



Celebrate *the* Wines of Brasil

With the World Cup and the Olympics on the horizon, everyone has their eyes on Brazil. The economy is strong; the wine industry is established and family-based; producers are investing in export. Some wines are already available in the UK via established agencies whilst other producers are looking to ship direct to importers and retailers who want to get on board and enjoy the exciting times ahead with Brazilian wines!

The diversity of the climate, the topography and the exceptional creativity of the Brazilian people are forces that have created a completely unique wine growing and wine making industry.

Winemaking traditions from Europe were brought to Brazil by thousands of Italian immigrants in the 19th Century. Today, this traditional approach, combined with major investments in new technology and innovation, has resulted in a viniferous force to be reckoned with.

About The Winegrowing Regions

It may sound obvious, but there is no other country in the world with such diverse terroir.

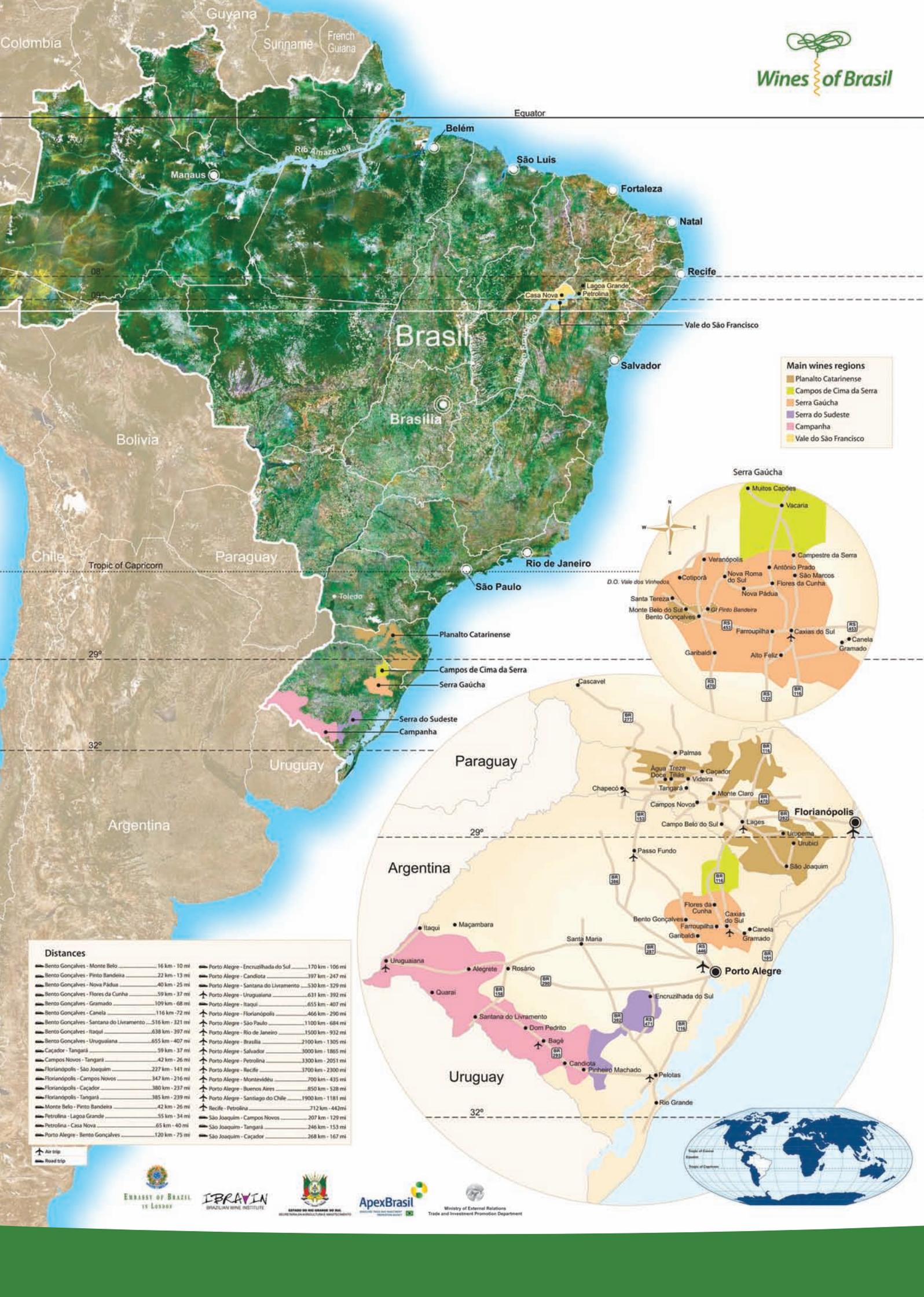
In Rio Grande do Sul (Serra Gaúcha, Campanha, Serra do Sudeste and Campos de Cima da Serra) the production is very similar to that in Europe with one harvest a year. The climate and terroir in Serra Gaucha is especially suited to sparkling wine production. The Campanha region, on the Uruguay border, is where more and more producers are going to grow grapes for Brazil's still wine production. Then in the Northeast, in the almost-arid region of Vale do São Francisco, in Bahia and Pernambuco states, you can harvest more than twice a year. In Santa Catarina you can pick frozen grapes.

The industry is moving fast; investment in technology as well as understanding of the regions means the potential is enormous.

About The Wines

Sparkling wines, Merlot and Moscato are a highlight, but Brazil is able to produce wines with widely different characteristics. However, they all have one thing in common – they are young, fresh and fruity with moderate levels of alcohol. This wine style matches perfectly with the Brazilian way of life: genuine and happy people with the ability to produce products to please different tastes and consumers.

“The country has a very professional viticulture and is now producing world-class fine wines. Brazil's wines reflect a style that consumers in many markets are now looking for – approachable wines that, almost without exception, are elegant, balanced and with good acidity, and retain their fruitiness even when aged in French or American oak. They also have the added benefit of alcohol levels that are not too high” - Felicity Murray - The Drinks Report



Main wines regions

- Planalto Catarinense
- Campos de Cima da Serra
- Serra Gaúcha
- Serra do Sudeste
- Campanha
- Vale do São Francisco



Distances

✈️ Bento Gonçalves - Monte Belo	16 km - 10 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Encruzilhada do Sul	170 km - 106 mi
✈️ Bento Gonçalves - Pinto Bandeira	22 km - 13 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Candiota	397 km - 247 mi
✈️ Bento Gonçalves - Nova Pádua	40 km - 25 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Santana do Livramento	530 km - 329 mi
✈️ Bento Gonçalves - Flores da Cunha	59 km - 37 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Uruguaiana	631 km - 392 mi
✈️ Bento Gonçalves - Gramado	109 km - 68 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Itaqui	655 km - 407 mi
✈️ Bento Gonçalves - Canela	116 km - 72 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Florianópolis	466 km - 290 mi
✈️ Bento Gonçalves - Santana do Livramento	516 km - 321 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - São Paulo	1100 km - 684 mi
✈️ Bento Gonçalves - Itaqui	638 km - 397 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Rio de Janeiro	1500 km - 932 mi
✈️ Bento Gonçalves - Uruguaiana	655 km - 407 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Brasília	2100 km - 1305 mi
✈️ Caçador - Tangará	59 km - 37 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Salvador	3000 km - 1865 mi
✈️ Campos Novos - Tangará	42 km - 26 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Petrolina	3300 km - 2051 mi
✈️ Florianópolis - São Joaquim	227 km - 141 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Recife	3700 km - 2300 mi
✈️ Florianópolis - Campos Novos	347 km - 216 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Montevideo	700 km - 435 mi
✈️ Florianópolis - Caçador	380 km - 237 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Buenos Aires	850 km - 528 mi
✈️ Florianópolis - Tangará	385 km - 239 mi	✈️ Porto Alegre - Santiago do Chile	1900 km - 1181 mi
✈️ Monte Belo - Pinto Bandeira	42 km - 26 mi	✈️ Recife - Petrolina	712 km - 442 mi
✈️ Petrolina - Lagoa Grande	55 km - 34 mi	✈️ São Joaquim - Campos Novos	207 km - 129 mi
✈️ Petrolina - Casa Nova	65 km - 40 mi	✈️ São Joaquim - Tangará	246 km - 153 mi
✈️ Porto Alegre - Bento Gonçalves	120 km - 75 mi	✈️ São Joaquim - Caçador	268 km - 167 mi

✈️ Air trip
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