

Wine Industry Information

July 2012

Domestic natural wine sales increased by 3.8% for the period June 2011 to May 2012. Exports of natural wine in bulk increased with 19.9% and exports of packaged natural wine decreased with 10.2% for the period July 2011 to June 2012; overall an increase of 3.8%.

Domestic packaged information for the period January to May 2012:

- Glass shows an increase of 5.9%.
- 49.7% of natural wine is packaged in glass containers of which 55.4% in 750 ml size containers.
- 26.2% is packaged in bag-in-box, most popular being the 5 litre container.
- 21.9% is packaged in plastic containers with 41.0% and 48.3% in 1 litre and 5 litre respectively.
- Only 0.3% is packaged in foil bags and 2% in tetrapak.
- There are no significant changes in these trends.

STATE REVENUE FROM WINE PRODUCTS VERSUS PRODUCERS' INCOME					
MILLION RAND					
YEAR	PRODUCERS' INCOME	INDEX	STATE REVENUE	INDEX	
1999	1 435.9	54.3	1 478.5	55.6	
2000	1 458.1	55.2	1 463.1	55.0	
2001	1 595.7	60.4	1 631.6	61.4	
2002	2 075.5	78.5	1 792.1	67.4	
2003	2 576.1	97.4	1 964.3	73.9	
2004	2 810.6	106.3	2 302.0	86.6	
2005	2 643.8	100.0	2 658.5	100.0	
2006	2 642.1	99.9	2 964.8	111.5	
2007	2 852.5	107.9	3 313.8	124.7	
2008	3 319.9	125.6	3 489.8	131.3	
2009	3 648.9	138.0	3 687.2	138.7	
2010	3 619.4	136.9	3 910.1	147.1	
2011	3 594.4	136.0	4 204.4	158.2	

ON THE WEBSITE

- [Domestic sales of natural wine for May 2012](#)
- [Price ranges of bulk wine sold locally according to region and vintage for the period June 2011 to May 2012](#)
- [Price ranges of bulk wine exported by producer and private cellars according to region for the period June 2011 to May 2012](#)
- [Export statistics for the period July 2011 to June 2012](#)
- [Domestic packaged natural wine January to May 2012](#)
- [Information about certification](#)
- [International News](#)
- Special Publication: [Annual SA Wine Industry Statistics Booklet 2012](#)

Greetings until August 2012.

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