal	
Foster e Rocco	2011	Foster e Rocco Fiano	Heathcote	7	1	46.5	Bronze
The Winery Pty Ltd	2012	Two Italian Boys Fiano	Murray Darling NSW	7	2	55.5	Gold
Oliver's Taranga Vineyards	2013	Oliver's Taranga Fiano	McLaren Vale	7	3	48.0	Bronze
Beach Road Wines	2012	Fiano	Langhorne Creek	7	4	0.0	Not Received
Bremerton Wines	2013	Bremerton Special Release Fiano	Langhorne Creek	7	5	47.5	Bronze
Scott Winemaking	2013	Fiano	Adelaide Hills	7	6	46.5	Bronze
Rutherglen Estates	2012	Fiano	Rutherglen	7	7	46.5	Bronze
Littore Family Wines	2013	IDYLL	Murray Darling NSW	7	8	47.0	Bronze
Chalmers Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2012	Fiano	Heathcote	7	9	56.0	Gold
Parous Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2013	Parous Fiano	Heathcote	7	10	44.5	
Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy	2013	Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy Fiano	Adelaide Hills	7	11	43.0	
Jacob's Creek Wines	2011	Jacob's Creek Limited Release Fiano	Murray Darling NSW	7	12	45.5	
Saltram Wine Estate	2012	Saltram Winemakers Selection Fiano	Barossa Valley	7	13	52.0	Silver
ArtWine Pty Ltd	2013	ArtWine Fiano	Clare Valley	7	14	49.5	Bronze
Rosemount Estates Pty Ltd	2012	Rosemount Nursery Project Fiano	Langhorne Creek	7	15	43.5	
Bassham Wines	2013	Bassham Fiano	Riverland	7	16	44.5	
Pikes Wines	2013	Luccio Fiano	Clare Valley	7	17	47.0	C
Cellarmasters	2011	Stefano De Pieri Di Qualita Fiano	Murray Darling Vic	7	18	44.5	
Galli Estate	2012	Adele Fiano	Sunbury	7	19	47.0	Bronze
Chalmers Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2011	Fiano	Heathcote	7	20	44.0	
Coriole Vineyards	2013	Fiano	McLaren Vale	7	21	55.5	Gold
Serafino Wines	2013	Serafino Bellissimo Fiano	McLaren Vale	7	22	47.5	Bronze



Kirrihill Wines	2013	Kirrihill Wines, Riverland Fiano	Riverland	7	23	0.0	Withdrawn
Angove Family Winemakers	2013	Alternatus Fiano	McLaren Vale	7	24	45.0	
Cellarmasters	2012	Stefano De Pieri Di Qualita Fiano Arneis	Murray Darling Vic	7	25	51.0	Silver

Class 7 Comments:

A class with diverse styles, encompassing fine and flinty through to oak supported and textural examples plus some good phenolics. Be aware of excessive residual sugar.

Class 8: Gewurztraminer

				Class #	Score	Medal	
Ros Ritchie Wines P/L	2012	Ros Ritchie Wines Gewurztraminer	Upper Goulburn	8	1	47.0	Bronze
Topper's Mountain Wines	2013	Topper's Mountain Gewurztraminer	New England Australia	8	2	52.0	Silver
Red Feet Wines	2012	Red Feet Gewurztraminer	King Valley	8	3	40.0	
The Little Wine Company	2013	Little Wine Company Gewurztraminer	Goulburn Valley	8	4	45.0	
Symphony Hill Wines	2013	2013 Gewurztraminer	New England Australia	8	5	48.0	Bronze
Well Mannered Wine Co.	2013	Manners Gewurztraminer	Mudgee	8	6	39.0	
Symphony Hill Wines	2013	Barrel Fermented Gewurztraminer	New England Australia	8	7	55.5	Gold
De Bortoli Wines	2012	Sacred Hill Traminer Riesling	Riverina	8	8	45.0	
G. Pattriti & Co. Pty LTD	2013	Jimmy's Hat	Adelaide Hills	8	9	42.0	
S.C. Pannell Wines	2013	SC Pannell Aromatico	Adelaide Hills	8	10	45.0	
De Bortoli Wines	2013	Sacred Hill Traminer Riesling	Riverina	8	11	43.0	

Class 8 Comments:

some really delicious wines, the gold is a very complex yet delicate example, a beautiful GWT with such a complex nose and incredible aftertaste.

Class 9: Petit Manseng

				Class #	Score	Medal	
Gapsted Wines	2012	Limited Release Petit Manseng	King Valley	9	1	45.0	
Whistling Kite Vineyard	2011	Whistling Kite Biodynamic Petit Manseng	Riverland	9	2	46.5	Bronze
Bassham Wines	2013	Bassham Petit Manseng	Riverland	9	3	42.0	
Topper's Mountain Wines	2013	Topper's Mountain Petit Manseng	New England Australia	9	4	49.0	Bronze
Topper's Mountain Wines	2012	Topper's Mountain Petit Manseng	New England Australia	9	5	51.0	Silver
Knapstein Enterprise Winery	2012	The Insider Petit Manseng	Clare Valley	9	6	43.0	



Class 9 Comments:

A textural, complex variety that can produce rich, hedonistic wines, that can look advanced, two top examples different styles, one fresh with crisp acidity, the other more slippery and ethereal (silver)

Class 10: Other light to medium-bodied varieties or blends

				Class #	Score	Medal
Hoddles Creek Estate	2012	1ER Pinot Blanc	Yarra Valley	10 1	51.5	Silver
Salena Estate Wines	2013	Ink Series Bianco d'Alessano	Riverland	10 3	53.0	Silver
Hoddles Creek Estate	2013	Hoddles Creek 1ER Pinot Blanc	Yarra Valley	10 6	51.0	Silver
Vinea Marson	2012	Vinea Marson Grazia	Alpine Valleys	10 7	45.0	
CERAVOLO PREMIUM WINES TY LTD	2013	CERAVOLO CORTESE D'ASHTON	Adelaide Hills	10 9	55.5	Gold
Beach Road Wines	2013	Greco	Langhorne Creek	10 11	0.0	Not Received
Hither & Yon	2012	White Frontignac	McLaren Vale	10 12	52.0	Silver
Matua Valley	2013	Matua SV Albarino HB	Hawkes Bay	10 13	49.0	Bronze
hickinbotham of dromana	2012	Aligote	Mornington Peninsula	10 14	45.5	
Quealy Winemakers	2012	Quealy 'Amphora' Friulano	Mornington Peninsula	10 15	52.5	Silver
De Bortoli Wines	2013	Vinoque Pinot Blanc	Yarra Valley	10 16	47.5	Bronze
Scott Winemaking	2013	La Prova Garganega	Barossa Valley	10 17	46.5	Bronze
Fighting Gully Road	2012	Aquila	Alpine Valleys	10 18	55.5	Gold
Redbank Long Paddock Pty Ltd	2012	Redbank Garganega	King Valley	10 20	46.5	Bronze
hickinbotham of dromana	2010	taminga	Mornington Peninsula	10 28	52.0	Silver
Trentham Estate Wines	2013	trentham estate verdejo	Murray Darling NSW	10 29	56.0	Gold
Quealy Winemakers	2012	Quealy 'Turbul' Friulano (8 day skin contact)	Mornington Peninsula	10 31	46.5	Bronze
Salena Estate Wines	2012	Ink Series Bianco d'Alessano	Riverland	10 34	55.5	Gold

Class 10 Comments:

A joy to judge. The wines generally showed class and clever use of textural elements, leading to savouriness. The top wines showed great complexity and interest.



Class 11: Other full-bodied varieties or blends

					Class #	Score	Medal
Kangarilla Road Winery	2013	Duetto	McLaren Vale	11	1	44.0	
Critenden Estate	2012	OGGI	Mornington Peninsula	11	2	44.5	
Cellarmasters	2012	Stefano De Pieri White Label Tr Viti White Blend	Murray Darling NSW	11	3	55.5	Gold

Class 11 Comments:

The top wine was delicious, with a beautiful balance of flavour and phenolics. Eminently drinkable.

Class 11A: Gruener Veltiner

					Class #	Score	Medal
K1 by Geoff Hardy	2012	K1 by Geoff Hardy Gruner Veltliner	Adelaide Hills	11A	1	55.5	Gold
The Pawn Wine Company	2013	The Austrian Attack	Adelaide Hills	11A	2	52.0	Silver
K1 by Geoff Hardy	2013	K1 by Geoff Hardy Gruner Veltliner	Adelaide Hills	11A	3	47.0	Bronze
Pike and Joyce	2013	Gruener Veltliner	Adelaide Hills	11A	4	48.5	C
Hahndorf Hill Winery	2013	Hahndorf Hill Winery White Mischief	Unknown	11A	5	45.0	
Hahndorf Hill Winery	2013	Hahndorf Hill Winery GRU Gruner Veltliner	Adelaide Hills	11A	6	46.5	Bronze

Class 11A Comments:

great to see a Gruener class and a gold and silver awarded to wines with purity, length, texture. looking forward to the future, when even more spice shines through

Class 12: Dessert style

					Class #	Score	Medal
Tscharke	2013	Eva	Barossa Valley	12	1	0.0	Not Received
d'Arenberg	2010	The Noble Mud Pie	McLaren Vale	12	3	49.5	Bronze
Trentham Estate Wines	2010	trentham estate noble taminga	Murray Darling NSW	12	4	46.5	Bronze

Class 12 Comments:



Class 13: Prosecco

						Class #	Score	Medal
Cellarmasters	nv	Stefano De Pieri Di Qualita King Valley Prosecco	King Valley	13	1	49.0	Bronze	
Pizzini wines	2013	Pizzini Prosecco	King Valley	13	2	45.5		
Pinnacle Liquor Group	nv	Minchinbury Blue Label Salute Prosecco	Murray Darling NSW	13	3	49.5	C	
Australian Vintage Ltd	2013	Tempus Two Copper Prosecco	Adelaide Hills	13	4	50.0	C	
Dalfarras Wines Pty Ltd	2013	Dalfarras Prosecco	Goulburn Valley	13	5	46.0		
Brown Brothers Milawa Vineyard Pty Ltd	2012	Brown Brothers Limited Release Prosecco	King Valley	13	6	48.0	Bronze	
Redbank Long Paddock Pty Ltd	2012	Redbank Prosecco	King Valley	13	7	49.0	Bronze	
Chrismont	nv	LaZona Prosecco	King Valley	13	8	46.5	Bronze	
Coriole Vineyards	2013	Prosecco	McLaren Vale	13	9	44.0		
Dal Zotto Wines	nv	Dal Zotto Pucino Prosecco	King Valley	13	10	51.0	Silver	
Vinea Marson	2012	Vinea Marson Prosecco	Alpine Valleys	13	11	43.0		
Gapsted Wines / Victorian Alps Winery	nv	Limited Release Prosecco	King Valley	13	12	42.0		
Jacob's Creek Wines	2013	Jacob's Creek Reserve Prosecco	Murray Darling NSW	13	13	45.5		
Feathertop	2012	Prosecco	Alpine Valleys	13	14	43.5		

Class 13 Comments:

The judges considered that not enough attention was paid to base wine quality. The medal wines showed freshness and cleanliness.

Class 14: Sparkling White

						Class #	Score	Medal
Feathertop	2012	Blush	Alpine Valleys	14	1	48.5	C	
Cellarmasters	2013	Rothbury Vintage Bell Moscato	Murray Darling Vic	14	2	53.0	Silver	
Cellarmasters	2013	Stafano De Pieri White Label Moscato	Murray Darling Vic	14	3	44.0		
Cellarmasters	2013	Forbidden Fruit Moscato	Murray Darling Vic	14	4	51.0	Silver	
Quealy Winemakers	2011	Quealy Moscato	Mornington Peninsula	14	5	46.5	Bronze	
Cellarmasters	2013	MUSK-HAT-OH Moscato	Murray Darling Vic	14	6	46.5	Bronze	
Barangaroo Boutique Wines	2013	Barangaroo	Western Victoria	14	7	42.0		
Montevecchio	2013	Moscato	Heathcote	14	8	45.0		
Tahbilk Pty Ltd	2009	Sparkling Marsanne	Nagambie Lakes	14	9	41.0		
Cellarmasters	2013	Brookhill Moscato	Murray Darling Vic	14	10	42.0		
Banrock Station	nv	Frizzante	Riverland	14	11	40.0		
Pinnacle Liquor Group	2013	Cleanskin Moscato Rosa	Murray Darling Vic	14	12	44.5		



Salena Estate Wines	nv	Gold Ribbon Petit Meslier Brut Cuvee	Adelaide Hills	14	13	37.5	
Cirami Estate	2013	Moscato	Riverland	14	14	49.0	Bronze
Oakway Estate	2013	Moscato Rosa Dolce	Geographe	14	15	36.0	
Trentham Estate Wines	2013	trentham estate	Murray Darling NSW	14	16	43.0	

Class 14 Comments:

Interesting class to judge, some sweeter wines showed balance between sugar and acidity. Too many wines over developed. Top medal winners showed personality, vibrancy and freshness.

Class 15A: 2012/2013 Sangiovese

				Class #	Score	Medal
Cappa Stone Wines	2012	Sangiovese	Clare Valley	15A 1	47.0	Bronze
The Pawn Wine Company	2012	The Gambit	Adelaide Hills	15A 2	43.0	
Pizzini wines	2012	Pizzini Sangiovese	King Valley	15A 3	51.0	Silver
Cellarmasters	2013	Vasarelli Maria's Table Currency Creek Sangiovese	Currency Creek	15A 4	44.5	
Foster e Rocco	2012	Foster e Rocco Nuovo	Heathcote	15A 5	43.5	
Chalmers Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2012	Sangiovese	Heathcote	15A 6	42.5	
James and Co	2012	James and Co Sangiovese	Beechworth	15A 7	48.0	Bronze
Galli Estate	2012	Camelback Sangiovese	Heathcote	15A 8	45.5	
Coriole Vineyards	2012	Sangiovese	McLaren Vale	15A 9	48.0	Bronze
Dal Zotto Wines	2012	Dal Zotto Sangiovese	King Valley	15A 10	44.5	
Lark Hill Biodynamic Wines	2013	Lark Hill Biodynamic Sangiovese	Canberra District	15A 11	48.0	Bronze
Stumpy Gully Vineyard	2012	Stumpy Gully Sangiovese	Mornington Peninsula	15A 12	46.5	Bronze
Kangarilla Road Winery	2012	Sangiovese	McLaren Vale	15A 13	56.0	Gold
Cirami Estate	2012	Sangiovese	Riverland	15A 14	0.0	Not Received
Watershed Premium Wines	2012	Senses Sangiovese	Margaret River	15A 15	44.0	
Fighting Gully Road	2012	Sangiovese	Beechworth	15A 16	49.0	Bronze
Commodity Traders Australia Pty Ltd	2012	Trifon Estate Sangiovese	Central Victoria	15A 17	43.5	
Collector Wines Pty Ltd	2012	Collector Rose Red City Sangiovese	Canberra District	15A 18	47.0	Bronze
Saltram Wine Estate	2012	Saltram Winemakers Selection Sangiovese	Barossa Valley	15A 19	51.0	Silver
Foster e Rocco	2013	Foster e Rocco Nuovo	Heathcote	15A 20	43.5	
Di Sciascio Family Wines	2012	D'SAS	Heathcote	15A 21	45.5	
Millbrook Winery	2013	Geographe Sangiovese	Geographe	15A 22	45.0	
Chrismont	2012	LaZona Sangiovese	Alpine Valleys	15A 23	48.0	Bronze



skimstone	2012	skimstone sangiovese	Mudgee	15A	24	43.5	
Brokenwood Wines	2012	Brokenwood Beechworth Sangiovese	Beechworth	15A	25	46.5	Bronze
Kirrihill Wines	2012	Kirrihill Wines, Clare Valley Sangiovese	Clare Valley	15A	26	47.0	Bronze
McLaren Vale Winemakers	2012	Sangiovese	Barossa	15A	27	49.0	Bronze
Rutherglen Estates	2012	Sangiovese	Rutherglen	15A	28	45.0	
Tar & Roses	2012	Tar&Roses	Heathcote	15A	29	55.5	Gold
TORZI MATTHEWS	2012	VIGNA CANTINA SANGIOVESE	Barossa	15A	30	46.5	Bronze
Hardys Tintara	2012	Sangiovese	Unknown	15A	31	48.0	Bronze
Chalk Hill	2012	Sangiovese	McLaren Vale	15A	32	45.0	
Pikes Wines	2012	Luccio Sangiovese	Clare Valley	15A	33	47.0	Bronze
Red Feet Wines	2012	Red Feet Sangiovese	King Valley	15A	34	46.0	

Class 15A Comments:

Good varietal characters across the board. The best examples showed quite 'italianate' structure with positive tannins and crisp acidity.

Class 15B: 2011 and older Sangiovese

				Class #	Score	Medal	
Foster e Rocco	2011	Foster e Rocco Sangiovese	Heathcote	15B	1	45.0	
Vigna Bottin Wines	2011	Vigna Bottin Sangiovese	McLaren Vale	15B	2	47.5	Bronze
Watershed Premium Wines	2011	Senses Sangiovese	Margaret River	15B	3	43.0	
Foster e Rocco	2010	Foster e Rocco Sangiovese	Heathcote	15B	4	44.5	
La Curio	2011	New World Order Sangiovese	McLaren Vale	15B	5	46.5	Bronze
Coriole Vineyards	2010	Vita Reserve	McLaren Vale	15B	6	51.0	Silver
The Winery Pty Ltd	2011	Two Italian Boys Sangiovese	Mount Lofty Ranges	15B	7	42.5	
Commodity Traders Australia Pty Ltd	2008	Trifon Estate Sangiovese	Central Victoria	15B	8	45.5	
Foster e Rocco	2009	Foster e Rocco Riserva	Heathcote	15B	9	48.5	Bronze
Serafino Wines	2009	Serafino Bellissimo Sangiovese	McLaren Vale	15B	10	48.0	Bronze

Class 15B Comments:

The best wine of the class showed exemplary varietal character and structure. A number of others showed correct varietal character without extra character.



Class 15C: Sangiovese - dominant blends

			Class #	Score	Medal
Gapsted Wines	nv	Tobacco Road Sangiovese Barbera	15C 1	45.5	
Dal Zotto Wines	2012	Dal Zotto Sangiovese Cabernet	15C 2	44.5	
Hollick Wines Pty Ltd	2010	Hollaia	15C 3	47.5	Bronze
James and Co	2012	James and Co Sangiovese Cabernet	15C 4	50.0	Bronze
Zonte's Footstep	2011	Zonte's Footstep Canto Di Lago Sangiovese Barbera	15C 5	48.5	Bronze
Cellarmasters	2012	Stefano De Perie White Label Due Viti Red Blend	15C 6	46.5	Bronze
Cellarmasters	2010	Stefano De Pieri L'unico Sangiovese Cabernet Blend	15C 7	55.5	Gold
Kangarilla Road Winery	2012	Terzetto	15C 8	56.0	Gold

Class 15C Comments:

The two best wines showed great concentration and an intriguing mix of varieties. In both cases the wines were well-balanced, fresh and full of flavour.

Class 16: Nebbiolo

			Class #	Score	Medal
Ros Ritchie Wines P/L	2012	Ros Ritchie Wines Nebbiolo	16 1	47.0	Bronze
Tar & Roses	2009	Tar&Roses	16 2	49.5	C
Vinea Marson	2010	Vinea Marson Nebbiolo	16 3	50.0	Bronze
Longview Vineyard	2007	Longview Nebbiolo	16 4	44.5	
Tenafeate Creek Wines	2010	One Tree Hill Basket Press Nebbiolo	16 5	48.0	Bronze
Kirrihill Wines	2012	Kirrihill Wines, Clare Valley Nebbiolo	16 6	46.0	
T'Gallant Winemakers Pty Ltd	2012	T'Gallant Odysseus Dry Red	16 7	47.0	Bronze
Vineyard 28	2012	The Alternative Nebbiolo	16 8	45.0	
Pizzini wines	2010	PIZZINI NEBBIOLO	16 9	44.5	
Grove Estate Wines	2010	Sommita Nebbiolo	16 10	44.0	
Coriole Vineyards	2010	Nebbiolo	16 11	42.5	
Di Sciascio Family Wines	2011	D'SAS	16 12	42.0	
Waywood Wines	2010	98 Nebbiolo	16 13	49.0	Bronze
The Winery Pty Ltd	2010	Two Italian Boys Nebbiolo	16 14	48.0	Bronze
S.C. Pannell Wines	2009	S.C. Pannell Nebbiolo	16 15	47.5	Bronze
Brokenwood Wines	2012	Brokenwood Beechworth Nebbiolo	16 16	45.5	
Galli Estate	2011	Galli Estate Artigiano Nebbiolo	16 17	43.0	
Galli Estate	2011	Galli Estate Riserva Nebbiolo	16 18	46.0	



Topper's Mountain Wines	2011	Topper's Mountain Nebbiolo	New England Australia	16	19	45.5	
Protero Wines	2008	Protero Nebbiolo	Adelaide Hills	16	20	51.0	Silver
Glenwillow Vineyard	2010	Nebbiolo D'Yandoit	Bendigo	16	21	44.5	
Quealy Winemakers	2011	Quealy 'Pyrenees' Nebbiolo	Pyrenees	16	22	44.5	
Cappa Stone Wines	2012	Nebbiolo	Clare Valley	16	23	51.0	Silver
Unico Zelo	2013	Nebbiolo	Adelaide Hills	16	24	47.0	Bronze
Trentham Estate Wines	2012	trentham estate	Murray Darling NSW	16	25	48.5	Bronze
Mount Cole WineWorks P/L	2012	Off the Beaten Track Collectors Edition	Grampians	16	26	45.0	

Class 16 Comments:

Disappointing class with wines showing poor fruit concentration.

Class 17: Barbera

				Class #	Score	Medal	
Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy	2012	Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy Barbera	Langhorne Creek	17	1	42.0	
Vigna Bottin Wines	2011	Vigna Bottin Barbera	McLaren Vale	17	2	45.0	
Chrismont	2012	La Zona Barbera	King Valley	17	3	40.0	
G. Patriitti & Co. Pty LTD	2012	Patriitti Barbera	Adelaide Hills	17	4	39.0	
skimstone	2011	skimstone barbera	Mudgee	17	5	55.5	Gold
David Hook Wines	2012	David Hook Reserve Barbera	Central Ranges	17	6	44.0	
Angullong Vineyard	2011	Fossil Hill Barbera	Orange	17	7	49.0	Bronze
Margan Family Wines	2011	Margan White Label Barbera	Hunter Valley	17	8	42.0	
Chalk Hill	2012	Barbera	McLaren Vale	17	9	43.0	
Coriole Vineyards	2012	Barbera	McLaren Vale	17	10	56.0	Gold
Robert Oatley Vineyards	2012	Montrose Barbera	Mudgee	17	11	55.5	VHC
Dal Zotto Wines	2012	Dal Zotto Wines Barbera	King Valley	17	12	41.0	
Bremerton Wines	2012	Special Release Barbera	Langhorne Creek	17	13	46.5	Bronze
skimstone	2012	skimstone barbera	Mudgee	17	14	40.0	
First Drop Wines	2012	Under the Gun Adelaide Hills Barbera	Adelaide Hills	17	15	46.5	Bronze
G. Patriitti & Co. Pty LTD	2010	Patriitti Barbera	Adelaide Hills	17	16	37.0	
David Hook Wines	2011	David Hook Reserve Barbera	Central Ranges	17	17	47.0	Bronze
McLaren Vale Winemakers	2012	Barbera	McLaren Vale	17	18	44.0	
CERAVOLO PREMIUM WINES TY LTD	2013	CERAVOLO BARBERA DEL FIGLIO	Adelaide Hills	17	19	41.0	



Class 17 Comments:

top wine a stunning example of Australian Barbera, two other golds championed by individual judges are quite different, one dense plush fruit, the other savoury, textural and european. non awarded wines were either too sour, green and vegetative with quite a bit of Brett

Class 18A: 2012/2013 Tempranillo

				Class #	Score	Medal
Running With Bulls	2012	Running with Bulls Wratonbully Tempranillo	Wratonbully	18A 1	53.0	Silver
Mayford Wines	2012	Mayford Tempranillo	Alpine Valleys	18A 2	43.0	
Angove Family Winemakers	2013	Alternatus Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	18A 3	56.0	Gold
Quarry Hill Wines	2013	Lost Acre Tempranillo	Canberra District	18A 4	43.0	
Fifth Estate Wines	2012	Fifth Estate Wines Tempranillo	Geographe	18A 5	41.0	
Drakesbrook Wines	2012	Wildbird Tempranillo	Peel	18A 6	43.0	
St Hallett Wines	2012	Tempranillo	Barossa	18A 7	40.0	
Pindarie	2012	Pindarie	Barossa Valley	18A 8	45.0	
Salena Estate Wines	2012	Ink Series Tempranillo	Adelaide Hills	18A 9	44.0	
Symphonia Wines Pty Ltd	2012	Symphonia Los triadas Tempranillo	King Valley	18A 10	0.0	Not Received
Crabtree Watervale wines	2012	Watervale Tempranillo	Clare Valley	18A 11	39.0	
Peter Lehmann Wines	2012	Hill and Valley Tempranillo	Barossa Valley	18A 12	46.5	Bronze
Bleasdale Vineyards	2012	T&M	McLaren Vale	18A 13	45.0	
Tar & Roses	2012	Tar&Roses	Heathcote	18A 14	49.0	Bronze
Nova Edition Pty Ltd T/A Sanguine Estate Wines	2012	Sanguine Estate Tempranillo	Unknown	18A 15	47.0	Bronze
Hither & Yon	2013	Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	18A 16	52.0	Silver
ArtWine Pty Ltd	2012	ArtWine Tempranillo	Clare Valley	18A 17	46.5	Bronze
Rutherglen Estates	2012	Tempranillo	Rutherglen	18A 18	44.5	
Centennial Vineyards	2012	Reserve Tempranillo	Orange	18A 19	41.0	
Waywood Wines	2012	Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	18A 20	45.0	
Running With Bulls	2012	Running with Bulls Barossa Tempranillo	Barossa	18A 21	43.0	
Commodity Traders Australia Pty Ltd	2012	Trifon Estate Family Reserve Tempranillo	Central Victoria	18A 22	46.5	Bronze
Quattro Mano	2012	Novillo	Barossa Valley	18A 23	44.0	
willow bridge estate	2012	solana tempranillo	Geographe	18A 24	47.0	Bronze
Brown Brothers Milawa Vineyard Pty Ltd	2012	Brown Brothers 18 Eighty Nine Tempranillo	King Valley	18A 25	55.5	Gold
Paxton Wines Pty Ltd	2012	Paxton Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	18A 26	33.0	
Angelicus Wines	2012	Angelicus Tempranillo	Geographe	18A 27	41.0	



Millbrook Winery	2012	Geographe Tempranillo	Geographe	18A	28	48.5	Bronze
Hollick Wines Pty Ltd	2012	Hollick Tempranillo	Wrattobully	18A	29	48.0	Bronze
Freeman Vineyards	2012	Altura Vineyard Tempranillo	Hilltops	18A	30	51.0	Silver
Andrew Peace Wines	2012	Kentish Lane Tempranillo	Swan Hill	18A	32	41.0	
Australian Vintage Ltd	2012	Nepenthe Altitude Tempranillo	Adelaide Hills	18A	33	52.0	HC
Cirami Estate	2012	Tempranillo	Riverland	18A	34	47.0	Bronze
The Pawn Wine Company	2012	En Passant	Adelaide Hills	18A	35	46.5	Bronze
Hedonist Wines	2012	Hedonist Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	18A	36	42.0	
Parous Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2012	Parous Tempranillo	Barossa Valley	18A	37	49.0	Bronze
Banrock Station	2012	Mediterranean Series Tempranillo	Unknown	18A	38	45.5	
Gemtree Vineyards Pty Ltd	2013	Luna Temprana	McLaren Vale	18A	39	42.0	
Serafino Wines	2013	Serafino Bellissimo Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	18A	40	52.0	Silver

Class 18A Comments:

A very enjoyable bracket to judge with a large number of call-back and great discussion over the wines on the table. Quite a cross-section of styles across the top wines ranging from bouncy joven styles to textured, structured and chewy, all showing freshness, fruit density and drive. Watch the oak balance and microbial issues again kept raising their head. A very enjoyable class to judge.

Class 18B: 2011 and older Tempranillo

				Class #	Score	Medal	
Tenafeate Creek Wines	2011	One Tree Hill Basket Press Tempranillo	Adelaide Hills	18B	1	48.0	Bronze
Mr Riggs Wine Company	2011	Mr Riggs Yacca Paddock Tempranillo	Adelaide Hills	18B	2	37.0	
Quattro Mano	2010	La Reto	Barossa Valley	18B	3	45.0	
Topper's Mountain Wines	2011	Topper's Mountain Tempranillo	New England Australia	18B	4	46.5	Bronze
Westend Estate Pty Ltd	2011	Westend Estate Tempranillo	Hilltops	18B	5	48.0	Bronze
Echelon Wine Partners	2011	By Jove Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	18B	6	55.5	Gold
Commodity Traders Australia Pty Ltd	2008	Trifon Estate Tempranillo	Central Victoria	18B	7	44.0	
Paxton Wines Pty Ltd	2011	Paxton Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	18B	8	35.0	
Oliver's Taranga Vineyards	2011	Oliver's Taranga Small Batch Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	18B	9	35.0	
Waywood Wines	2011	Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	18B	10	49.0	Bronze
Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy	2011	Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy Tempranillo	Adelaide Hills	18B	11	49.0	Bronze
First Drop Wines	2011	Pintor Barossa Tempranillo	Barossa	18B	12	46.5	Bronze
Hedonist Wines	2011	Hedonist Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	18B	13	44.0	
Fighting Gully Road	2010	Tempranillo	Beechworth	18B	14	47.5	Bronze
Galli Estate	2011	Adele Tempranillo	Heathcote	18B	15	49.0	



Dalfarras Wines Pty Ltd	2011	Dalfarras Tempranillo	Nagambie Lakes	18B	16	43.0	
Tscharke	2011	Only Son	Barossa Valley	18B	17	0.0	Not Received
Rojomoma	2011	Red Art Tempranillo	Barossa Valley	18B	18	41.0	
Hastwell & Lightfoot	2011	Hastwell & Lightfoot	McLaren Vale	18B	19	45.0	
Pirramimma	2011	Pirramimma McLaren Vale Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	18B	20	40.0	
The Little Wine Company	2011	Little Wine Company Tempranillo	Hunter Valley	18B	21	46.5	Bronze
Angullong Vineyard	2011	Fossil Hill Tempranillo	Central Ranges	18B	31	41.0	

Class 18B Comments:

some very faulty wines, daylight between fresher wines and oxidised or bretty wines. one lone gold

Class 18C: Tempranillo - dominant blends

			Class #	Score	Medal
Brown Brothers Milawa Vineyard Pty Ltd	2012	Brown Brothers Limited Release Tempranillo Graciano	18C 1	48.5	C
Quattro Mano	2010	La Gracia	18C 2	46.5	Bronze
piano piano wines	2012	Mario's Blend Tempranillo Touriga	18C 4	42.0	
S.C. Pannell Wines	2012	S.C. Pannell Tempranillo Touriga	18C 5	55.5	Gold
Pindarie	2012	Pindarie Bar Rossa	18C 6	53.0	Silver
Bremerton Wines	2012	Special Release Tempranillo Graciano	18C 7	46.5	Bronze
d'Arenberg	2009	The Sticks & Stones	18C 9	43.0	
Pindarie	2011	Pindarie Bar Rossa	18C 10	42.0	
Galli Estate	2012	Galli Estate Tempranillo Grenache Mourvedre	18C 11	45.0	

Class 18C Comments:

top wine is delicious, a much more pleasurable class than 18b, good work blending other varieties in for texture, roundness and drinkability

Class 19: Petit Verdot

			Class #	Score	Medal
Kingston Estate Wines	2009	Kingston Echelon Petit Verdot	19 1	49.0	Bronze
Psyche Wines Pty Ltd	2008	Psyche Smuggler Petit Verdot	19 2	41.0	
Rojomoma	2011	Red Art Petit Verdot	19 3	53.0	Silver
Kingston Estate Wines	2010	Kingston Estate Petit Verdot	19 4	46.5	Bronze



De Bortoli Wines	2010	Deen DeBortoli Petit Verdot	Riverina	19	5	49.0	Bronze
Nursery Ridge Estate Wines	2012	Coorong Petit Verdot	Murray Darling Vic	19	6	45.0	
Millbrook Winery	2012	Perth Hills Petit Verdot	Perth Hills	19	7	46.0	
CERAVOLO PREMIUM WINES TY LTD	2010	CERAVOLO PETIT VERDOT	Adelaide Plains	19	8	39.0	
Pirramimma	2011	Pirramimma Petit Verdot	McLaren Vale	19	9	49.0	Bronze
Pirramimma	2010	Pirramimma Petit Verdot	McLaren Vale	19	10	45.0	
Littore Family Wines	2013	Dirty Red	Unknown	19	11	55.5	VHC
Leconfield Wines	2012	Leconfield Petit Verdot	Coonawarra	19	12	45.0	
Kingston Estate Wines	2010	Kingston Estate Petit Verdot	Riverland	19	13	0.0	Withdrawn
Loomwine	2010	t=0 Petit Verdot Shiraz Tempranillo	McLaren Vale	19	14	48.0	Bronze

Class 19 Comments:

Awarded wines had lovely balance of aromatics and woven tannin structure, top wine quite modern and imminently drinkable, strong silver on a more classic style. a better class than judges were anticipating

Class 20: Durif

				Class #	Score	Medal	
Westend Estate Pty Ltd	2012	Westend 3 Bridges Durif	Riverina	20	1	55.5	Gold
Rutherglen Estates	2009	Renaissance Durif	Rutherglen	20	2	47.0	Bronze
Morris Wines	2007	Morris CHM Durif	Rutherglen	20	3	45.0	
Morris Wines	2009	Morris Durif	Rutherglen	20	4	41.0	
De Bortoli Wines	2011	Deen DeBortoli Durif	Riverina	20	5	51.0	Silver
Rutherglen Estates	2009	Durif	Rutherglen	20	6	43.0	
Brown Brothers Milawa Vineyard Pty Ltd	2012	Brown Brothers Limited Release Durif	Heathcote	20	7	55.5	Gold
Gapsted Wines / Victorian Alps Winery	2009	Ballerina Canopy Durif	Alpine Valleys	20	8	49.0	Bronze
Westend Estate Pty Ltd	2012	Westend The Boxer Durif	Riverina	20	9	44.0	
Casella Wines	2012	Black Stump Durif Shiraz	Unknown	20	10	49.0	Bronze
McLaren Vale Winemakers	2012	Durif Shiraz Grenache Sauvignon	McLaren Vale	20	11	50.0	Bronze

Class 20 Comments:

some lovely poise, balance and character in top wines, quite drinkable, a strong class, with less of the over extracted, oaked, alcoholic issues that Durif is sometimes criticised for. Good handling.



Class 21: Primitivo / Zinfandel

			Class #	Score	Medal
Cellarmasters	2012	Stefano De Pieri Di Qualita Primitivo	21 1	51.0	Silver
Toomuc Ridge	2012	Primitivo	21 2	46.5	Bronze
Kangarilla Road Winery	2012	Kangarilla Road Primitivo	21 3	51.0	Silver
La Curio	2011	The Original Zin	21 4	47.5	Bronze
CERAVOLO PREMIUM WINES TY LTD	2012	CERAVOLO PRIMITIVO THE EMIGRANTE	21 5	43.0	
Serafino Wines	2012	Serafino Bellissimo Primitivo	21 6	51.0	Silver
Rutherglen Estates	2010	Renaissance Zinfandel	21 7	44.5	
Watershed Premium Wines	2012	Senses Zinfandel	21 8	44.5	
Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy	2010	Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy Primitivo	21 9	47.0	Bronze

Class 21 Comments:

Quite a strong class with pronounced varietal characters - black berry/plush fruit not overloaded by oak. The better wines were freshly-fruited, with the three top wines all providing great drinkability.

Class 22: Lagrein

			Class #	Score	Medal
Cirami Estate	2013	Lagrein	22 1	54.0	Silver
Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy	2010	Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy Lagrein	22 2	45.0	
Serafino Wines	2012	Serafino Bellissimo Lagrein	22 3	55.5	Gold
Salena Estate Wines	2012	Ink Series Lagrein	22 4	51.0	Silver
Bassham Wines	2012	Bassham Lagrein	22 5	48.5	Bronze
Chalmers Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2011	Lagrein	22 6	40.0	

Class 22 Comments:

fine grain tannins throughout the class, but many wine tending to silage, vegetal characters, top wines quite delicious, unlucky silver (beautiful fruit, sl oak supported).

Class 23: Mataro/Mourvedre/Monastrell and Blends

			Class #	Score	Medal
Drakesbrook Wines	2012	Wildbird Mourvedre	23 1	49.0	Bronze
Jacob's Creek Wines	2010	Jacob's Creek Limited Release Barossa Valley Mataro	23 2	50.0	Bronze
Yangarra Estate Vineyard	2012	Mourvedre	23 3	44.5	
Woods Crampton	2012	Mataro	23 4	46.5	Bronze



Shingleback Wine	2012	Shingleback Kitchen Garden Mataro	McLaren Vale	23	5	47.0	Bronze
d'Arenberg	2010	The Twenty-eight Road	McLaren Vale	23	6	48.0	Bronze
St Hallett Wines	2012	Mataro	Barossa Valley	23	7	46.5	Bronze
Tscharke	2011	Stonewell	Barossa Valley	23	8	0.0	Not Received
Bremerton Wines	2012	Special Release Mourvedre	Langhorne Creek	23	9	47.0	Bronze
Burge Family Winemakers	2010	Olive Hill Mourvedre-Grenache	Barossa Valley	23	10	46.0	
Syrahmi	2012	Syrahmi Mourvedre	Heathcote	23	11	45.0	
Pikes Wines	2012	Gills Farm Mourvedre	Clare Valley	23	13	50.0	C
Rosemount Estates Pty Ltd	2011	Rosemount Nursery Mataro	McLaren Vale	23	14	47.5	Bronze
Kellermeister	2011	Threefold Farm 'Missy Moo' Mataro	Barossa Valley	23	15	46.5	Bronze
Morgan Simpson Wines	2010	Plan B Mataro	Fleurieu	23	16	49.0	Bronze

Class 23 Comments:

A disappointing class, with wines lacking brightness and concentration. Many exhibited hard tannins.

Class 24: Malbec and Malbec Blends

				Class #	Score	Medal	
Trentham Estate Wines	2012	trentham estate malbec	Murray Darling Vic	24	1	48.5	Bronze
Arturo	2011	Malbec	Heathcote	24	2	44.0	
Bleasdale Vineyards	2011	Second Innings Malbec	Langhorne Creek	24	3	48.0	Bronze
Bremerton Wines	2012	Special Release Malbec	Langhorne Creek	24	4	52.0	Silver
McLaren Vale Winemakers	2012	Malbec	McLaren Vale	24	5	48.0	Bronze
Casella Wines	2012	[yellowtail] Malbec	Unknown	24	6	55.5	Gold
Drakesbrook Wines	2012	Wildbird Malbec	Peel	24	7	0.0	Not Received
Bleasdale Vineyards	2011	Premium Malbec	Langhorne Creek	24	8	47.0	Bronze
Harcourt Valley Vineyards	2012	Limited Release Malbec	Bendigo	24	9	48.0	Bronze
Twin Cellars	2012	Malbec	Margaret River	24	10	46.5	Bronze
Bleasdale Vineyards	2012	Second Innings Malbec	Langhorne Creek	24	11	49.0	Bronze
G.A. Hannett	2011	Malbec	Margaret River	24	12	42.0	
G.A. Hannett	2009	Malbec	Margaret River	24	13	43.0	
Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy	2012	Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy Malbec	Langhorne Creek	24	14	39.0	
Ferngrove Vineyards Estate	2011	King Malbec	Unknown	24	15	44.0	
Ferngrove Vineyards Estate	2010	King Malbec	Frankland River	24	16	41.0	



Matchbox Wine Co	2013	Matchbox Wine Co Malbec Joven	Clare Valley	24	17	56.0	Gold
G.A. Hannett	2010	Malbec	Margaret River	24	18	42.0	
Brown Brothers Milawa Vineyard Pty Ltd	2012	Brown Brothers Cellar Door Release Malbec	Heathcote	24	19	0.0	Not Received

Class 24 Comments:

some very strong wines, with young wines showing delicious fruit, complete tannin and charm. Malbec is looking very strong in Australia, some wines possibly better as blenders to calm the tannins or fill out the palate, seems to be brett susceptibility

Class 25: Sagrantino and Sagrantino Blend

			Class #	Score	Medal	
Terra Felix Pty Ltd	2009	Terra Felix Sagrantino	25	1	45.5	
Heathvale Wines Pty Ltd	2011	The Belief	25	2	52.0	Silver
Coriole Vineyards	2009	Sagrantino	25	3	42.5	
Oliver's Taranga Vineyards	2010	Oliver's Taranga Sagrantino	25	4	46.5	Bronze
d'Arenberg	2009	The Cenosilicaphobic Cat	25	5	45.0	
Chrismont	2012	La Zona Sagrantino	25	6	45.0	
Andrew Peace Wines	2008	Australia Felix Sagrantino	25	7	44.5	
Seppeltsfield Wines Pty Ltd	2012	Seppeltsfield Sagrantino	25	8	0.0	Withdrawn
Chalmers Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2012	Sagrantino	25	9	46.5	Bronze

Class 25 Comments:

The top wines displayed a pronounced tannin presence but fresh and bright dark fruit. Winemaking faults detracted from some others.

Class 26: Saperavi

			Class #	Score	Medal	
Psyche Wines Pty Ltd	2012	The Bogatyr Saperavi	26	1	46.5	Bronze
McLaren Vale Winemakers	2012	Saperavi	26	2	42.0	
G. Patrilli & Co. Pty LTD	2011	Patrilli Saperavi	26	3	46.5	Bronze
Two Hands Wines	2012	Never Tear Us Apart Saperavi	26	4	50.0	Bronze
Cirami Estate	2013	Saperavi	26	5	55.5	Gold
Gapsted Wines	2009	Limited Release Saperavi	26	6	42.0	
Cirami Estate	2012	Saperavi	26	7	48.5	Bronze



Class 26 Comments:

intriguing characters, undoubtedly great colour and vibrant red fruits, some wines vegetative and sl cabbage, gold is a very youthful wine with a great future

Class 27: Aglianico

				Class #	Score	Medal
Westend Estate Pty Ltd	2010	Calabria Aglianico	Riverina	27 1	42.0	
Fighting Gully Road	2012	Aglianico	Alpine Valleys	27 2	53.0	Silver
Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy	2011	Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy Aglianico	McLaren Vale	27 3	45.0	
Hither & Yon	2012	Aglianico	McLaren Vale	27 4	51.0	Bronze
Chalmers Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2011	Aglianico	Heathcote	27 5	42.0	
Scott Winemaking	2012	La Prova Aglianico	Adelaide Hills	27 6	48.0	Bronze
Beach Road Wines	2012	Aglianico	Langhorne Creek	27 7	0.0	Not Received

Class 27 Comments:

aromatic, chalky, tight and taut, screaming for food, just didn't quite make gold, not as exciting as last year.

Class 28: Montepulciano and Montepulciano Blends

				Class #	Score	Medal
CIRAMI ESTATE	2013	Montepulciano	Riverland	28 1	53.0	Silver
Jacob's Creek Wines	2011	Jacob's Creek Earth Vine Grape Montepulciano	Riverland	28 2	55.5	Gold
Kirrihill Wines	2012	Kirrihill Wines, Mount Lofty Montepulciano	Unknown	28 3	47.0	Bronze
Waywood Wines	2012	Montepulciano	McLaren Vale	28 4	55.5	Gold
Mr Riggs Wine Company	2011	Mr Riggs Montepulciano d'Adelaide Hills	Adelaide Hills	28 5	41.0	
Bird in Hand	2012	Bird in Hand Montepulciano	Adelaide Hills	28 6	0.0	Not Received
Kangarilla Road Winery	2012	Montepulciano	McLaren Vale	28 7	48.0	Bronze
Tenafeate Creek Wines	2011	One Tree Hill Basket Press Montepulciano	Adelaide Hills	28 8	44.0	
Whistling Kite Vineyard	2012	Whistling Kite Byodynamic Montepulciano	Riverland	28 9	56.0	Gold
Salena Estate Wines	2012	Ink Series Montepulciano	Riverland	28 10	49.0	Bronze
Brown Brothers Milawa Vineyard Pty Ltd	2012	Brown Brothers Cellar Door Release Montepulciano	Heathcote	28 11	45.0	
Banrock Station	2012	Mediterranean Series Montepulciano	Unknown	28 12	46.5	Bronze
Bassham Wines	2012	Bassham Montepulciano	Riverland	28 13	47.0	Bronze
McLaren Vale Winemakers	2012	Montepulciano	Adelaide Plains	28 14	46.5	Bronze



TORZI MATTHEWS VINTNERS	2013	Vigna Cantina Rosato di Sangiovese	Eden Valley	30	10	41.5	
Longview Vineyard	2013	Boat Shed Rose	Adelaide Hills	30	11	48.0	Bronze
Hahndorf Hill Winery	2013	Rosé	Adelaide Hills	30	12	47.5	Bronze
Tenafeate Creek Wines	2013	One Tree Hill Sangiovese Rose	Adelaide Hills	30	13	45.5	
The Yalumba Wine Company	2013	Yalumba Y Series Sangiovese Rose	Unknown	30	14	51.0	Silver
Montevecchio	2012	Rosato	Heathcote	30	15	43.5	
Annie's Lane at Quelltaler	2013	Annie's Lane Clare Valley Rose	Clare Valley	30	16	49.5	Bronze
Montevecchio	2013	Rosato	Heathcote	30	17	41.0	
Chalmers Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2013	Rosato	Heathcote	30	18	41.0	
Pizzini Wines	2013	Pizzini Rosetta Sangiovese Rose	King Valley	30	19	48.5	Bronze
Scott Winemaking	2013	La Prova Aglianico Rosato	Adelaide Hills	30	20	51.0	Silver
Australian Vintage Ltd	2013	Nepenthe Winemaker Select Zinfandel Rose	Adelaide Hills	30	21	46.0	
Trentham Estate Wines	2013	trentham estate	Murray Darling NSW	30	22	48.5	Bronze
The Pawn Wine Company	2013	El Desperado	Adelaide Hills	30	23	51.0	Silver
The Winery Pty Ltd	2013	Two Italian Boys Sangiovese Rose'	Riverina	30	24	45.5	
Whistling Kite Vineyard	2013	Whistling Kite Biodynamic Rose'	Riverland	30	25	40.5	
Foster e Rocco	2013	Foster e Rocco rose Sangiovese	Unknown	30	26	42.0	
Mazza Wines	2013	Bastardo	Geographe	30	27	55.5	Gold
Hedonist Wines	2013	Hedonist Sangiovese Rose	McLaren Vale	30	28	43.5	
Mitolo Wines	2013	Mitolo Jester Sangiovese Rose	McLaren Vale	30	29	42.5	
Vinea Marson	2012	Vinea Marson Rose	Heathcote	30	30	45.5	
Hahndorf Hill Winery	2013	Hahndorf Hill Zsa Zsa Rosé	Adelaide Hills	30	31	45.0	
Woods Crampton	2013	Mataro Rose	Barossa Valley	30	32	51.5	Silver

Class 30 Comments:

A diverse range of rose styles covering the bright and vibrant to the creamy and textural. The three top wines encompassed this diversity of style. Residual sugar balance is important, as is the judicious management of sulphides.

Class 31A: Other Red - Iberian Varieties and Blends

				Class #	Score	Medal
Tscharke	2012	Matching Socks	Barossa Valley	31A 1	0.0	Not Received
G. Patritti & Co. Pty LTD	2012	Patritti Trincadeira	Barossa Valley	31A 2	41.0	
St Hallett Wines	2012	Touriga Nacional	Barossa Valley	31A 3	51.0	Silver
Hardys Tintara	2012	Tinta Mole Touriga Grenache	McLaren Vale	31A 5	45.0	



Class 31A Comments:

small class with one highlight, very drinkable, perfumed, juicy wine

Class 31B: Other Red – Italian Varieties and Blends

				Class #	Score	Medal
TORZI MATTHEWS VINTNERS	2012	Vigna Cantina Negro Amaro	Barossa Valley	31B 1	48.5	Bronze
MicheliniWines	2012	Michelini Teroldego	Alpine Valleys	31B 2	56.0	Gold
Montevecchio	2012	Rosso	Heathcote	31B 3	43.0	
Blue Poles Vineyard	2011	Teroldego	Margaret River	31B 4	55.5	Gold
Mudgee Homestead Estate	2010	Frenzied Fox Negro Amaro	Mudgee	31B 5	45.0	
Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy	2012	Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy Dolcetto	Limestone Coast	31B 8	46.5	Bronze
Frenzied Fox Vineyard	2011	Frenzied Fox Negro Amaro	Mudgee	31B 9	44.0	
Freeman Vineyards	2009	Secco	Hilltops	31B 10	55.5	Gold
David Hook Wines	2013	David Hook Reserve De Novo Rosso	Hunter Valley	31B 12	45.0	
Freeman Vineyards	2010	Secco	Hilltops	31B 13	47.0	Bronze
CERAVOLO PREMIUM WINES TY LTD	2013	CERAVOLO DOLCETTO DEL PADRE	Adelaide Hills	31B 14	45.5	
Credaro Family Estate	2012	Credaro Family Estate Fragola	Margaret River	31B 16	47.0	Bronze

Class 31B Comments:

An amazing diversity with the best wines being thrilling examples of different styles - some showing freshness and vitality, others the benefit of winemaking techniques.

Class 31C: Other Red - Medium-bodied Varieties or Blends

				Class #	Score	Medal
Bago vineyards	2011	Tannat	Hastings River	31C 1	40.0	
Psyche Wines Pty Ltd	2012	The Troitsa CSP	Murray Darling Vic	31C 2	51.0	Silver
Hahndorf Hill Winery	2012	Hahndorf Hill Winery Blueblood Blaufrankisch	Adelaide Hills	31C 3	46.5	Bronze
Morris Wines	2010	Morris Cinsaut	Rutherglen	31C 4	44.0	
De Bortoli Wines	2012	Vinoque Gamay Noir	Yarra Valley	31C 5	51.0	Silver
Topper's Mountain Wines	2011	Topper's Mountain Red Earth Child	New England Australia	31C 6	44.0	
Shadowfax Wines	2012	Minnow	Port Phillip	31C 7	43.0	
Judge Rock Pinot Wines	2011	Judge Rock St Laurent	Central Otago	31C 8	51.0	Silver



Psyche Wines Pty Ltd	2012	The Troubador Carmenerere	Murray Darling Vic	31C	9	51.0	Silver
Bago vineyards	2010	Chambourcin	Unknown	31C	10	40.0	

Class 31C Comments:

tough class, sadly a lot of faults, two silvers really divided the judges, but had strong support from individuals

Class 32: Other Red - Full-bodied Varieties or Blends

			Class #	Score	Medal	
Forester Estate	2010	Alicante Bouschet	32	3	53.0	Silver
Jacob's Creek Wines	2009	Jacob's Creek Limited Release Langhorne Creek Tannat	32	4	43.0	
Clare Valley Vine Improvement Society	2010	CVVIS 2010 Carmenerere	32	5	42.0	
Forester Estate	2011	Alicante Bouschet	32	6	45.0	
Pirramimma	2010	Pirramimma Tannat	32	7	45.0	
ridgemill estate	2012	"The Outlaw" Jacquez	32	8	41.0	
Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy	2010	Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy Tannat	32	9	47.0	Bronze
Pertaringa	2009	Pertaringa Tannat	32	11	45.0	

Class 32 Comments:

a mixed bag but a couple of interesting wines, too much acid for drinkability in many wines

Class 33: Nero d'Avola

			Class #	Score	Medal	
Bird in Hand	2012	Bird in Hand Nero d'Avola	33	1	0.0	Not Received
Mantra Wines	2013	Nero d'Avola	33	2	52.0	Silver
Beach Road Wines	2012	Nero d'Avola	33	3	0.0	Not Received
Coriole Vineyards	2013	Nero d'Avola	33	4	51.5	Silver
Chalmers Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2012	Nero d'Avola	33	5	44.5	
Taminick Cellars	2011	Generations IV	33	6	0.0	Not Received
Westend Estate Pty Ltd	2010	Calabria Nero D'Avola	33	7	55.5	Gold
Salena Estate Wines	2013	Ink Series Nero d'Avola	33	8	46.0	
McLaren Vale Winemakers	2013	67 Days Later Nero D'Avola	33	9	47.5	Bronze
Brash Higgins	2012	NDV Amphora Project-Nero d'Avola	33	10	52.5	Silver



Class 33 Comments:

A small but strong class displaying Nero d'Avola's stylistic versatility. The early drinking styles were as home as the more robust - it was good to see good varietal character was to the fore.

Class 34: Sparkling Red

			Class #	Score	Medal	
d'Arenberg	nv	The Peppermint Paddock	34	1	43.0	
Rusticana Wines	2012	Sparkling Durif	34	2	44.0	
Chalmers Wines Australia Pty Ltd	2012	Lambrusco	34	3	44.0	
Trentham Estate Wines	2013	trentham estate	34	4	46.5	Bronze
Brown Brothers Milawa Vineyard Pty Ltd	2010	Brown Brothers Cellar Door Release Sparkling Dolcetto	34	5	47.5	Bronze
Gapsted Wines	nv	Limited Release Sparkling Saperavi	34	6	44.5	

Class 34 Comments:

The judges considered that better material may be required for the base wine. More brightness and freshness in the finished wine was desirable.

Class 35: Experimental White styles

Class # Score Medal

Class 35 Comments:

Class 36: Experimental Red styles

			Class #	Score	Medal	
Rosemount Estates Pty Ltd	2013	Rosemount Estates Nero d'Avola	36	2	55.5	VHC
Feathertop	2013	Dornfelder	36	3	51.0	HC
Rosemount Estates Pty Ltd	2013	Rosemount Nursery Italian Blend	36	4	52.5	HC
Rosemount Estates Pty Ltd	2012	Rosemount Nursery Italian Blend	36	5	48.0	C
Andrew Peace Wines	2013	Ripasso Shiraz	36	6	51.0	Silver
Rosemount Estates Pty Ltd	2013	Rosemount Estates Touriga	36	7	52.5	HC



Rosemount Estates Pty Ltd	2013	Rosemount Estates Nero d'Avola MVO	McLaren Vale	36	8	46.5	C
Rosemount Estates Pty Ltd	2013	Rosemount Nursery Project GMG	McLaren Vale	36	9	52.5	HC
Zilzie Wines Pty Ltd	2013	Lagrein Shiraz	Murray Darling NSW	36	10	42.0	

Class 36 Comments:

Always exciting to judge the experimental class because of the diversity of varieties and experimentation with winemaking and/or viti. High quality and intrigue across the class.