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Q1. Name	[REDACTED]
Q2. Email address	[REDACTED]
Q3. Mailing address	[REDACTED]
Q4. Phone	[REDACTED]
Q5. Organisation name (if applicable)	[REDACTED]
Q6. Entity type	Marketer
Q7. Please select which EU wine geographical indication (GI) your submission is against	Prosecco
Q8. Grounds of objectionA submission against one or more of the wine GIs must be based on at least one of the four grounds of objection.	<p>The EU GI name is used in Australia as the common name for the relevant good, including as a type or style of wine.</p> <p>The EU GI name is used in Australia as the name of a grape variety, plant variety, or an animal breed.</p> <p>The EU GI name is identical to, or likely to cause confusion with a trade mark that is registered in Australia or the subject of a pending application made in good faith in Australia.*</p>
Q9. Please provide further details, based on the grounds of objection for each GI. (If submission based on existing trade mark please provide trade mark number. If submission based on unregistered trade mark please provide evidence of use on Australia).	<p>I am writing to express my concern about the proposal to use Prosecco as a geographical indication (GI) in Australia. If passed, this proposal would restrict the use of the name Prosecco to only wines produced in specific regions of Italy, which would prevent Australian producers from marketing their own sparkling wines made from the same grape variety under that name. While Prosecco is historically grown in the Veneto region of Italy and has been used to produce sparkling wine under the Prosecco name, Australian wine producers have been growing and making wine from Prosecco grapes for over two decades. If this proposal is approved, it would have a significant impact on Australian wine producers who have invested heavily in the Prosecco grape variety. Furthermore, this proposal could lead to confusion among consumers who recognize the Prosecco grape variety and its quality in Australia. Restricting the use of Prosecco as a GI could potentially hinder innovation and creativity in the Australian wine industry, putting many jobs at risk. Therefore, I urge decision-makers to reconsider this proposal and instead support the use of grape varieties as the primary way of identifying and marketing Australian wines. This approach would not only support the Australian wine industry but also ensure that consumers have access to a diverse range of high-quality wines from around the world. Thank you for your attention to this matter.</p>
Q10. Would you like to make a second selection of EU wine geographical indications (GI)?	No
Q11. Please select the second EU wine GI your submission is against	not answered

Q12. Grounds of objectionA submission against one or more of the wine GIs must be based on at least one of the four grounds of objection.

not answered

Q13. Please provide further details, based on the grounds of objection for each GI. (If submission based on existing trade mark please provide trade mark number. If submission based on unregistered trade mark please provide evidence of use on Australia).

not answered

Q14. Would you like to make a third selection of EU wine geographical indications (GI)?

not answered

Q15. Please select the third EU wine GI your submission is against

not answered

Q16. Grounds of objectionA submission against one or more of the wine GIs must be based on at least one of the four grounds of objection.

not answered

Q17. Please provide further details, based on the grounds of objection for each GI. (If submission based on existing trade mark please provide trade mark number. If submission based on unregistered trade mark please provide evidence of use on Australia).

not answered

Q18. Would you like to make a fourth selection of EU wine geographical indications (GI)?

not answered

Q19. Please select the fourth EU wine GI your submission is against

not answered

Q20. Grounds of objectionA submission against one or more of the wine GIs must be based on at least one of the four grounds of objection.

not answered

Q21. Please provide further details, based on the grounds of objection for each GI. (If submission based on existing trade mark please provide trade mark number. If submission based on unregistered trade mark please provide evidence of use on Australia).

not answered

Q22. Would you like to make a fifth selection of EU wine geographical indications (GI)?

not answered

Q23. Please select the fifth EU wine GI your submission is against

not answered

Q24. Grounds of objectionA submission against one or more of the wine GIs must be based on at least one of the four grounds of objection.

not answered

Q25. Please provide further details, based on the grounds of objection for each GI. (If submission based on existing trade mark please provide trade mark number. If submission based on unregistered trade mark please provide evidence of use on Australia).

not answered

Q26. Upload your supporting evidence for each EU wine GI you have selected.

not answered

Q27. Would you like to upload another supporting document?

not answered

Q28. OtherAny other information on the impacts EU GIs may have on Australian businesses or industry.

not answered

Q29. Is your response confidential?

No

Q30. Please specify the parts of your response that are confidential.

not answered

Q31. Do you agree to your response being published on our website?

Yes

Q32. Please de-identify my response

Yes

Q33. Confirm that you have read and understand this privacy notice.

Yes

Q34. Confirm that you have read and understand this declaration.

Yes
