

Turkey's Wine Grape Production

Turkey has more than 1.200 - 1.500 named grape varieties of which 800 are genetically different. There are around 30 outstanding wine grape varieties among all these types.

The indigenous and international grape varieties below are those that are widely used for wine making.

Adakarası, Alicante Bouchet, Boğazkere, Bornova Misketi, Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Carignan, Chardonnay, Cinsault, Çalkarası, Çavuş, Dimrit, Emir, Gamay, Grenache, Kalecik Karası, Karalahna, Kuntra, Malbec, Merlot, Narince, Öküzgözü, Papazkarası, Petit Verdot, Pinot Noir, Riesling, Sangiovese, Sauvignon Blanc, Semillon, Shiraz, Sultaniye, Tempranillo, Vasilaki, Viognier.

Summary information about the major grape varieties that are used to make wine:

Indigenous Grape Varieties

Emir
The total production of Emir in Turkey is around 5,500 tons. The major planting is in the Mid-Southern Anatolia region.

Narince
The total production of Narince in Turkey is around 6,150 tons. The major planting is in the Mid-Eastern Anatolia region.

Sultaniye
The total production of Sultaniye in Turkey is around 14,000 tons. The major planting is in the Aegean region.

Bornova Misketi
The total production of Bornova Misketi in Turkey is around 910 tons. The major planting is in the Aegean region.

Çalkarası
The total production of Çalkarası in Turkey is around 5,000 tons and is planted in the Aegean region.

Kalecik Karası
The total production of Kalecik Karası in Turkey is around 6,885 tons. The major plantings are in the Aegean, Mid-Northern and Mid-Southern Anatolia regions.

Öküzgözü
The total production of Öküzgözü in Turkey is around 11,830 tons. The major plantings are in Mid-Eastern Anatolia and the Aegean regions.

Boğazkere
The total production of Boğazkere in Turkey is around 8,850 tons. The major planting is in South East Anatolia.

International Grape Varieties

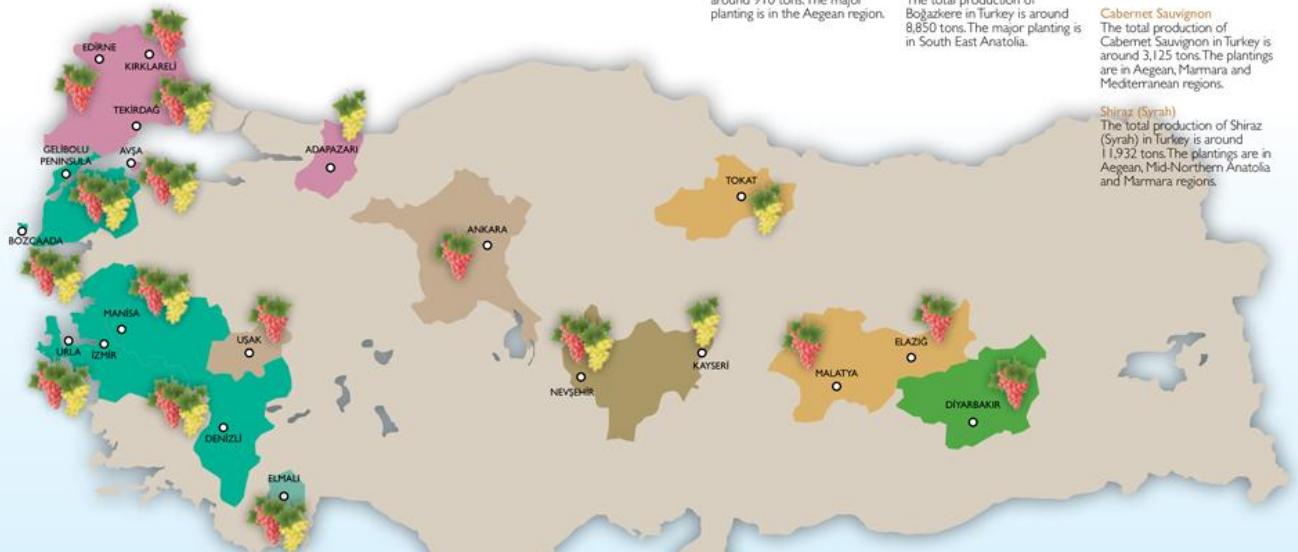
Sauvignon Blanc
The total production of Sauvignon Blanc in Turkey is around 1,165 tons. The plantings are in Aegean, Marmara, Mid-Southern Anatolia and Mediterranean regions.

Chardonnay
The total production of Chardonnay in Turkey is around 1,135 tons. The plantings are in Aegean, Marmara, Mid-Southern Anatolia and Mediterranean regions.

Merlot
The total production of Merlot in Turkey is around 2,840 tons. The plantings are in Aegean, Marmara and Mediterranean regions.

Cabernet Sauvignon
The total production of Cabernet Sauvignon in Turkey is around 3,125 tons. The plantings are in Aegean, Marmara and Mediterranean regions.

Shiraz (Syrah)
The total production of Shiraz (Syrah) in Turkey is around 11,932 tons. The plantings are in Aegean, Mid-Northern Anatolia and Marmara regions.



ADAPAZARI	Sauvignon Blanc.	İZMİR	Alicante Bouchet, Bornova Misketi, Cabernet Sauvignon, Carignan, Chardonnay, Grenache, Merlot, Petit Verdot, Sangiovese, Sauvignon Blanc, Shiraz, Viognier.
ANKARA	Boğazkere, Kalecik Karası, Öküzgözü.	KAYSERİ	Chardonnay.
AVŞA	Adakarası, Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Merlot, Shiraz.	KIRKLARELİ	Adakarası, Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Merlot, Shiraz.
BOZCAADA	Cabernet Sauvignon, Çavuş, Karalahna, Kuntra, Merlot, Vasilaki.	MALATYA	Cabernet Sauvignon, Çavuş, Karalahna, Kuntra, Merlot, Vasilaki.
ÇANAKKALE	Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Grenache, Merlot, Sauvignon Blanc, Shiraz, Cabernet Franc.	MANİSA	Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Grenache, Merlot, Sauvignon Blanc, Shiraz, Cabernet Franc.
DENİZLİ	Boğazkere, Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Çalkarası, Dimrit, Kalecik Karası, Merlot, Narince, Öküzgözü, Petit Verdot, Pinot Noir, Sangiovese, Sauvignon Blanc, Shiraz, Sultaniye.	NEVŞEHİR	Boğazkere, Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Çalkarası, Dimrit, Kalecik Karası, Merlot, Narince, Öküzgözü, Petit Verdot, Pinot Noir, Sangiovese, Sauvignon Blanc, Shiraz, Sultaniye.
DIYARBAKIR	Boğazkere.	TEKİRDAĞ	Boğazkere.
EDİRNE	Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Shiraz.	TOKAT	Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Shiraz.
ELAZIĞ	Boğazkere, Öküzgözü.	UŞAK	Boğazkere, Öküzgözü.
ELMALI	Boğazkere, Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Kalecik Karası, Malbec, Merlot, Öküzgözü, Pinot Noir, Sauvignon Blanc, Shiraz.	URLA	Boğazkere, Bornova Misketi, Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Gaydura, Grenache, Merlot, Narince, Nero D'avola, Petit Verdot, Sangiovese, Sauvignon Blanc, Shiraz, Sultaniye.
GELİBOLU	Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Grenache Noir, Karasakız, Kınalı Yapıncak, Marsanne, Merlot, Petite Verdot, Rosanne, Sauvignon Blanc, Syrah, Viognier.		