

Find my leaf shape and colour me 😊

Sauvignon Blanc ☐

I am known as the mother of Cabernet Sauvignon but I am also the most famous white variety in New Zealand. I produce 77% of white wine. I have big circular adult leaves with 5 lobes. I have a slightly open petiole sinus. My teeth are medium and a bit curly on the edges.

Chardonnay ☐

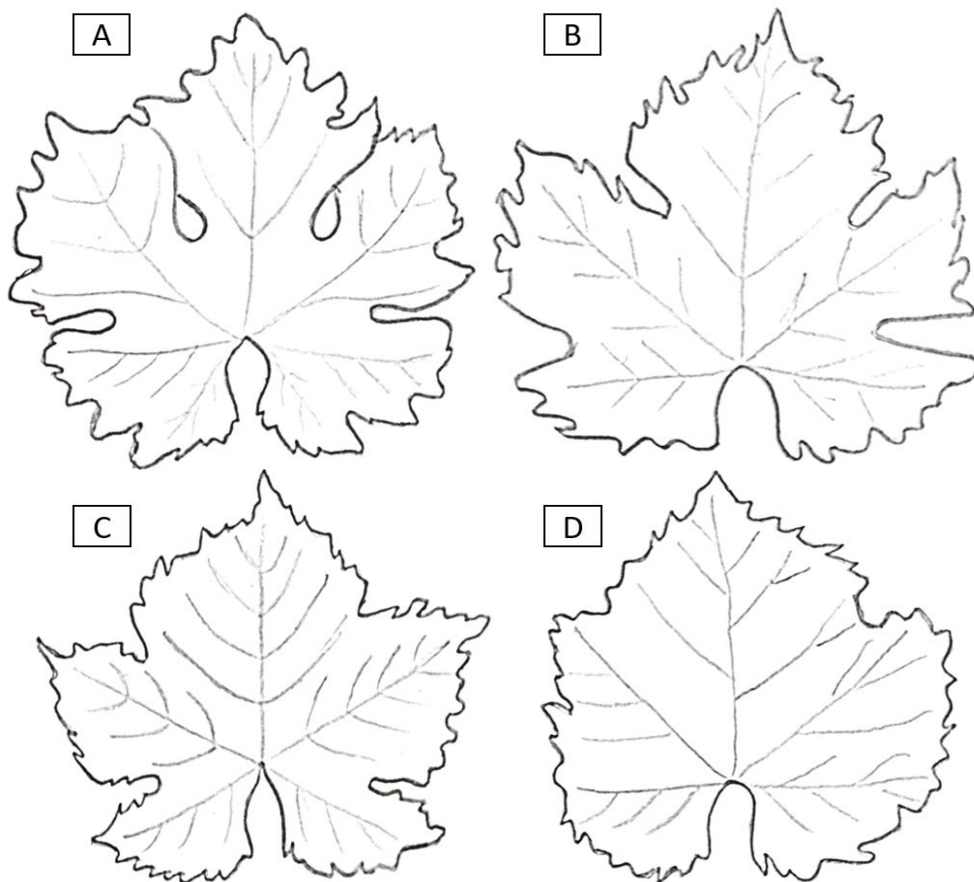
I seem to find a home almost anywhere and I am very easy to grow. I am the second top white variety in New Zealand with 11% production in white wine. I have an entire circular adult leaf. My petiole sinus is slightly wider than the one of Sauvignon Blanc. I have short teeth with straight sides. When you find me colour me in green with bronze spots, it reminds me of my younger days!

Pinot Noir ☐

I am one of the oldest grapes in the world and the top producing (72%) red variety in New Zealand. I have five lobes that are facing each other on the lower side. I have a slightly closed petiole sinus. My teeth are short and I have a strongly pointed leaf blade. I have yellow young leaves and very dark green adult leaves; it is your choice!

Merlot ☐

I am also known as the “little blackbird” in an old regional French dialect. I am the second top red variety in New Zealand. I have a medium wedge-shaped adult leaf. Like Sauvignon Blanc, I have five lobes but my petiole sinus has an open U-shape. My teeth are medium with straight or curved sides. You can colour me with dark green.



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