

DAVIS 20 POINT SYSTEM

BOTTLE NUMBER _____
 JUDGE _____ (optional)
 DATE _____

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	SCORE	NOTES
CLARITY (2POINTS) brilliant, star bright, crystal bright = 2.0 clear, clean = 1.5 translucent, slightly dull = 1.0 cloudy, hazy, sediment, turbid = 0.5		
COLOR (2 POINTS) typical for type and age = 2.0 nearly correct, attractive = 1.5 slightly off, too dark, too light = 1.0 off, maderized, brown, no color = 0.5		
BOUQUET and AROMA (4 POINTS) varietal, complex, flowery = 4.0 fruity, pronounced, developed = 3.0 clean, pleasant, scented, delicate = 2.0 simple, underdeveloped, elusive = 1.0 defective, off = 0.0		
TOTAL ACIDITY (1 POINT) balanced, appropriate = 1.0 slightly low, slightly high = 0.5 flabby, insipid, tart, vinegary = 0.0		
SWEETNESS (1 POINT) appropriate, balanced, normal = 1.0 slightly sweet, slightly lacking = 0.5 syrupy, very lacking = 0.0		
BODY/TEXTURE (2 POINTS) appropriate, velvety, silky = 2.0 smooth, even, pleasant = 1.5 thin, heavy, uneven, awkward = 1.0 rough, course, clumsy = 0.5		
FLAVOR/TASTE (2 POINTS) varietal, complex, mature = 2.0 fruity, layered, robust, rich = 1.5 agreeable, clean, simple = 1.0 off, chemical, lacking = 0.5		
BITTERNESS (1 POINT) normal, balanced, appropriate = 1.0 slightly bitter = 0.5 off, bitter, harsh = 0.0		
FINISH (1 POINT) long lasting, appropriate for age = 1.0 tapering, nearly correct = 0.5 short, harsh, off = 0.0		
QUALITY (4 POINTS) noble, elegant, grand, distinguished = 4.0 charming, stylish, fine, graceful = 3.0 skillfully made, finesse, sound = 2.0 no exceptional features = 1.0		
TOTAL SCORE		

GOLD - 18.5 Points or More
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