

## THE 20 MOST PLANTED GRAPES IN ITALY

Rank	Variety	Type	Acres	% of Italy's Total
1.	Sangiovese	red	172,342	10.3%
2.	Catarratto Bianco Comune	white	106,860	6.4%
3.	Trebbiano Toscano	white	104,913	6.3%
4.	Montepulciano	red	73,705	4.4%
5.	Barbera	red	70,021	4.2%
6.	Merlot	red	63,297	3.8%
7.	Trebbiano Romagnolo	white	49,472	3.0%
8.	Negroamaro	red	41,414	2.5%
9.	Moscato Bianco	white	32,812	2.0%
10.	Chardonnay	white	29,091	1.7%
11.	Garganega	white	28,755	1.7%
12.	Nero d'Avola	red	28,194	1.7%
13.	Manzoni Bianco	white	23,610	1.4%
14.	Inzolia (Angonica)	white	23,519	1.4%
15.	Malvasia Bianca di Candia	white	21,713	1.3%
16.	Trebbiano Abruzzese	white	21,480	1.2%
17.	Prosecco	white	20,123	1.2%
18.	Cabernet Sauvignon	red	19,872	1.2%
19.	Primitivo	red	19,647	1.2%
20.	Aglianico	red	18,666	1.1%

*\*See Appendix II for descriptions of these varieties.*

Source: Istituto Statistica Mercati Agro-Alimentari (ISMEA), Rome, 2000.