Title	Coordinate the preparation of wine for bottling in a commercial wine cellar operation		
Level	5	Credits	10

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to: demonstrate knowledge of issues that impact on the preparation of wine for bottling in a commercial wine cellar operation, prepare wine for bottling, prepare documentation for bottling, monitor bottling, and respond to bottling enquiries; in a commercial wine cellar operation.
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Explanatory notes

1 References

Enactments and codes relevant to this unit standard include but are not limited to the: Food Act 1981and Food Act 2014; Health and Safety in Employment Act 1992; Resource Management Act 1991; Food (Safety) Regulations 2002; Food Hygiene Regulations 1974; Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code, available at http://www.foodstandards.govt.nz/.

2 Definition

Workplace procedures – approved procedures used by the organisation carrying out the work and applicable to the tasks being carried out. They may include but are not limited to – standard operating procedures, site safety procedures, equipment operating procedures, codes of practice, quality assurance procedures, housekeeping standards, and procedures to comply with legislative and local body requirements.

Outcomes and evidence requirements

Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of issues that impact on the preparation of wine for bottling in a commercial wine cellar operation.

Evidence requirements

1.1 Customer and workplace specifications for wine to be bottled are interpreted and explained in terms of the criticality of parameters.

- 1.2 The principle of measurement uncertainty is explained and related to critical parameters in the wine specifications in evidence requirement 1.1. The process for decision making relating to wine specification parameters is explained for the workplace.
- 1.3 Changes that can occur in specified wine parameters during preparation for bottling are explained in accordance with oenology principles.
- 1.4 A schedule of bottling activities is developed in accordance with workplace procedures

Range schedule is to address consideration of: storage capacities, wine availability, time tabling of activities required for preparation of wine, delivery method, delivery time.

1.5 Upstream and downstream impacts on the bottling schedule are identified and contingencies are developed and applied to manage these.

Outcome 2

Prepare wine for bottling in a commercial wine cellar operation.

Evidence requirements

- 2.1 Quality assurance testing of the batches is arranged in accordance with workplace procedures.
- 2.2 Results of quality assurance testing are analysed and corrective actions are identified for parameters outside specifications. Calculations are made, and instructions for corrective actions are developed and issued.

Range parameters may include but are not limited to – heat stable, cold stable, free and total SO₂, pH, titratable acidity, alcohol level, clarity, dissolved CO₂, dissolved O₂, residual sugar, temperature.

- 2.3 Causes of outliers and non conforming parameters are identified from investigation and corrective actions are recommended in accordance with workplace procedures.
- 2.4 Corrective actions are initiated and monitored to ensure specified parameters respond.
- 2.5 Communication with cellar staff is maintained to ensure corrective actions will occur in the timeframes required by the schedule.
- 2.6 Results of retesting of parameters are analysed to determine wines meet specification.

Outcome 3

Prepare documentation for bottling of wine in a commercial wine cellar operation.

Evidence requirements

- 3.1 Taste sign off and documentation approving batches for bottling is completed in accordance with workplace procedures.
- 3.2 Bottling instructions are prepared and distributed in accordance with workplace procedures.

Outcome 4

Monitor the bottling process in a commercial wine cellar operation.

Evidence requirements

- 4.1 Bottling hall test results are analysed and confirm preparation of wine met specification.
- 4.2 Queries from bottling hall relating to wine quality and wine specifications are addressed in accordance with workplace procedures.
- 4.3 Post bottling analysis results are interpreted and confirm wine meets microbiological parameters in the specifications.

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Requirements for consent to assess and an outline of the moderation system that applies to this standard are outlined in the CMRs. The CMR also includes useful information about special requirements for organisations wishing to develop education and training

programmes, such as minimum qualifications for tutors and assessors, and special resource requirements.

Comments on this unit standard

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