

# PIWI INTERNATIONAL WINE CHALLENGE 2023

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## Accomplishments and price list

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[www.bonvinitas.com](http://www.bonvinitas.com), which is performing the PIWI INTERNATIONAL WINE CHALLENGE 2023 for PIWI International association in close cooperation, is the great international online wine magazine, which independently carries out its own blind evaluations of wines by neutral testers, too.

## Categories and rating system

The wines and sparkling wines are blindly rated by neutral testers on a 100-point system in **five categories**.

[Look our rating system](#)

**category 1:** lighter dry wines and sparkling wines with less than 9 g/l residual sugar and up to 12% alcohol. When evaluating the bouquet, we weight here freshness and liveliness more heavily and the drinking pleasure on the tongue. Because we are convinced that this is particularly sought after with lighter wines.

**category 2:** stronger, dry wines and sparkling wines with less than 9 g/l residual sugar and more than 12% alcohol. Here we give more weight to the personality of the wine, the individual and terroir notes as well as the potential for good development in the future, characteristics that are expected of these products.

**category 3:** half dry and sweeter wines and sparkling wines, each with over 9 g/l of sugar. Here we weight the fruitiness more heavily as well as the probable future, because fruit is primarily expected from a sweeter wine.

**category 4:** noble sweet wines such as Beerenauslese, Trockenbeerenauslese or ice wines. Here, of course, we weight the fruit even more, especially tropical fruit notes.

**category 5:** natural and orange wines. Here we give more weight to the distinctiveness, the individual and substantial.

## Winners, publication and medals

All awarded wines will appear at the [PIWI website](#) as well at bonvinitas with [Winners at the PIWI Wine Challenge](#).



from 87 points: **SILVER**

from 93 points: **GOLD**

from 96 points: **TOP-GOLD**

Medals for the bottles can be ordered at the PIWI association, very strikingly printed on shiny gold or silver foil.

## Big press and media releases

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- **Broad coverage** on [bonvinitas](#).
- Primarily we highlight the **TOP10 best wines and their producers**.
- As well as the **TOP10 best producers** who have achieved 90 points or more with at least three wines. Because a **high operating average** deserves to be told!
- Extensive **international press releases** to specialist and popular media plus radio and TV.
- Multiple postings on **social media**.

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## Registration and prices

### register wines

Please fill in the boxes of the input mask with numbers or whole words just as you like it to appear at <https://piwi-international.org> as well as at bonvinitas under [winners of PIWI International Wine Challenge](#).

Registration by **September 29, 2023 at the latest** then **please send three bottles** of each wine free of charge and freight prepaid by **October 6, 2023 at the latest**, together with the printed registration forms, to:

**bonvinitas, Dieter Simon, Am Feldschloessel 26, D-77855 Achern, Germany**

**€ 80 per wine – for PIWI members**

**€ 98.50 per wine – for non-members**

bonvinitas is performing the PIWI International Wine Challenge on its own account and sending the bills. On principle plus VAT. For participants from other EU countries without VAT, if they enter their **VAT ID no.** Bills in third countries without VAT.

Advice can be found at bonvinitas as well as here: [office@piwi-international.org](mailto:office@piwi-international.org)

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### Conditions of the PIWI International Wine Challenge performed by bonvinitas

1. By participating, the participant agrees to these prices and conditions. Any previous agreements relating to our wine ratings are no longer valid.
2. The participant agrees to the publication of the results and the data provided by registering, which also applies to bonvinitas' public relations.
3. The participant can use the results and corresponding press releases for his marketing and his sales documents, however, individual medals and images only in connection with the correspondingly awarded wine. Overall results can be mentioned.
4. The employee fills out the online registration form and submits it to bonvinitas as a printout with three sample bottles free of charge and freight prepaid, thus confirming that he is authorized for the job.
5. The participant will receive an invoice with the prices. This is due upon registration or submission. Any customs clearance or shipping fees are the responsibility of the participant. Medals for the bottles and certificates are charged separately.
6. The results represent the opinion of the panel of tasters. Attempts to influence the tasters or bonvinitas are not permitted. bonvinitas reserves the right to choose the tasters.
7. Results below the medal ranks will not be published and no certificates will be issued. This does not entitle to claim back the participation fees. The applicant cannot connect such wines with references to the PIWI Wine Challenge.
8. The applicant assures that the named source of supply is correct and that the submitted wine corresponds to the wine offered in the named source.
9. Submitted sample bottles become the property of bonvinitas. There is no entitlement to return.
10. Legal recourse is excluded. The applicant waives any legal action or claim for damages against bonvinitas, its owners, partners, employees and/or tasters as well as against PIWI International with regard to the examination process and its result.
11. The applicant indemnifies bonvinitas against all third-party claims that may arise from his participation in the tasting and/or the publications mentioned. For this he is responsible for them himself.
12. Should one regulation be invalid, the others remain in force.

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