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2008 Decanter World Wine Awards

Bronze medal

2006 Ca' del Solo Albarino

The Decanter World Wine Awards calls itself "the most influential wine competition in the world" and attracted this year more entries this year than ever before. In total **9219 wines were entered**, more than double the amount entered than when the competition launched just five years ago.

From the Decanter website: "Decanter's reputation for its unique judging process has often caused the competition to be called 'the ultimate terroir competition'. This year the judges, over 50 of whom flew in from overseas, were as rigorous as ever. Despite the large number of entries, the consistency in terms of medals awarded, was remarkable. On a similar scale to previous years **only 64% of wines were awarded a medal.**"

For more information, visit:

<http://www.decanter.com/worldwineawards/2008/results.php>