

Flavour Characteristic Chart

Grape/Wine	Sweetness	Acidity	Tannins	Oakiness	Alcohol
White					
Chardonnay	Low	Med-High	None	Med-High, California, Burgundy, Australia No-Low, Chablis	Med-High
Sauvignon Blanc	Low	High	None	No Except some California	Med-High
Pinot Gris	Low	Med	None	No	
Riesling	Low-High	High	None	No	Med-High
Gewurztraminer	Low-Med	Low	None	No	Low-Med
Dessert Wines	Med-High	Low-Med	None	Low	Low-Med
Red					
Cabernet Sauvignon	Low	Medium +	Med-High	Med-High	High
Merlot	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium	Med-High
Syrah/Shiraz	Low	Medium +	Medium +	Med-High	
Pinot Noir	Low	Med-High	Low	Med-High	
Sangiovese(Chianti/Brunello)	Low	High	High	High	Med-High
Nebbiolo (Barolo)	Low	High	High	High	High
Vintage Port	Med-High	Med-High	Med-High	High	High