White Wine 1 - Weinert Montfleury, Uco Valley Chardonnay 2021

Appearance – 2 marks

- 1 mark for intensity.
- 1 mark for colour.

APPEARANCE		
Clarity	elear hazy (faulty?)	
Intensity	pale medium – deep	
ros	te lemon-green – temon – gold – amber – brown sé pink – salmon – orange sd purple – ruby – garnet – tawny – brown	
Other observations	e.g. legs/tears, deposit, pétillance, bubbles	

Nose – 7 marks

- 1 mark for intensity.
- 5 marks for aroma characteristics, see below for potential aroma descriptors.
 1 mark each for identifying a correct primary, secondary and tertiary aroma.
 The other 2 marks can come from any category.
- 1 mark for development.

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Condition	clean – unclean (faulty?)	
Intensity	light – medium(-) – medium(+) pronounced	
Aroma characteristics	e.g. primary secondary tertiary 5 needed (see aromas for valid responses)	
Development	youthful -developing fully developed - tired/past its best	

Palate - 9 marks

- 1 mark for sweetness.
- 1 mark for acidity.
- 1 mark for alcohol.
- 1 mark for body.
- 1 mark for flavour intensity.
- 3 marks for flavour characteristics, these will be the same as aroma descriptors below.

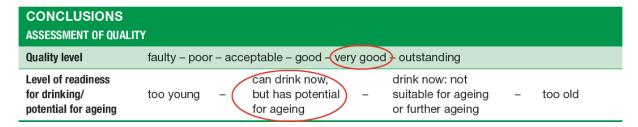
One for a correct primary, one for secondary and one for tertiary aroma.

• 1 mark for finish.

PALATE			
Sweetness	dry - off-dry - medium-dry - medium-sweet - sweet - luscious		
Acidity	low – medium(-) – medium – medium(+) high		
Tannin	low medium(-) medium medium(+) high		
Alcohol	low - medium - high fortified wines: low - medium - high		
Body	light – medium(-) – medium (+) (full choose one		
Mousse	delicate - creamy - aggressive		
Flavour intensity	light – medium(-) – medium (+) pronounced		
Flavour characteristics	e.g primary secondary tertiary 3 needed (see aromas for valid responses)		
Finish	short - medium(-) - medium (+) - long		

Conclusions - 2 marks

- 1 mark for quality level.
- 1 mark for level of readiness for drinking potential for further ageing.



Potential aroma descriptors

	he aromas and flavours of the grape and alcoholic fermentation				
Key questions	Clusters	Descriptors			
	Floral	acacia honeysuckle chamomile, elderflower, geranium, bloesom, rose, violet			
	Green fruit	apple, gooseberry, pear, pear drop, quince, grape			
	Citrus fruit	grapefruit, emon lime (juice or zeet?), orange peel lemon peel			
	Stone fruit	peach apricot nectarine			
Are the flavours	Tropical fruit	banana lychee, mango melon passion fruit, oineapple			
delicate or intense? simple or complex? generic or well- defined? fresh or cooked? under-ripe or fipe or over-ripe?	Red fruit	redcurrant, cranberry, raspberry, strawberry, red cherry, red plum			
	Black fruit	blackcurrant, blackberry, bramble, blueberry, black cherry, black plum			
	Dried/cooked fruit	fig, prune, raisin, sultana, kirsch, jamminess, baked/stewed fruits, preserved fruits			
	Herbaceous	green bell pepper (capsicum), grass, tomato leaf, asparagus, blackcurrant leaf			
	Herbal	eucalyptus, mint, medicinal, lavender, fennel, dill			
	Pungent spice	black/white pepper, liquorice			
	Other	flint, wet stones, wet wool			

Secondary Aromas and Flavours The aromas and flavours of post-fermentation winemaking			
Key questions	Clusters Descriptors		
	Yeast (lees, autolysis) biscuit bread toast pastry brioche bread dough, cheese		
Are the flavours from yeast, malolactic	Maiolactic conversion butter cheese cream		
conversion or oak?	Oak vanilla cloves nutmed coconut butterscotch toast cedar, charred wood, smoke, chocolate, coffee, resinous		

Tertiary Aromas and Flavours The aromas and flavours of maturation				
Key questions	Clusters	Descriptors		
Do the flavours show deliberate oxidation, fruit development or bottle age?	Deliberate exidation	almond, marzipan, hazelnut, walnut, chocolate, coffee, toffee, caramel		
	Fruit development (white)	dried apricon marmalade, dried apple, dried banana etc.		
		fig, prune, tar, dried blackberry, dried cranberry, etc. cooked blackberry, cooked red plum, etc.		
	Bottle age (white)	petrol, kerosene, cinnamon, ginger nutmeg toast nutty, mushroom, hay honey		
	Bottle age (red)	leather, forest floor, earth, mushroom, game, tobacco, vegetal, wet leaves, savoury, meaty, farmyard		