

PT 39: Fortified wines

Details of the program:

- Proficiency testing scheme created in 2000
- **10 registered laboratories**
- **PTS accredited by COFRAC**
- 6 rounds per annual series
- The time for analysis is 4 weeks
- Samples are shipped via express carrier around the 15th of the month.



Schedule:

DATE	CODE	MATRIX	VOLUME
October	0639	Rosé port	750 ml
November	0139	Red port	750 ml
January	1917	Marsala	750 ml
February	0739 0539	Xeres Red port (spiked)	750 ml 60 ml
April	1817	Pineau	750 ml
June	0239	White port	750 ml

ANALYTES

Alcoholic strength	pH
Copper	Sulphur dioxide (free and total)
Calcium	Reducing substances
Density at 20°C	Total acidity
Glucose + fructose	Total iron
Optical density (420 nm, 520 nm, 620 nm)	Volatile acidity

NA *: Not accredited parameter

Note: Matrices and analytes may be changed or removed for technical or scientific reasons.

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