

Topic: Wine cellar

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Answer:

a) The value of the wine stocks held at Government and Admiralty Houses is currently \$88,067 (based on purchase price) – the vast majority of which is attributable to wine acquired before the Governor-General began her term of office.

b) Since the Governor-General commenced in her role on 5 September 2008, all wines purchased by the Office were less than \$20 per bottle with the average cost being \$11.85. The Governor-General has hosted approximately 13,000 guests at official functions since her commencement. Attached is a list of wine stocks at Government House and Admiralty House as at 8 February 2010.

Current wine stocks at Government House and Admiralty House as at 8 February 2010

****Wines marked with asterisks were purchased since the Governor-General commenced in office**
All others wines were acquired during the terms of previous Governors-General.**

Type of wine	Number on hand
Baileys Bundarra Cl Herm 1989	12
Bannockburn Shiraz 1996	48
Bleasdale Shiraz Cab/Sav 2003	6
Bleasdale The Wise One Verdelh	12
Blue Cutting Rd Cab/Merlot 03	9
Brands Cabernet Sauvignon 1997	12
Brands Shiraz 1997	12
Brindabella Ries 08	7
Brown Bros Banks. Shiraz 1997	24
Brown Bros Fam Res Chard 1995	3
Brown Bros Graciano 1997	9
Brown Bros LH Nob Ries Dess 96	6
Brown Bros LH Noble Ries 1998	1
Brown Bros Orange Muscat/Flora	6
Brown Bros Pat Pinot Chard 97	12
Brown Bros Pat Shiraz 2000	24
Brown Bros Verdelho 1999	9
Chalkers Cross CabSav 06	24
Chalkers Crossing Merlot 04	4
Charles Cimilky CabSav 1992	23
Clare Vall St John Blanc de B	58
Clare Vall Stephen John Blanc	28
Coldstreams Hills R Chard 1996	6
Dalwhinne Shiraz 05	12
Dalwhinnie Moonambel Chard 00	3
Dalwhinnie P/Noir 2001	3
D'Arenb GrenShirMourvedre 1993	12
D'Arenberg CabMerl Franc 2002	12
D'Arenberg Ceno CAT 07	18
D'Arenberg D'arrys Orig SG05	34
D'Arenberg Dead Arm Shiraz '00	18
D'Arenberg Fort Shiraz 2000	12
D'Arenberg Noble Reisling 95	10
D'Arenberg Noble Ries 1998	12

D'Arenberg Pepperm. Pdk Champ	10
D'Arenberg Shiraz 2000	4
D'Arenberg The Stump Jump GSM	25
D'Berg Fish Sav Blanc 09	24
D'berg Money Spider Rouss 06	24
D'berg Money Spider Rouss 07	12
D'Berg Noble Riesling 08	6
D'Berg Stump Jump Sticky 08	48
Devils Lair Chardonnay 1998	36
Elderton Botrytis Semil 2004	12
Elderton Botrytis Semillion 02	4
Elderton Botrytis Semillion 05	3
Elderton Command Shiraz 2001	6
Elderton CSM 2001	24
Elderton Friends Riesling 05	13
Elderton Merlot 2001	7
Elderton SB Verdelho 04	1
Fire Block Grenache 03	12
G/Burge Hillcot Merlot 07	1
Geoff Merrill Shiraz Gren Mouv	35
Grant Burge H.T GrenShirM 1997	23
Grant Burge Mashach Herm 1991	12
Grant Burge Meshach Herm 00	6
Grant Burge Meshach Herm 1996	24
Grant Burge Meshach Herm 1998	36
Grant Burge Shad. CabSav 1996	24
H/ford Hill Btryt Sem 2004	9
Hav Alkoomi Blackbutt Blend 98	24
Hav Alkoomi CabSav 2001	24
Hav Alkoomi LH Chard 2004	12
Hav Alkoomi Shir Viognier 2002	12
Hav Edlerton Est Shiraz 2002	12
Hav Wil Br Rs CabSav Rose 2003	12
Hav Willow Br CabSav 2001	24
Hav Willow Br Est Merlot 2001	2
Hav Willow Br Res Shiraz 2001	10

Henscke Hill of Gr. Shiraz '94	19
Henscke Hill of Gr. Shiraz '96	6
Henscke Hill of Grace Shir 1993	2
Henscke Mt Edelstone Shir 1996	8
Hungerford Botrytis Sem 2000	1
Hungerford Hill Botrytis Sem05	26
Ingoldby Cabernet Sauvignon 89	12
Jasper Hill G. Padd. Shiraz 93	36
Jim Barry The Armagh Shir 1998	4
Jim Barry The Armagh Shiraz 96	2
Jim Barry The Armagh Shiraz 99	36
Kilikanoon Conv Shiraz 2002	12
Kilikanoon Oracle Shiraz 2002	8
Lindemans H.R Burg. Shiraz '91	24
Lindemans L.R Shiraz Cab 1992	24
Longview My Fat Goose SSB 06	38
Longview Red Bucket Shir Ca 07	21
Longview Red Bucket SSB 07	8
Longview Whippet SBlanc 08	48
Majella Musician 07	67
Majella Musician 2004	26
Majella Musician 2006	12
McWilliams Mt Pleas. Shiraz 96	24
Miceli Michael Meth/Champ 2001	12
Moorilla B/L UnW Chard 03	6
Moorilla Botrytis SB 05	6
Moorilla Res Pinot Noir 1999	6
Moorilla Vintage Brut 2000	12
Mount Langi Ghir Shiraz 1990	3
Mount Langi Ghiran Ries 1999	16
Mount Mary Lilyd Cab 1990	4
MSV The Barossa 2005	12
Oakridge Res Cab Sauvignon 91	5
Old Station Gren/Shiraz 1999	8
Parker Estate TRFG Shiraz '98	24
Penfolds Bin 407 CabSav 1990	30
Penfolds Bin 707 CabSav 1997	24
Penfolds Bin 707 CabSav 1998	22
Penfolds Gr Herm 1985	17
Penfolds Gr Herm 1986	32
Penfolds Gr Herm 1987	12

Penfolds Gr Herm 1988	8
Penfolds Gr Herm 1989	12
Penfolds Gr Herm 1990	2
Penfolds Gr Herm 1991	6
Penfolds Gr Herm 1992	3
Penfolds Gr Herm 1993	36
Penfolds Gr Herm 1995	30
Penfolds Gr Herm 1996	48
Penfolds Gr Herm 1997	42
Penfolds Mag.Est Shiraz 1992	24
Penfolds Mag.Est Shiraz 1997	12
Penfolds Mag.Est Shiraz 1998	24
Pepp Tr GR C'Warra CabSav 2000	12
Pepper Tree R C'Warra Mer 1998	12
Petaluma (Hanlin Hill) Ries 02	26
Peter Lehm Ment CabMerSM 1996	12
Peter Lehm Ment CabMerSM 1997	12
Peter Lehm Stone. Shiraz 1991	12
Peter Lehm Stone. Shiraz 1996	24
Peter Lehmann Shiraz 1998	24
Pirramimma R Petit Verdot 2001	24
Pitchfork Cab Shz Mer 2005	12
Pitchfork Sem SB 08	36
Polkolbin Lks Foll Cab 1996	2
Polkolbin Lks Foll Cab 1998	3
Polkolbin Lks Foll Cab 2000	12
Redbank Emily NV	48
Rosemount B.S Shiraz 1995	6
Rutherglen Botrytis Musca 05	24
Rutherglen Ratafia 2003	6
Rutherglen Ratafia Viognier 03	1
Rutherglen Shiraz Durif 2006	24
Rymeill Merlot Cabernet 2001	6
Rymill June Traminer	1
Rymill Merlot Cabernet 2001	15
Sandalford Sandalera	7
Seagrams Sambucca Liqueur	2
Shottersbrooke Merlot 2003	12
Tatachilla Cab Sauvignon 1999	24
Tatachilla F.L Shiraz 1998	24
Thomas Hardy C'Warra CabSav 90	11

Tyrrells McLaren Merlot 99	16
Tyrrells McLaren Shiraz 00	24
Tyrrells RH Shiraz 00	15
Tyrrells RH Shiraz 98	6
Tyrrells Rufus S Merlot 00	12
Tyrrells Show Res Cab Sav 1990	4
Tyrrells T Block G'traminer 05	7
Tyrrells Vat 1 Sem 96	3
Tyrrells Vat 1 Semillon 1996	24
Tyrrells Vat 1 Semillon 1997	1
Tyrrells Vat 47 Chard 00	10
Tyrrells Vat 47 Pinot Chard 00	1
Tyrrells Vat 47 Pinot Chard 99	36
Tyrrells Vat 55 Shiraz Mer 98	24
Tyrrells Vat 6 Pinot Noir 1996	9
Tyrrells Vat 9 Shiraz 1991	23
Tyrrells Vat 9 Shiraz 1995	36
Tyrrells Vat 9 Shiraz 1998	12
Vasse Felix noble Riesling 00	2
Virgin Hills Blends CabShir 88	12
Water Wheel Memise Red 06	69
Water Wheel Memsie White 07	6
Water Wheel'Memsie' 2003	7
Watermark Cabernet Sauv 2002	12
Wellington Iced Reisling 2001	6
Wellington Iced Riesling Des.	1
West Cape Howe Riesling 08	37

West Cape Howe Rose 08	1
West Cape Howe Sau Blanc 08	24
West Cape Howe SS Blanc 08	31
West Cape Howe Tempranillo 07	7
West Cape Howe Viognier 07	6
Wilson Leucothea Liq Gew	1
375 Wirra PinotGris 2003	1
Wirra Wirra Late Picked Pinot	8
Witchmount Estate Cab. Merl 04	12
Wynns Cent. Cab Shiraz 1991	24
Wynns C'Warr Ridd Cab Sav 1992	3
Wynns C'Warr Ridd Cab Sav 1993	13
Wynns C'Warra Cab Sav 1986	5
Wynns C'Warra JR CabSav 92	6
Wynns C'Warra ridd Cab/Sauv 90	7
Yalumba Menzies Cab Sav 1988	36
Yalumba Menzies Cab Sav 1992	11
Yalumba Menzies Cab Sav 97	12
Yalumba Octavius Shiraz 1992	11
Yalumba Signat Cab Shiraz 92	12
Yalumba Signat Cab Shiraz 97	18
Yalumba Signat Cab Shiraz 98	24
Yalumba Virgilius Viog 2000	10
Yarra Yering D.R Cab Shiraz 88	12
Yering Station R Pinot G Botry	3