

### **II.6.1.11 Partial dehydration of wines**

**Definition:**

Wine concentration by water removal.

**Objectives:**

Increasing the alcoholic strength and the structure of aromatised wines, beverages based on vitivinicultural products and wine-based beverages.

**Prescription:**

- a) The target can be reached through several techniques, called subtractive enrichment techniques, provided by the International oenological Code
- b) The final alcoholic strength of aromatised wines, beverages based on vitivinicultural products or wine-based beverages must respect minimum and maximum limits fixed by its Definition in this Code.

**Recommendation of the OIV:**

Admitted for aromatised wines, beverages based on vitivinicultural products and wine-based beverages.