# INTERNATIONAL CODE OF OENOLOGICAL PRACTICES Water addition

# **II.6.1.5 Water addition**

#### Definition:

Water addition.

### Objectives:

- preparing flavouring essences
- dissolving colours and sweeteners
- $\bullet$  setting the final composition of the product.

## Prescription:

The water added must respect WHO prescriptions and, if necessary, can be treated to remove dissolved salts.

#### Recommendation of the OIV:

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

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