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After the negotatiations between government and unios further strikes have benn pospotned

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RETURNING TO NORMAILITY

After an unpredictable beginn of season, with a grape price increase till 30% over last year prices, the market is coming back to the usual path. International markets have been unable to accept the price difference. The supply has swift to other european countries, resulting in a slight decrease of spanish exports in the last quarter. Spanish wine cellers still have enough quantities, which mean, we can expect an intersting time before harvest.

The latest reports published by the Spanish Ministry of Agriculture announced that the total harvest was of approx. 42,5 million Hls. From that 15 millons Hls were declared as DO, 4 million Hls as IGP wine and 7 million Hls as grape varietal wine. The balance just as table wine.

What is the actual price tendency?

A: White Wine

Although last year crop was similar in quantity as last one, the production of white wines were about 2 million Hls higher as the year before and same quantity of red wines were produces less! For this reason Spanish White wine prices could go down slowly once the frozen risk were over middle of May.

White wine prices, as you can see on the graphic below, coming to similar values as last year, with a decrease tendency.

We will need to wait until the final figures of the souther emisphere harvest, to forsee how big the price decrase will be in Spain.



Quelle: Magazin Correo del Vino Nº 3521



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B: Red and Róse Wine

Within the red and rosé wines another tendency can be appreciated. The prices remain stable and although there should be enough quantities in Spain but the best ones and with darker colour intensity have been already selected.

The rosé wine prices are also stable but available quantities are getting short, mainly for pale rose and grape varietal wines.

"From the total wine production in Spain of 42,5 millio hl. 48% was white wine". – Ministery of agriculture

FORECAST FOR NEXT HARVEST

We should wait till End of Mai, when forzen risk are over, to predict new harvest. Nevertheless after a cold winter, in which the rain was over the average, the expected quantities should be in line with the two final crops. For the first week in April temperatures of O°C are expectet and snow above 800 meters.

