#### **Volume Conversions:**

1 mL = 0.035 fl oz

1 fl oz = 30 mL

1 L = 1000 mL

1 L = 0.2642 gal

1 gal = 3785 mL = 3.785 L

1 hL = 100 L = 26.4 gal

25 hL = 660 gal

1 L = 33.8 oz = 1000 mL

1 gal = 128 oz = 3785 mL = 3.78 L

1 qt = 32 oz = 946 mL = 0.946 L

1 pt = 16 oz = 473 mL = 0.473 = 0.473 L

1 cup = 8 oz = 237 mL

4 oz = 118 mL

2 oz = 59 mL

1 oz = 29.57 mL

### **Weight Conversions:**

1 g = 1000 mg

1 kg = 1000 g = 2.2 lb

1 lb = 454 g = 0.4536 kg

10 k = 22 lb

1 metric ton = 1000 kg

1 metric ton = 2205 lb

1 US ton = 907 kg

1 US ton = 2000 lb

1 lb = 16 oz

1 oz = 28.35 g

1 g = 0.03572 oz

# **Equivalent Units:**

1 g/L = 0.10 g/100 mL

= 100 g/hL

= 100 mg/100 mL

= 1000 mg/L

= 1000 ppm

= 1.0 mg/mL

= 0.1% (wt/vol)

1 g/hL = 1 g/26.42 gal

= 0.038 g/gal

= 0.084 lb/1000 gal

#### **Other Useful Conversions:**

1 ppm = 1 mg/L 1 °Brix = 1 % sugar (wt/vol) 1 barrel = 60 gal = 227 L

1 lb/1000gal = 454 g/1000gal = 120 mg/L = 27.2 g/barrel = .0120g/L 1 kg/hL = 1000 g/hL = 10,000 mg/L = 2.271 kg/barrel = 10 g/L

# **Sulfur Dioxide and pH:**

Table of molecular SO <sub>2</sub> concentration over pH						
рН	% of Free Sulfur Molecular SO <sub>2</sub>	ppm free for 0.8 Molecular	ppm free for 0.5 Molecular			
2.90	7.5	11	7			
2.95	6.6	12	7			
3.00	6.1	13	8			
3.05	5.3	15	9			
3.10	4.9	16	10			
3.15	4.3	19	12			
3.20	3.9	21	13			
3.25	3.4	23	15			
3.30	3.1	26	16			
3.35	2.7	29	18			
3.40	2.5	32	20			
3.45	2.2	37	23			
3.50	2.0	40	25			
3.55	1.8	46	29			
3.60	1.6	50	31			
3.65	1.4	57	36			
3.70	1.3	63	39			
3.75	1.1	72	45			
3.80	1.0	79	49			
3.85	0.9	91	57			
3.90	0.8	99	62			
3.95	0.7	114	71			
4.00	0.7	125	78			

### **Potassium Metabisulfite Additions:**

### Formula for PMBS addition:

(gallons of wine) x (3.785) x (ppm of addition) = grams of PMBS to add (1000) x (0.576)

3.785 is the conversion from gallons to liters

1000 converts mg/L (ppm) to g/L

0.576 is the fraction of SO<sub>2</sub> in PMBS

This formula can be simplified to:

(gallons of wine) x (ppm of addition) x (0.0066) = grams of PMBS to add

## **Preparing a Strong 10% Stock Solution:**

Dissolve 10 grams of Potassium Metabisulfite into 100 mL of water. For additions of sulfite into large lots, use the information provided in the following table.

10% Solution of Metabisulfite									
	(Desired final SO₂ concentration in ppm)								
Must/Wine	10	20	25	30	40	50	75		
(gallons)	(Add milliliters of 10% solution)								
1	0.6	1.3	1.6	2.0	2.6	3.3	4.9		
5	3.3	6.6	8.2	9.9	13.1	16.4	24.6		
10	6.6	13.1	16.4	19.7	26.3	32.9	49.3		
25	16.4	32.9	41.1	49.3	65.7	82.1	123.2		
50	32.9	65.7	82.1	98.6	131.4	154.3	246.4		

## **Preparing a Weak 3% Stock Solution:**

Dissolve 3 grams of Potassium Metabisulfite into 100 mL of water. For additions of sulfite into large lots, use the information provided in the following table.

3% Solution of Metabisulfite								
	(Desired final SO <sub>2</sub> concentration in ppm)							
Must/Wine	10	21	33	43	65			
(gallons)	(Add tablespoons of 3% solution)							
1	0.15	0.32	0.50	0.66	1.00			
5	0.75	1.60	2.50	3.30	5.00			
10	1.50	3.20	5.00	6.60	10.00			