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Use of Water, Wine Spirits, Sugar and Other Sweetening Agents

(1) A person may not add water to must or wine, except as necessary to flush equipment.

(2) A person may not add wine spirits or alcohol to wine.

(3) A person may add sugar or other sweetening agents, including concentrated or unconcentrated pure grape juice, to crushed grapes or must to raise its total sugar content by not more than four percent, as measured prior to any addition of sweetening agents.

(4) A person may add sugar or other sweetening agents, including concentrated or unconcentrated pure grape juice, to a wine to raise its sugar content by not more than two percent. To sweeten a wine in excess of this limit, a person may use only concentrated or unconcentrated pure or partially fermented grape juice.

(5) Section (2) of this rule does not apply to dessert wines which will contain 14 percent or more alcohol by volume at the time of bottling.

(6) Sections (2), (3), and (4) of this rule do not apply to the production of sparkling wine from still wine.

(7) This rule does not apply to the production of wine properly labeled as a wine cooler.

Stat. Auth.: ORS 471, including ORS 471.030, ORS 471.730(1) & ORS 471.730(5)

Stats. Implemented: ORS 471.340, ORS 471.345 & ORS 471.445

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