



### Entries Close 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2021

#### Required Sample Volume

**OILS** - A minimum of 2 litres of oil. This can be three (4) samples of 500ml /750ml or six (8) 250ml samples. This can be in bottles, casks and or tins.

**TABLE OLIVES** - A minimum of 1 kg of olives, packaged in three separate containers to be provided for each entry submitted.

#### Commercially Labelled

All entries (excluding entries into Class 4) must be commercially packaged and labelled and intended to be available for sale at the time of entry.

#### Exhibit ID Code

Clearly mark the **REAR** of each container (bottle/tin/cask) with your chosen 4-digit Exhibit ID Code used on the entry form. Use a separate code for each different oil or table olive entered. The front label will be photographed so place code sticker at the back of packaging. See example right (ORG3). 1.



#### Packaging

- All entries should arrive in commercial food grade packaging including glass bottles, tins, casks, glass jars with sealed lids, plastic screw-cap containers or vacuum-packed pouches.
- To avoid entries being damaged/broken during transit, adequately pack and wrap each bottle/jar/tin individually with bubble wrap or other suitable shock absorbent material and fasten with rubber bands (where possible limit tape use).
- Wrap each entry in a large plastic ziplock back. Should the packaging get damaged the contents will damage will be contained. See below.



#### International Entries

For posting entries into Australia:

- ✓ Do not pack your entry in wooden or cardboard boxes that have been used to hold fruit, vegetables or meat/smallgoods. This packaging is a biosecurity risk.

- ✓ Do not pack with straw or dried plant material; use bubble wrap or foam to wrap fragile goods.
- ✓ Make sure you fill out the declaration label clearly and correctly, itemising everything inside the package, including any packaging materials.
- ✓ Clearly label the contents 'Olive Oil' and/or 'Table Olives'. 'Sample, No Commercial Value. Not for sale. Mark them 'Food sample for exhibition/competition'.
- ✓ Should documents/sample packaging not be correctly prepared, entrants will be charged for all customs charges on international shipping documents.
- ✓ We recommended DHL and FEDEX couriers.

#### What to include with your samples

1. A copy of your Australian NATA accredited laboratory test results including **FFA** (Free Fatty Acid), **PV** (Peroxide Value), **Ultra Violet (UV)** and **PPH** (Polyphenols/Biophenols) (classes 1 - 6)
2. A copy of your entry details (online entry receipt or hard copy entry form)
3. Copy of your payment receipt

#### Tracking

The AOA recommends that you track your parcel to make sure it reaches the intended address on time. Oil and table olive samples must arrive by the 3<sup>rd</sup> of September 2021.

#### Postal address

AIOA Extra Virgin Olive Oil Competition entries are to be sent/couriered/delivered to:

**Head Steward AIOA,**  
**Trudie Michels**  
**C/o 8 Alexander Avenue**  
**Cumberland Park SA 5041**  
**AUSTRALIA**  
*Mobile: +61 419 031 527*  
*tmichels@globaldial.com*

**DON'T FORGET**  
**Entries Close:**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> September 2021**  
**Results emailed:**  
**4<sup>th</sup> OCT 2021**

- ★ Entries intended to be delivered directly to the AIOA Adelaide Depot must contact the Head Steward with a minimum of 24 hours' notice (via phone or email).
- ★ Entrants will receive an email confirmation when all Entries from the Entrant have been received by the Head Steward.

**For more comprehensive Australian International Olive Awards Conditions of Entry visit:**

<https://internationaloliveawardsaustralia.com.au/condition-of-entry/>

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