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## VINQUIRY'S WINDSOR LAB BECOMES ACCREDITED!



We are celebrating the accreditation of Vinquiry's Windsor laboratory!! Completing the accreditation was a key goal for the company in 2006. We are proud to say the final steps have been completed and we received ISO/IEC 17025:2005 accreditation by the American Association for Laboratory Accreditation. (A2LA).

We began 2007 as an accredited laboratory which indicates the highest quality analytical services available to the wine industry. The ISO accreditation process verified the quality of analytical results sent out to Vinquiry clients and has solidified the QA/QC measures that we have had in place for years, including verification from outside laboratories. The process also enhanced our systems to evaluate capacity in order to better meet the growing needs of our customers. We are extremely proud that our analytical procedures meet the high standards put forth by the A2LA.

The A2LA is a nonprofit membership association providing formal recognition to laboratories that pass rigorous testing and quality measures. The A2LA maintains, "Laboratory accreditation is based on internationally accepted criteria for competence." (ISO/IEC 17025:2005) By this accreditation, the Vinquiry laboratory has demonstrated that its practices conform to a strict set of international standards that include requirements for participation in proficiency testing on a regular basis in order to demonstrate that it is maintaining the high standards representative of the organization.

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