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FRANCE

A bounty of exciting options for the collector including an assortment from Burgundy's exceptional 2018 vintage and the 1996 Dom Pérignon P2 Rosé Champagne.



BORDEAUX

RED WINE

CHÂTEAU CANTEMERLE 2015

5^e cru, AC Haut-Médoc

TASTING NOTE: Impressive richness and clarity of red and dark berries. Lightly spiced-pastry aromas, too. The palate has a very crisp, polished and groomed tannin texture, as well as super fresh flavors that carry long. Great wine. Try from 2022.

Score: **95** (jamesuckling.com, Feb. 2, 2018)

470724 (XD) 750 mL \$90.00

CHÂTEAU DE CHAMBRUN 2014

AC Lalande-de-Pomerol

TASTING NOTE: Lots of berries and chocolate on the nose. Full body, chewy tannins and a tangy finish. Polished tannins. Needs two or three years to come completely together.

Score: **91** (jamesuckling.com, Feb. 13, 2017)

20166 (XD) 750 mL \$48.00

CHÂTEAU LAGRANGE 2010

3^e cru, AC Saint-Julien

TASTING NOTE: Loads of tension and form. It can be cellared for decades, but it's balanced and beautiful already. Lots of blueberry, licorice and blackberry character. Try in 2018.

Score: **96** (jamesuckling.com, July 22, 2014)

20167 (XD) 750 mL \$148.00

CHÂTEAU LYNCH-BAGES 2005

5^e cru, AC Pauillac

TASTING NOTE: Textbook, with mouthfilling and slightly gutsy black currant, fig and blackberry fruit flavors bound together by singed cedar, iron and tobacco notes. Features a tug of loam followed by a second wave of fruit through the finish. This is just starting to stretch out. Blind '01/'03/'05 Bordeaux retrospective (December 2017). Best from 2020 through 2040.

Score: **96** (James Molesworth, winespectator.com, 2018)

21003 (XD) 750 mL \$500.00

DOMAINE DE CHEVALIER 2010

Grand Cru Classé de Graves, AC Pessac-Léognan

TASTING NOTE: Dark fruit, such as raspberries and blueberries with subtle perfume on the nose. Full-bodied with super well integrated tannins and a fresh and clean finish. Racy young wine. Shows classy structure and richness. Try in 2018.

Score: **96** (jamesuckling.com, Feb. 2, 2013)

495622 (XD) 750 mL \$216.00

MONDOT BY TROPLONG MONDOT 2016

Second wine of Troplong Mondot, AC Saint-Émilion Grand Cru Classé

TASTING NOTE: The second wine of Troplong Mondot and 100% Merlot, the 2016 Mondot reveals a deep, saturated purple color as well as a rocking nose of black cherries, graphite, chocolate, and scorched earth. Ripe, deep, and sexy, with sweet tannins, it's a rocking entry-level wine to drink over the coming 10-15 years. Maturity: 2019-2034.

Score: **94** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Feb. 28, 2019)

20179 (XD) 750 mL \$89.00

BURGUNDY

CÔTE DE NUITS

RED WINE

AMAURY AUX PERDRIX NUITS-SAINT-GEORGES

1^{ER} CRU 2017

AC

TASTING NOTE: Firm reduction presently renders the nose impossible to assess. The sleek and relatively fine medium weight flavors possess a lovely mouth feel and fine richness before terminating in a spicy finish that is akin to mentholated cherry cough drop. This is really quite good and the pliant supporting tannins should permit this to be approached with pleasure in its youth. Drink date: 2024+.

Score: **90-92** (Allen Meadows, burghound.com, Oct. 15, 2018)

610113 (XD) 750 mL \$153.00

DANIEL RION & FILS LES GRANDES VIGNES NUITS-SAINT-GEORGES 2018

AC

Frequently found on the menus of the most prestigious restaurants of France and Europe, the wines of this family-owned estate have built a solid reputation since Daniel Rion began his endeavour with just two hectares of vines in 1955. Fruit for this wine was destemmed prior to fermentation, which took place in temperature-controlled stainless steel to give the fruit its fullest expression.

227793 (XD) 750 mL \$70.00



**DOMAINE MICHEL GROS
CLOS DES RÉAS VOSNE-ROMANÉE
1^{ER} CRU 2016
AC**

TASTING NOTE: The 2016 Vosne Romanee 1^{er} Cru Clos des Reas has one of the most ebullient and vivacious bouquets from Michel Gros this year with red cherries, wild strawberries and a touch of blood orange in the mix. The palate is very well balanced with fine tannin, crisp acidity, plentiful tart red fruit with a fine structure that does not dominate toward the finish. Excellent. Drink date: 2021-2035. Score: **90-92** (Neal Martin, robertparker.com, Dec. 29, 2017)

20472 (XD) 750 mL \$223.00

**JEAN-CLAUDE BOISSET LES
MUROTS GEVREY-CHAMBERTIN
2016
AC**

TASTING NOTE: Beautifully balanced, exhibiting cherry, strawberry, floral and mineral flavors. Elegant and taut, with terrific length and a touch of oak spice on the finish. Best from 2022 through 2038. Score: **94** (Bruce Sanderson, winespectator.com, April 30, 2019)

18988 (XD) 750 mL \$83.00

**BOURGOGNE HAUTES-
CÔTES DE NUITS
RED WINE**

**DOMAINE MICHEL GROS
BOURGOGNE HAUTES-CÔTES
DE NUITS 2018
AC**

The 2018 is a blend of two parcels and offers quite a sensual, perfumed bouquet. It's finely textured and balanced, with good concentration and notes of succulent, ripe, fresh red cherry, crushed strawberry, spice and warm earth. Ideal for mid-term cellaring. Enjoy now through 2026+.

20471 (XD) 750 mL \$45.00

**CÔTE DE BEAUNE
RED WINE**

**BOUCHARD PÈRE & FILS
LE CLOS DE LA MOUSSE BEAUNE
1^{ER} CRU 2017
AC**

TASTING NOTE: Fruity, showing grip, this red offers currant, cherry, stony mineral and spice flavors. Offers a chalky feel, with a stone hint on the somewhat austere finish. Best from 2021 through 2035.

Score: **92** (Bruce Sanderson, winespectator.com, April 30, 2020)

124669 (XD) 750 mL \$99.00

**CHANDON DE BRIAILLES
CORTON-BRESSANDES
GRAND CRU 2017
AC**

TASTING NOTE: Very perfumed and spicy, this red evokes incense, sandalwood, rose and wild berry aromas and flavors. The compact frame and dense structure reveal grip on the finish for now, but the aftertaste extends with berry, green olive and spice notes. Best from 2023 through 2042.

Score: **95** (Bruce Sanderson, winespectator.com, May 31, 2020)

20442 (XD) 750 mL \$250.00

**DOMAINE CHANDON
DE BRIAILLES AUX FOURNEAUX
SAVIGNY-LÈS-BEAUNE 2018
AC**

TASTING NOTE: Aromas of rose petals, dark chocolate and loamy soil marry with rich, plummy fruit, introducing the 2018 Savigny-lès-Beaune Les Fourneaux, a medium to full-bodied, fleshy and gourmand wine built around powdery tannins and succulent acids. This confirms its fine showing in barrel, and the ripeness of the vintage means that it's quite approachable out of the gates. Drink date: 2020-2040.

Score: **91** (William Kelley, robertparker.com, Jan. 14, 2021)

20443 (XD) 750 mL \$69.00

**DOMAINE CHANSON PÈRE & FILS
CLOS DES FÈVES MONOPOLE
BEAUNE 1^{ER} CRU 2018
AC**

TASTING NOTE: A masterful success that exudes a pervasive fragrance of candied orange peel. Lovely maturity, with highly supple tannins and the texture of a "taffeta" wine. Full-bodied, racy and highly elegant, with a captivating scent, very silky and long on the palate. A major wine from the 2018 vintage. 3 hearts. Coup de Coeur.

Score: **100** (*La Revue du Vin de France*, Nov. 2020)

528034 (XD) 750 mL \$140.00

WHITE WINE

**BACHELET-RAMONET LA GRANDE
MONTAGNE CHASSAGNE-
MONTRACHET 1^{ER} CRU 2018
AC**

La Grande Montagne is situated in the most southerly reaches of Chassagne-Montrachet's limestone hills. This wine is aged between 14 and 16 months and offers the area's classic power and elegance, with apple, lemon citrus and a touch of saline minerality. This succulent, well-defined wine will be superb with seafood dishes.

19706 (XD) 750 mL \$105.00

**BERNARD MILLOT
PULIGNY-MONTRACHET 2018
AC**

The Chardonnays of Puligny-Montrachet are among the finest, most concentrated expressions of this noble grape. Sourced from limestone-rich soils, these wines evoke green apple, lemon, peach and mineral notes and reflect a characteristic honeyed tone. Finely textured and lively, they make excellent pairings for meals such as grilled seafood, or veal and mushrooms.

19709 (XD) 750 mL \$110.00

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DECELLE-VILLA MEURSAULT 2018 AC

This wine is sourced from a plot close to the Charmes, Perrières and Genevrières premier-cru sites. It has the distinct toasted almond and honey tones that define young Meursault, alongside white flowers, peach, pear and mineral. A wine for grilled lobster.

20656 (XD) 750 mL \$100.00

DOMAINE VINCENT GIRARDIN **VIEILLES VIGNES MEURSAULT 2017** AC

TASTING NOTE: The 2017 'Vieilles Vignes' Meursault is a gorgeous showing from Vincent Girardin. As this slowly unwinds in the glass it begins to deliver beautiful aromas of white peaches, vanilla blossoms, lemon custard, tropical fruits, key lime, honeysuckle and green almond nuances. On the palate this possesses a fabulous texture, with wonderful overall balance, combining pure fruit and bright acidity leading up to the delicious, mineral-infused finish. While this is absolutely stunning today it also has the potential to last well over a decade in the cellar. Drink date: 2020-2032. Score: **93** (internationalwinereport.com, Jan. 2020)

20378 (XD) 750 mL \$88.00

DOMAINE VINCENT LATOUR **LES GRANDS CHARRONS** **MEURSAULT 2018** AC

TASTING NOTE: Here the nose is completely clean and really quite pretty with its layered combination of various white orchard fruit aromas that are nuanced by hints of citrus peel, floral and roasted nut. The sleek and intense middle weight flavors flash less minerality though a bit more complexity on the attractively textured and beautifully lingering finale. This too should be quite good with a few years of aging. Drink: 2025+. Outstanding. Score: **89-91** (Allen Meadows, burghound.com, June 10, 2020)

20423 (XD) 750 mL \$94.00

EDOUARD DELAUNAY LE VILLAGE **MEURSAULT 2018** AC

TASTING NOTE: Shining with mango, apricot and peach aromatics punctuated by caramel and clove oak spice and a fleshy, creamy complexity. Score: **92** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2020)

20383 (XD) 750 mL \$100.00

MARCHAND-TAWSE MEURSAULT **2018** AC

TASTING NOTE: An equally ripe and fresh nose offers up notes of toasted hazelnut, acacia blossom and ripe pear. The much sleeker and more intense medium weight flavors flash evident minerality on the bone-dry, citrusy and sneaky long finish. This is lovely and very refreshing plus it should reward mid-term cellaring. Drink date: 2025+. Outstanding. Score: **89-91** (Allen Meadows, burghound.com, June 10, 2020)

285866 (XD) 750 mL \$85.00

CHABLIS WHITE WINE

DOMAINE GÉRARD TREMBLAY **BEAUROY CHABLIS 1^{ER} CRU 2019** AC

Gérard Tremblay, his wife, Hélène, and their son Vincent oversee a domaine that has been in the family for five generations. All of their wine is made from their own fruit, with 35 hectares of vines under production. Expect a crisp, clean wine etched by the venerable, limestone-rich Kimmeridgian soils of Beauroy.

18401 (XD) 750 mL \$44.00

DOMAINE VRIGNAUD **CÔTE DE FONTENAY FOURCHAUME** **CHABLIS 1^{ER} CRU 2017** AC

TASTING NOTE: Guillaume Vrignaud's top wine comes from the Côte de Fontenay – a sub-appellation within the larger Fourchaume premier cru. It has old-vine concentration with notes of gunflint and

honey, and an undertone of iodine. Classic Chablis. Drinking window: 2019-2028.

Score: **94** (Tim Atkin, MW, decanter.com, Oct. 19, 2018)

20382 (XD) 750 mL \$68.00

LA CHABLISIENNE **LES CLOS CHABLIS** **GRAND CRU 2017** AC

TASTING NOTE: Unwinding in the glass with aromas of waxy lemon rind, mandarin, dried white flowers, fresh pastry and a subtle top note of petrol, the 2017 Chablis Grand Cru Les Clos is full-bodied, ample and layered, with a deep and concentrated core, lively acids and a saline finish. This, too, is very reserved, but it's undeniably a promising Les Clos. Drink date: 2023-2037. Score: **93+** (William Kelley, robertparker.com, Aug. 30, 2019)

20381 (XD) 750 mL \$78.00

LA CHABLISIENNE MONTMAINS **CHABLIS 1^{ER} CRU 2018** AC

TASTING NOTE: There is fine Chablis character and plenty mineral reduction to the pear, citrus and tidal pool-scented nose. In the same vein as the Vaillons, there is impressive richness to the solidly intense medium-bodied flavors that offer good salinity on the equally clean and dry if borderline rustic finale. This isn't quite as refined as the Les Lys but there is slightly better power and depth. Drink: 2025+.

Score: **89-92** (Allen Meadows, burghound.com, Oct. 10, 2019)

265090 (XD) 750 mL \$46.00

ROLAND LAVANTUREUX VAUPRIN **CHABLIS 2018** AC

TASTING NOTE: The 2018 Chablis Vauprin comes from 1.7ha of 25-year-old vines and is raised for 12 months in 50% oak barrels and 50% stainless steel. It has a very harmonious bouquet of yellow flowers, mirabelle, crushed rocks and light hazelnut aromas that attain impressive intensity with aeration.

The palate is very well balanced with a fine bead of acidity; there is real tension and race here. The finish fans out wonderfully and its persistence deserves applause considering the relatively unknown location of this vineyard. Highly recommended. Drinking window: 2021-2035.

Score: **93** (Neal Martin, *vinous.com*, Sept. 2020)

485219 (XD) 750 mL \$45.00

MÂCONNAIS

WHITE WINE

CHÂTEAU FUISSÉ TÊTE DE CUVÉE POUILLY-FUISSÉ 2018

AC

TASTING NOTE: There is just enough wood present to warrant mentioning framing the ripe and elegant aromas of mostly white orchard fruit and acacia blossom. The pure, delicious and generously proportioned medium-bodied flavors possess very good verve on the notably saline, clean and dry finish. Drink: 2023+.

Score: **90** (Allen Meadows, *burghound.com*, Nov. 10, 2020)

12957 (XD) 750 mL \$45.00

RHÔNE

NORTHERN RHÔNE

WHITE WINE

GABRIEL MEFFRE LAURUS CONDRIEU 2017

AP

TASTING NOTE: Lavish layers of vanilla, cinnamon and honeysuckle accent this ripe, glycerol sip. Flavors of yellow apple and white grapefruit are plush and mouthfilling but balanced by a spry mineral lift and a hint of bitters on the finish. Hedonistic and ready to drink, it should serve well through 2030.

Score: **93** (Anna Lee C. Iijima, *Wine Enthusiast*, July 1, 2020)

193599 (XD) 750 mL \$80.00

GABRIEL MEFFRE LAURUS HERMITAGE 2017

AP

TASTING NOTE: Fresh apple and pineapple flavors are swathed in honey and cream in this soft but freshly balanced dry white. Made from 100% Marsanne fermented and aged in barrel, it's a rich, lavish wine that lingers on notes of vanilla, honeysuckle and sweet spice. Stunning in its youth but should gain complexity for decades. Editors' Choice.

Score: **94** (Anna Lee C. Iijima, *Wine Enthusiast*, Dec. 31, 2020)

594655 (XD) 750 mL \$80.00

SOUTHERN RHÔNE

RED WINE

PATRICK LESEC CUVÉE BARGETON CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE 2018

AC

TASTING NOTE: Sourced mainly from an old-vine (mainly Grenache) parcel in the Cristia lieu-dit (sandy soils), Leseq's 2018 Chateaneuf du Pape Bargeton was made using all whole clusters. Delicate notes of roses, garrigue, cherries and subtle dried spices mingle easily on the nose of this full-bodied but delicate, filigreed wine. It's hugely complex and full flavored, without any excess weight or richness. It should be a beauty. Drink date: 2020-2030.

Score: **95-97** (Joe Czerwinski, *robertparker.com*, Sept. 30, 2019)

154476 (XD) 750 mL \$79.00

ALSACE

WHITE WINE

DOMAINES SCHLUMBERGER SAERING RIESLING 2017

AC Alsace Grand Cru

TASTING NOTE: Cinnamon, white pepper, green paprika, green apples and citrus. Medium-bodied and very taut and citrusy on the palate, this trades in bright acidity and steely apple crunch. Drink now.

Score: **93** (*jamessuckling.com*, Aug. 12, 2019)

627950 (D) 750 mL \$37.00

CHAMPAGNE

DOM PÉRIGNON P2 ROSÉ CHAMPAGNE 1996

AC

TASTING NOTE: Dom Pérignon's 1996 Rosé P2 is rich, vertical and explosive, with that combination of structure and inner perfume that makes it so alluring and so flat-out delicious. Drinking window: 2019-2036.

Score: **98** (Antonio Galloni, *vinous.com*, Feb. 2020)

507897 (XD) 750 mL \$2,056.00

FORGET-BRIMONT 1^{ER} CRU BRUT CHAMPAGNE 2008

AC

TASTING NOTE: With 10 years' aging on the lees, this wine is now approaching peak perfection. A blend of half-and-half Pinot Noir and Chardonnay, it shows a classic balance between rich structure and a mineral texture. This wine is ready to drink.

Score: **93** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, Dec. 31, 2019)

19996 (XD) 750 mL \$98.00

JOSEPH PERRIER CUVÉE ROYALE BRUT CHAMPAGNE 2008

AC

TASTING NOTE: The latest vintage release from this producer based in Châlons-en-Champagne is very much in the house style with its crisp acidity and tight texture. It is towards the dry end of Brut with apple and citrus flavors and little sign yet of aging. Although this textured wine is ready to drink, it will be better from 2018. Cellar Selection.

Score: **93** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, Dec. 1, 2017)

18172 (XD) 750 mL \$105.00

KRUG BRUT CHAMPAGNE 2006
AC

TASTING NOTE: As I reported when it was released, Krug's 2006 Brut is clearly one of the vintage's highlights. Offering up aromas of dried fruits, pear, freshly baked bread, caramelized apples, honeycomb and toasted sourdough, it's full-bodied, deep and layered, with superb concentration, racy acids and an impressively tightly wound profile for this demonstrative vintage. I observed last year that this is surprisingly reserved for the vintage, and if anything, that quality is even more in evidence today. While many 2006 Champagnes are likely to be at their best in their demonstrative youth, this is one wine unquestionably built for the long haul. Drink date: 2020-2045.

Score: **97** (William Kelley, robertparker.com, Sept. 17, 2020)
68395 (XD) 750 mL \$459.00

LE MESNIL BRUT BLANC DE BLANCS GRAND CRU CHAMPAGNE 2005
AC

This 100% Chardonnay comes from a Champagne co-op founded in 1937 and is sourced from 32-year-old vines planted in chalk soils. The parcels were vinified separately in stainless-steel vats and tirage was in 2006. The result is a tight wine with considerable drive and finesse and notes of orange zest, brioche and bread, with a touch of honey on the close.

460840 (XD) 750 mL \$85.00

RUINART BRUT BLANC DE BLANCS CHAMPAGNE
AC

TASTING NOTE: Steeped apricot and candied ginger flavors are an aromatic entry for this graceful Champagne, backed by finely cut acidity and layered with accents of kumquat, toast point and salted Marcona almond. It's fresh and racy, yet there's an effortless quality to the integration that makes this hard to stop sipping. Long, mineral finish. Drink now through 2027.

Score: **93** (Alison Napjus, winespectator.com, Dec. 15, 2020)
62984 (XD) 750 mL \$133.00

VEUVE CLICQUOT LA GRANDE DAME BRUT CHAMPAGNE 2008
AC

TASTING NOTE: A classic, slow-maturing year picked into October. It's a pale, pristine hue – a beautifully assembled mix of Pinot Noir and Chardonnay from Aÿ, Ambonnay, Bouzy, Verzy, Verzenay and Le Mesnil-sur-Oger, combining saline-wrapped orchard fruits with great Pinot Noir subtlety yet strength. THE aperitif Champagne, but also try with sea trout. Drinking window: 2020-2030.

Score: **97** (Michael Edwards, decanter.com, Feb. 17, 2019)
38802 (XD) 750 mL \$250.00

VILMART & CIE GRAND CELLIER 1^{ER} CRU BRUT CHAMPAGNE
AC

TASTING NOTE: This wine emphasizes the white-flower scents of chardonnay (70 percent of the blend, the balance pinot noir). The wine's searing acidity wasn't softened by malolactic fermentation, and its fleshy apple and pear flavors were concentrated and enriched by ageing for eight months in large oak casks prior to bottling. Brian Long of NYC's Ai Fiori drew a parallel between the wine's "laser-like" malic acidity and the bright acidity of a young Mosel Riesling. The fine mousse calms that acidity a bit, and age will build up the flavors to surround it. A Champagne for cellaring. (Disgorged 1/17.)

Score: **94** (wineandspiritsmagazine.com, Dec. 2018)
65110 (XD) 750 mL \$94.00



LANGUEDOC

RED WINE

GÉRARD BERTRAND LA FORGE 2018
AC Corbières-Boutenac

TASTING NOTE: Bertrand's homage to his father, the 2018 Corbieres Boutenac la Forge comes from the family's Château de Villemajou. A selection of old-vine Carignan and Syrah, all aged in new French oak, it boasts wonderfully expressive raspberry and herbal-tea aromas. It's full-bodied, expansive and perhaps just a bit warm on the palate at 15% alcohol, so be sure not to serve it at too warm a temperature. Cola, mocha and cedar notes show up on the softly tannic finish, but not as major players, just as accents to the intense raspberry fruit. Drink date: 2020-2026.

Score: **93** (Joe Czerwinski, robertparker.com, June 30, 2020)
15658 (XD) 750 mL \$75.00

AUSTRIA

A precisely assembled, concentrated, evocative Grüner Veltliner.



WHITE WINE

PICHLER-KRUTZLER RIED KLOSTERSATZ GRÜNER VELTLINER 2019

DAC Wachau

TASTING NOTE: The nose is a perfect mix of creaminess, yeasty savor, citrus and Mirabelle, still edged with slight reductive smokiness. The palate is immensely juicy, concentrated and zesty. There is flow and drive on the toned but full-fruited body, always tingling with citrus and saltiness.

Score: **94** (Anne Krebiehl, MW, Wine Enthusiast, Sept. 1, 2020)

20672 (D) 750 mL \$35.00

GERMANY

Exquisite Riesling from two historic producers. Wines that will grace your cellar for decades.



MOSEL

WHITE WINE

**DR. LOOSEN ÜRZIGER
WÜRZGARTEN ALTE REBEN GG
RIESLING TROCKEN 2019**
Qualitätswein

TASTING NOTE: This is an extrovert Mosel GG with a ton of spice and berry aromas that are just beginning to open up. At once succulent and elegant on the palate, it manages to be complex and easy to understand, the finish very long and pure. Drink or hold.

Score: **96** (jamessuckling.com, Nov. 23, 2020)

633610 (D) 750 mL \$40.00

RHEINGAU

WHITE WINE

**SCHLOSS JOHANNISBERG
GRÜNLACK RIESLING SPÄTLESE
2020**

Single vineyard, VDP Grosse Lage, Prädikatswein

Schloss Johannisberg has been crafting only Riesling wines since 1720. The wines of this historic producer are exemplary Rheingau expressions. This one reveals a reliable elegant structure, with generous purity and freshness to the fruit and a distinct saline minerality. A wine that will effortlessly grace your cellar for another 25-30 years, if not more.

523332 (S) 750 mL \$65.00

HUNGARY

Pamper your palate with this classically styled 5 Puttonyos Tokaji Aszu.



WHITE WINE

**DISZNÓKO 5 PUTTONYOS
TOKAJI ASZU 2011**

Tokaj

TASTING NOTE: Tasted at the Disznóko vertical in London, the 2011 Tokaji Aszu 5 Puttonyos is 100% Furmint (Aszu grapes). It has an expressive and focused bouquet, spice and dried honey, white flowers and candle wax. The palate is classic in style and actually almost Sauternes-like. It is certainly very well balanced and mineral, gently caressing the mouth with a linear finish that lingers nice. There is a little nuttiness here and a pleasing salinity coming through with continued aeration. This is lovely in a more understated Tokaji style. Drink date: 2018 [to 2033+].

Score: **92** (Neal Martin, robertparker.com, Oct. 28, 2016)

18981 (S) 500 mL \$68.00

ITALY

From north to south, the power, elegance and sophistication of Italian red and white wines is on full display, including top-flight 2015 and 2016 Barolo.



MARCHE

WHITE WINE

**GAROFOLI PODIUM VERDICCHIO
DEI CASTELLI DI JESI CLASSICO
SUPERIORE 2018**

DOC

TASTING NOTE: The 2018 Verdicchio dei Castelli di Jesi Podium is spicy and wildly fresh, wafting up with zests of lemon and lime, followed by dusty yellow flowers and white smoke. Its textures are velvety



and round, verging on oily, while remaining wonderfully poised and finessed throughout. There's almost a feeling of vibration on the palate, as notes of ripe green apple with a hint of tropical citrus and savory spices amass in the mouth and linger long. The sheer density of fruit, along with balanced acids, make the 2018 a perfect contender to cellar, but it is showing beautifully today. Drinking window: 2020-2032.

Score: **93** (Eric Guido, vinous.com, Sept. 2020)

98129 (XD) 750 mL \$30.00

PIEDMONT

RED WINE

**ANDREA OBERTO ROCHE
DELL'ANNUNZIATA BAROLO 2015**
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Complex aromas of plums, cedar, dried flowers and leather follow through to a full body, chewy tannins and a long, flavorful finish. Needs three or four years to come around. Try in 2023.

Score: **95** (jamessuckling.com, Nov. 7, 2019)

19233 (XD) 750 mL \$78.00

ARNALDO RIVERA RAVERA BAROLO 2015
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: A more savory, slightly tarry, coal-smoke nose. Overall, a handsomely ripe Barolo that has a wealth of darker fruit aromas and flavors with a firm but stylishly balanced palate. Long, rich cherries abound and there's an enduring sense of balance here. Impressive power and focus. Try from 2022.

Score: **96** (jamesuckling.com, Sept. 3, 2020)

18847 (XD) 750 mL \$105.00

CORDERO DI MONTEZEMOLO VIGNA ENRICO VI BAROLO 2016
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Extremely perfumed with chocolate, walnuts, hazelnuts and dried strawberries. Roses, too. Hints of chocolate. Full and complex with a gorgeous palate that's full of flavor and structure. Better after 2024.

Score: **97** (jamesuckling.com, Dec. 21, 2020)

22020 (XD) 750 mL \$136.00

MAURO SEBASTE CERRETTA BAROLO 2016
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: The spices and dried citrus highlight the red fruit here. It's full-bodied with firm, nicely integrated tannins that follow through to ripe red fruit and dried-flower, walnut and light stem undertones. Try after 2023.

Score: **94** (jamesuckling.com, Aug. 17, 2020)

19056 (XD) 750 mL \$75.00

RIZZI NERVO BARBARESCO 2017
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Rose, violet and perfumed berry aromas lead the nose followed by whiffs of camphor and culinary spice. Full bodied, supremely elegant and surprisingly fresh for the hot vintage, the savory palate delivers

ripe Marasca cherry, crushed raspberry, licorice and crushed mint alongside taut, refined tannins. Fresh acidity keeps it impeccably balanced. Drink date: 2022-2032.

Score: **95** (Kerin O'Keefe, *Wine Enthusiast*, Oct. 1, 2020)

539247 (XD) 750 mL \$63.00

RIZZI PAJORE BARBARESCO 2017
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Wild rose, forest berry and camphor aromas mingle with star anise on this fragrant, full-bodied red. Combining structure and finesse, the delicious palate doles out ripe Marasca cherry, orange zest and licorice alongside firm, polished tannins. A fantastic wine. Drink date: 2023-2032. Editors' Choice.

Score: **96** (Kerin O'Keefe, *Wine Enthusiast*, Oct. 1, 2020)

16743 (XD) 750 mL \$63.00

VIRNA SARMASSA BAROLO 2015
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: A very solid young Barolo with tar, stone, aniseed and ripe-fruit character. Full-bodied, tight and integrated and a long, long finish. Shows precision and focus. Better in 2023.

Score: **94** (jamesuckling.com, Nov. 7, 2019)

19057 (XD) 750 mL \$108.00

SARDINIA

RED WINE

AGRICOLA PUNICA MONTESSU 2017
IGT Isola dei Nuraghi

TASTING NOTE: I love the glazed cherries and roasted herbs here, in addition to dried plums and licorice. Full-bodied and very sophisticated on the palate, where juicy and structured tannins frame the red fruit and acidity, carrying it long on the finish. Drink now [to 2024+].

Score: **93** (jamesuckling.com, Nov. 7, 2019)

632380 (XD) 750 mL \$30.00



SICILY

RED WINE

AL-CANTÀRA O'SCURU O'SCURU 2017
DOC Etna Rosso

TASTING NOTE: 100% Nerello Mascalese. Enticing wild berry fruit aroma, with a gentle spice infusion, and ground coffee note. Poised palate, with fine tannins and lifted peppery red berry flavours.

Score: **95** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2020)

19631 (XD) 750 mL \$47.00

WHITE WINE

AL-CANTÀRA OCCHI DI CIUMI 2019
DOC Etna Bianco

Al-Cantàra is one of Sicily's most awarded wineries. This blend of Carricante and Grecanico is sourced from vines between 16 and 80 years of age and offers impressive lemon citrus, Mediterranean herb, and a pure saline minerality.

19630 (XD) 750 mL \$33.00

TUSCANY

RED WINE

CANALICCHIO DI SOPRA RISERVA BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2012 DOCG

TASTING NOTE: A ripe, macerated version, displaying plum, cherry, tobacco, earth and spice flavors. A beam of lively acidity in the middle elevates this. Ends with elegance, supporting tannins and fine length. Best from 2022 through 2036.

Score: **96** (Bruce Sanderson, winespectator.com, June 30, 2018)

18844 (XD) 750 mL \$223.00

CARPINETO MOLIN VECCHIO 2012 IGT Toscana

TASTING NOTE: This red exudes black currant, mint and wild herb flavors, matched to a framework of dense, beefy tannins. The bouquet is particularly alluring, but it's unclear whether this has the ripe fruit to outlast its tannic clout. I wouldn't wait too much longer. Sangiovese. Drink now through 2028.

Score: **93** (Bruce Sanderson, winespectator.com, Sept. 30, 2020)

995308 (XD) 750 mL \$60.00

DONATELLA CINELLI COLOMBINI RISERVA BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2013 DOCG

TASTING NOTE: The 2013 Brunello di Montalcino Riserva (with only 6,500 bottles made) is a layered and structured wine that delivers a polar opposite experience especially when you compare this wine to the lighthearted annata 2014 Brunello. This riserva embodies power, grit and textural richness. It also delivers a robust and slightly evolved bouquet with dark fruit, spice and leather. In comparison, the wine from 2014 is thinner and more fruit forward. This wine is suited for grilled meats and steak. It's a hearty winter wine for sure. Drink date: 2020-2035.

Score: **94** (Monica Lerner, robertparker.com, Jan. 31, 2019)

107508 (XD) 750 mL \$147.00

DUEMANI SUISASSI SYRAH 2016 IGT Toscana

TASTING NOTE: Wow. This shows amazing aromas of foie gras, game, pepper and spice with the dark fruit. Full body and soft, juicy tannins that form the wild and exotic, syrah character in the aftertaste. Love this. From biodynamically grown grapes. Demeter-certified. Drink now or hold.

Score: **99** (jamesuckling.com, Dec. 17, 2018)

250803 (XD) 750 mL \$236.00

FONTODI VIGNA DEL SORBO GRAN SELEZIONE CHIANTI CLASSICO 2017 DOCG

TASTING NOTE: The 2017 Chianti Classico Gran Selezione Vigna del Sorbo is a dense, packed wine. It is also surprisingly, almost shockingly backward. That is probably a good thing for its long-term aging prospects. Readers hoping to get an early glimpse into the 2017 before it shuts down may have a hard time doing that, as today acids and tannin dominate. I expect the 2017 will be stellar in another 4-5 years and drink well to age 25-30 if not longer. Proprietor Giovanni Manetti gave the 2017 18 months in barrique followed by 6 months in cask. Drinking window: 2027-2042.

Score: **96+** (Antonio Galloni, vinous.com, Sept. 2020)

963827 (XD) 750 mL \$101.00

LA FORNACE BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2015 DOCG

TASTING NOTE: This is a plusher style of Brunello 2015 with dried cloves, cinnamon, mocha, coffee beans and dark cherries. Hints of jam. Full-bodied, chewy and very spicy; the ripe-cassis flavors wash the palate out with unrelenting decadence. Drink from 2026.

Score: **94** (jamesuckling.com, Sept. 20, 2020)

372532 (XD) 750 mL \$74.00

SAN GIUSTO A RENTENNANO CHIANTI CLASSICO 2018 DOCG

TASTING NOTE: The 2018 Chianti Classico is a textbook expression from the appellation. This Sangiovese-based wine shows latitude and depth with elegant aromas of wild berry, forest floor, dried blueberry, honey, lavender and rosemary essence. There are hints of chalk or crushed limestone that recall the unique soils of the Gaiole in Chianti growing region. The tannins are elegantly integrated, and the wine offers enough natural freshness to pair with a hearty pappardelle al sugo di cinghiale. Drink date: 2020-2030.

Score: **93** (Monica Lerner, robertparker.com, Aug. 31, 2020)

19955 (XD) 750 mL \$34.00

SAN GIUSTO A RENTENNANO LE BARÒNCOLE RISERVA CHIANTI CLASSICO 2017 DOCG

TASTING NOTE: The 2017 Chianti Classico Riserva Le Baròncole is a beautiful wine that delivers elegance and grace despite the difficult conditions of the growing season that saw drought and hot summer temperatures. The wine shows depth and concentration with black fruit, crushed flowers, charred meat and potting soil. There is some phenolic bitterness here (probably due to the lack of moisture in the soils); however, the late-ripening Sangiovese grape performs nicely overall, thanks to those last few cooler weeks on the vine before harvest. That final phase of ripening has helped to solidify the wine's aromatic intensity. Luca Martini di Cigala has carefully crafted an impressive wine in this vintage. Drink date: 2020-2040.

Score: **94** (Monica Lerner, robertparker.com, Aug. 31, 2020)

19956 (XD) 750 mL \$56.00

SAN GIUSTO A RENTENNANO PERCARLO 2016 IGT Toscana

TASTING NOTE: The 2016 Percarlo captures all of the beauty it has always shown in the cellar. Pliant, silky and exceptionally polished, the 2016 simply

has it all. Freshly cut flowers, rose petal, mint, spice and blood orange add striking aromatic nuance to a core of brilliant Sangiovese fruit. Powerful and ample, with superb aromatic lift, the 2016 Percarlo is exceptionally beautiful and moving from the very first taste. A whole range of floral and mineral notes extend the finish effortless. The tannins need time to soften, so readers should plan on at least a few years of cellaring. In a word: compelling. Drinking window: 2023-2045.

Score: **99** (Antonio Galloni, *vinous.com*, Aug. 2019)

19957 (XD) 750 mL \$98.00

**SELVAPIANA BUCERCHIALE
RISERVA CHIANTI RUFINA 2016**
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Loaded with personality, this opens with aromas of forest floor, new leather, camphor and ripe black-skinned fruit. The palate boasts an earthy elegance reminiscent of top Burgundies, showcasing ripe black cherry, crushed raspberry, truffle, star anise and a hint of salted game. Firm, fine-grained tannins provide support while fresh acidity keeps it balanced. Drink date: 2022-2036. Editors' Choice.

Score: **96** (Kerin O'Keefe, *Wine Enthusiast*, April 1, 2021)

645218 (XD) 750 mL \$44.00

UMBRIA

RED WINE

**GORETTI SAGRANTINO DI
MONTEFALCO 2015**
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Another very ripe and bold Montefalco with dried-meat, tar and mocha character. There's some polish to the drying tannins, however, and the earthy elements are surprisingly appealing. Drink from 2024.

Score: **91** (jamesuckling.com, Nov. 7, 2019)

542191 (XD) 750 mL \$49.00



VENETO

RED WINE

**PRÀ MORANDINA AMARONE DELLA
VALPOLICELLA 2013**
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: The Prà 2013 Amarone della Valpolicella Morandina is a dense and thickly extracted expression that offers black fruit, dried prune, spice, leather, tar and tobacco all rolled together into a single, powerful delivery. The wine peels back thick layers to reveal a full-bodied style with just enough fresh acidity to keep it from feeling too rich or heavy. Pair this wine with barbecued baby back ribs. Drink date: 2019-2030.

Score: **93** (Monica Lerner, *robertparker.com*, Sept. 30, 2019)

267880 (D) 750 mL \$112.00

WHITE WINE

**I CAMPI CAMPO VULCANO SOAVE
CLASSICO 2018**
DOC

TASTING NOTE: This is a very minerally white with pumice, freshly squeezed lemons, orange blossom and petrichor. Cutthroat on the medium-bodied palate with piquant acidity and long, citrus flavors. Hints of praline on the complex finish. Drink now.

Score: **94** (jamesuckling.com, July 22, 2020)

269969 (XD) 750 mL \$30.00

PORTUGAL

*Two old-vine field-blend
expressions built for the cellar.*



RED WINE

**QUINTA DA FERRADOSA VINHAS
VELHAS TINTO 2016**

Sustainable, DOC Douro

TASTING NOTE: Passed from one historic Douro family to another, this quinta is now in the hands of Joaquim Calem. Old vines from a field-blend vineyard have gone into this dense and solid wine. Blackberry and damson fruit flavors contrast with the dark tannic core and the wood-aging flavors. This is a fine wine that will need further aging. Drink from 2021. Cellar Selection.

Score: **94** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, July 1, 2020)

20873 (XD) 750 mL \$66.00

**VINHO DE TALHA ASTRONAUTA
TINTO 2016**

DOC Alentejo
(Anibal José Coutinho)

TASTING NOTE: The 2016 Astronauta Vinho de Talha is a field blend, mostly old-vines (80 years) Moreto aged in clay amphorae. The winery describes the process this way: "Total skin and stems fermented and clay aged. Sealed inside with resin and honey wax, protected on top with olive oil, Roman style. [It spent] six months on the amphora, 18 months on steel." It comes in at 14.5% alcohol. This is beautiful on all fronts. It has velvet for texture, serious tannins and dried strawberry/cherry flavors on the finish.

There's a touch of garrigue, too, and a nod to restrained Grenache. Focused, precise and long on the finish, this is also brilliantly structured. It's not impossibly hard, but it is nowhere near ready. The tannins stop short of truly astringent, but they are too much right now. It's penetrating on the finish too. Drink date: 2021-2036.

Score: **95** (Mark Squires, *robertparker.com*, Aug. 30, 2019)

20946 (XD) 750 mL \$93.00

SPAIN

Long-lived reds, including the Ferrer Bobet Vinyes Velles 2016 sourced from 100-year-old vines, and two outstanding white wines from Rioja.



RED WINE

CELESTE RESERVA 2016

DO Ribera del Duero
(Miguel Torres)

This modern-styled Reserva, from the inimitable Torres, is sourced from hillside sites planted in Miocene limestone and marl at 895 meters above sea level. These factors combine to create a silky, refined wine with generous black fruit, cumin and spice, all with a clear, precise provenance.

10493 (XD) 750 mL \$35.00

CONTINO GRAN RESERVA 2014

DOCa Rioja

TASTING NOTE: Gorgeous notes of red plums, currants, vanilla spice, and candied flowers all emerge from the 2014 Gran Reserva. With full-bodied richness, a rounded, layered texture, plenty of mid-palate depth, and present yet ripe tannins, this beauty does everything right and can be drunk with incredible pleasure any time over the coming 10-15 years. This cuvée is based on 70% Tempranillo and the rest Graciano, Mazuelo, and Garnacha, all fermented and aged in new French and American oak. Drink date: 2020-2035. Score: **96** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Dec. 9, 2020)

480178 (XD) 750 mL \$40.00

FERRER BOBET VINYES VELLES 2016

DOCa Priorat

TASTING NOTE: Made from centenarian vines in Porrera, planted on slate soils. Careful harvest and winemaking, with grain selection. Fermented in large oak vats, then aged in French oak and bottle. Restrained on the nose, opening up

slowly to elegant blackcurrant fruit and spice. The wine is tightly structured, but suavely textured, very long and delicious. A benchmark for old-vine wine: power and finesse in lovely balance. Drinking window: 2020-2030.

Score: **95** (Pedro Ballesteros Torres, MW, decanter.com, March 21, 2020)

579896 (XD) 750 mL \$80.00

WHITE WINE

HERMANOS HERNÁIZ FINCA LA EMPERATRIZ GRAN VINO BLANCO 2016

DOCa Rioja

TASTING NOTE: The boldly named 2016 Finca la Emperatriz Gran Vino Blanco is pure Viura from 50- to 60-year-old vines from their estate vineyard in the Finca la Emperatriz, from which they produce only two whites and two reds, and the rest are from grapes grown outside the property. 2016 was a cool year, very good for whites, whose grapes were picked on October 6th and 7th. Half of the wine fermented in concrete and the other half in 225-liter oak barrels, and it matured for ten months in barrique and a further ten months in concrete. It has a clean and expressive nose with notes of white flowers and fruit, chamomile, hay and pollen, with the oak neatly integrated. The palate is fresh and also quite expressive, with great freshness and a long, lingering finish. Drink date: 2020-2028.

Score: **93** (Luis Gutiérrez, robertparker.com, June 28, 2019)

20704 (XD) 750 mL \$60.00

LOPEZ DE HEREDIA VIÑA TONDONIA RESERVA BLANCO 2009

DOCa Rioja

TASTING NOTE: Intense aromas of cooked lemon, dried apple, light vanilla and stone with some waxy and lanolin character. Full-bodied with a dense, layered palate with beautiful fruit, nougat and meringue at the finish. Really opens out. Unique. Drink now [to 2025+]. Score: **97** (jamesuckling.com, Dec. 15, 2020)

45500 (XD) 750 mL \$66.00

CANADA

A profound single-vineyard Ontario Chardonnay from vines approaching 40 years of age and a single-vineyard Okanagan Pinot Noir. Single-minded quality from Canada.



ONTARIO

WHITE WINE

TAWSE ROBYN'S BLOCK CHARDONNAY 2018

VQA Twenty Mile Bench, Niagara Escarpment

Sourced from the winery's oldest estate vines (now over 37 years of age), this wine is one of the standout single-vineyard expressions crafted in Niagara. Invariably complex and lively, it never fails to reflect its impeccable pedigree. John Szabo, MS, awarded the 2017 vintage a rating of 93 points (winealign.com, Aug. 19, 2019). The 2018 offers generous pear, lime and butterscotch. Drink now till 2028+.

416321 (XD) 750 mL \$46.15

BRITISH COLUMBIA

RED WINE

MEYER McLEAN CREEK ROAD VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2018

BC VQA Okanagan Valley

TASTING NOTE: Here's an energized, firm pinot with classic, lifted and very engaging aromas of red cherry, cranberry, violet, vanillin, bacon, roasted herbs and lovely oak spice. It is medium weight with fine smooth texture, lively almost tart acidity and fine-grained yet firm tannin. The length is excellent. Give it two years. Score: **92** (David Lawrason, winealign.com, Nov. 9, 2020)

16092 (XD) 750 mL \$49.00

AUSTRALIA

Big scores and bigger names from Down Under including the Torbreck The Factor 2016 and the single-vineyard Bleasdale The Powder Monkey Shiraz 2015.



RED WINE

BLEASDALE THE POWDER MONKEY SINGLE VINEYARD SHIRAZ 2015

Langhorne Creek, South Australia

TASTING NOTE: Matured in French oak (27% new) for 12 months, gold medal Melbourne Wine Awards '16. Previously tasted Jan '17, and has held its colour well – and all of its other features. In its youth I wrote 'It is very concentrated and powerful, but there's no sign of a midriff bulge. The fruits are all black, both berry and cherry, the oak and tannins built into the very fabric of the wine. Score: **97** (James Halliday, winecompanion.com.au, Aug. 1, 2020)

13567 (XD) 750 mL \$60.00

MOSS WOOD CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017

Wilyabrup, Margaret River, Western Australia

TASTING NOTE: Supremely elegant cabernet sauvignon with red and blue fruits, floral, violet, shoe box, cedar, nutmeg and nutty oak flavours. No single flavour dominates creating a delicious medley of appealing characters. Power delivered with subtlety. While it can be appreciated now I'd love to taste it in another decade (or two). Drink date: 2020-2037.

Score: **97** (Bob Campbell, MW, therealreview.com, April 3, 2020)

327684 (XD) 750 mL \$113.00

TORBRECK THE FACTOR 2016

Barossa Valley, South Australia

TASTING NOTE: Torbreck's 2016 The Factor incorporates what winemaker Ian Hongell calls their "most structured Shiraz, from a lot of ironstone soils." It spends two years in French oak barriques, half of which were new, so it shows hints of cedar pencil shavings and toasted coconut layered over ripe blackberries and spice. Full-bodied, rich and velvety, it finishes long, with terrific energy and drive. It should prove to be one of the longest-lived wines from this lineup. Drink date: 2020-2040. Score: **97** (Joe Czerwinski, robertparker.com, Feb. 28, 2019)

20347 (XD) 750 mL \$159.00

WAKEFIELD ST. ANDREWS SHIRAZ 2017

Clare Valley, South Australia

TASTING NOTE: This is an excellent example of cool-climate Shiraz. The nose is complex, with eucalypt and black fruits. The palate shows great black fruits, spice, pepper and a floral complexity. There is a coherence and freshness to the palate, which is very long and elegant. Good use of oak.

Score: **96** (International Wine & Spirit Competition, 2019)

626697 (XD) 750 mL \$60.00

WHITE WINE

FRANKLAND ESTATE ISOLATION RIDGE RIESLING 2018

Vegan, Frankland River, Western Australia

TASTING NOTE: OMG. Incredible complexity on the nose with crushed-stone, slate and lemon character. Some nutmeg and white pepper, too. Full-bodied with a crunchy and creamy palate that highlights the bitter-lemon and mineral flavors. Very, very long. Organic wine. Drink now [to 2033+].

Score: **96** (jamessuckling.com, Dec. 2, 2019)

17224 (XD) 750 mL \$40.00

NEW ZEALAND

The Pegasus Bay Riesling 2017 touts NZ's prowess with aromatic white wines.



WHITE WINE

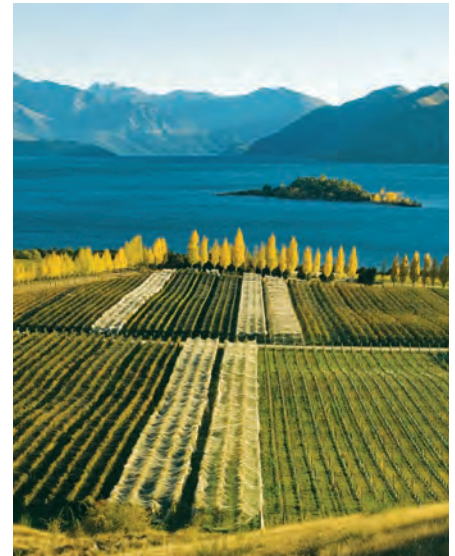
PEGASUS BAY RIESLING 2017

Waipara, South Island

TASTING NOTE: This has such attractive, reductive complexity that is woven deep into citrus marmalade, grapefruit, lemons and apricots. The palate has a very supple and succulent feel with attractive, ripe peaches and mangoes. Very complex texture. Superb. Drink or hold.

Score: **94** (jamessuckling.com, Oct. 16, 2019)

20089 (M) 750 mL \$39.00



SOUTH AFRICA

From Eikendal, a prime example of South Africa's masterful red blends, plus a Pinot Noir and a brace of Chenin Blancs that deliciously summarize SA's quality cool-climate offerings.



RED WINE

EIKENDAL CLASSIQUE 2017

WO Stellenbosch

TASTING NOTE: Firm, intense, backward and made to age, Classique is the Château Léoville-Las-Cases of Stellenbosch in some ways: a red wine that requires you to be patient. Cabernet Sauvignon-based with 49% Merlot, Petit Verdot and Cabernet Franc, it's dense, compact and richly oaked with sinewy tannins and supporting acidity. Drink date: 2023-2032.

Score: **95** (Tim Atkin, MW, timatkin.com, *South Africa Special Report 2019*)

574012 (XD) 750 mL \$39.00

STORM VREDE PINOT NOIR 2017

WO Hemel-en-Aarde Valley

TASTING NOTE: Hannes Storm makes three distinctive and very different Pinot Noirs from estate-grown fruit in the Hemel-en-Aarde Valley near Hermanus. The Vrede Pinot comes from an elevated vineyard site on shale soils and is very Burgundian in style but with a new world flair. Lush red fruit dominates the nose and palate with cherries and violets dominating before a lick of oak leads to more tertiary characters of soil and tomato leaf. Long and delicious. Drinking window: 2019-2024.

Score: **95** (Chris Wilson, decanter.com, Sept. 2019)

20532 (XD) 750 mL \$59.00



WHITE WINE

GABRIËLSKLOOF ELODIE THE LANDSCAPE SERIES CHENIN BLANC 2018

WO Swartland

TASTING NOTE: Chenin redolent of Swartland old vines. 2018 generous aromatic breadth, mouthfilling ripe flavours – baked pear, whiff of honey; added naunce via natural ferment, larger seasoned oak. Tense, mineral core carries deep flavours to great length. 2017 (4.5 stars, 93 pts) included Durbanville fruit.

Score: **95** (Angela Lloyd, *Platter's South African Wine Guide*, 2020)

13704 (XD) 750 mL \$45.00

METZER MARITIME SINGLE VINEYARD CHENIN BLANC 2018

WO Stellenbosch

TASTING NOTE: It's always tricky to decide between Wade Metzger's two site-specific Chenins (why not just buy them both?), but in 2018 this is my favourite. Made with fruit from a cool, False Bay-influenced, old-vine parcel, it's pale, refined and appropriately salty, with sea breeze freshness and oatmeal, beeswax and lanolin notes freshened by acidity. Drink date: 2020-2025.

Score: **95** (Tim Atkin, MW, timatkin.com, *South Africa Special Report 2019*)

17930 (XD) 750 mL \$43.00

ARGENTINA

A parade of high-scoring, high-altitude Malbec and Malbec-based offerings from Mendoza.



RED WINE

ACHAVAL FERRER FINCA BELLA VISTA MALBEC 2015

Sustainable, single vineyard, Perdriel, Mendoza

TASTING NOTE: Bella Vista is Achával Ferrer's home vineyard in Perdriel, planted in 1910 on alluvial soils and still on its own roots. It's a sweet, supple, remarkably intense wine with tobacco and sweet spice notes, hints of sun-dried tomato, scented oak and a core of appealing raspberry and wild strawberry fruit. Drink date: 2020-2028.

Score: **95** (Tim Atkin, MW, timatkin.com, *Argentina Special Report 2018*)

178103 (XD) 750 mL \$130.00

ESCORIHUELA GASCON THE PRESIDENT'S BLEND MALBEC/CABERNET SAUVIGNON/SYRAH 2018

Uco Valley, Mendoza

TASTING NOTE: 85% Malbec, 10% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Syrah. Pretty blue fruit notes with intriguing herbs, lavender and thyme over crunchy peppery raspberry undertones. Open and expressive with plenty of character, with a beautiful velvety texture and well-judged oak use.

Score: **97** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2020)

20325 (XD) 750 mL \$54.00

LUPA MALBEC 2018

Paraje Altamira, Uco Valley, Mendoza

TASTING NOTE: All made with fruit planted in the older part of Paraje Altamira north of the Canal Uco in 1947, this is a brilliant, small-volume Malbec from the modest Juan Pablo Lupiañez. Intense, subtle and very polished, it has aniseed and orange peel aromas, layered blackberry and black fig fruit, 35% new wood and scented Asian spices. Drink date: 2022-2026.

Score: **95** (Tim Atkin, MW, timatkin.com, *Argentina Special Report 2020*)

629964 (XD) 750 mL \$39.95

TRAPICHE FINCA COLETTO TERROIR SERIES MALBEC 2017

Single vineyard, El Peral, Mendoza

TASTING NOTE: The energy and electricity in this is exciting. Full-bodied, yet tight and extremely vertical. It takes you deep down. Blueberry and stone character. Complex, but always focused. So right now, but better in two or three years. Try in 2022.

Score: **97** (jamesuckling.com, Dec. 4, 2020)

482968 (XD) 750 mL \$45.00

TRAPICHE ISCAI MALBEC/CABERNET FRANC 2017

Mendoza

TASTING NOTE: The first vintage of Iscaï was the 1997, and at that time it was a blend of merlot and malbec. Today it's 70% malbec, and the rest is cabernet franc, all from vineyards in Gualtallary in northern Uco Valley. This is an intense and deep wine full of fruity, herbal, and spicy notes. In the beginning, it's all black fruit, but then it turns all tannins, and even later, it's all herbs. Give it time, because this wine deserves it, especially for its aging potential. Here's wine for a good while in the bottle.

Score: **96** (Patricio Tapia, *guiadescorchados.cl*, 2021)

450585 (XD) 750 mL \$60.00



CHILE

Chile's Maule Valley is home to some of the oldest plantings of Carignan in the world, so don't miss the Garage Wine Co. Vigno Old Vines Carignan 2017.



RED WINE

CLOS APALTA LE PETIT CLOS 2017

Apalta Valley, Colchagua Valley

TASTING NOTE: This is so delicious with blackcurrants, spice, sweet tobacco, lavender and roses. Full-bodied, tight and very polished with gorgeous texture and finesse. Shows tannin tension at the end. A blend of mostly cabernet sauvignon, the rest cabernet franc. Better after 2022. Score: **96** (jamesuckling.com, April 17, 2020)

15624 (XD) 750 mL \$73.00

GARAGE WINE CO. VIGNO OLD VINES CARIGNAN 2017

Dry farmed, Maule Valley

TASTING NOTE: I find the 2017 Vigno from Garage Wine Co. to be quite wild with notes of iron, wild flowers and lots of pollen, balsamic and expressive and in a way somewhat similar to the one from De Martino; I tasted 12 Vigno bottlings together, which made for a very

interesting comparison. This comes from Truquilemu, one of the coolest places in Maule, but 2017 was a warm year and also marked by brutal wildfires. The palate is sharp and has marked granite character and very good freshness. A great effort for the adverse conditions of the year! Drink date: 2020-2027.

Score: **96** (Luis Gutiérrez, robertparker.com, Feb. 28, 2020)

15625 (XD) 750 mL \$59.00

MATETIC VINEYARDS EQ SYRAH 2015

DO San Antonio Valley

TASTING NOTE: This is a sensational syrah that shows pressed violets and lavender, framed between enticing nuances of earth, bark and tea leaves. Not only is the palate structured, but it's also very polished, thanks to wonderfully dialed-in tannins and forthright acidity. Full-bodied and very long on the finish. Drink in 2025.

Score: **95** (jamesuckling.com, June 24, 2020)

252304 (XD) 750 mL \$39.00

USA

A stellar collection of cellar-worthy California wines, elegant offerings from Oregon's iconic Eyrie and a bold Meritage from Washington's historic Chateau Ste. Michelle.



CALIFORNIA

RED WINE

ANDIS OLD VINE DI STASIO VINEYARD ZINFANDEL 2018

Sierra Foothills

TASTING NOTE: This complex, well-spiced but also well-balanced wine starts with subtle oak nuances of cinnamon, toast and nutmeg, then reveals a core of rich, ripe black fruits and a mouthfilling texture buoyed by a touch of grippy tannin. Editors' Choice.

Score: **94** (Jim Gordon, *Wine Enthusiast*, Dec. 31, 2020)

20584 (XD) 750 mL \$55.00

ARROWOOD RÉSERVE SPÉCIALE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2015

Unfined and unfiltered, Sonoma Valley, Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: The deep purple-black colored 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Reserve Speciale (100% Cabernet Sauvignon) sings of fresh blackcurrants, warm plums, mulberries and black raspberries with touches of cedar chest, pencil lead, underbrush and sautéed herbs. Full-bodied and laden with black fruits and earth layers, it has a firm, grainy structure and a long, earthy finish. Drink date: 2021-2040.

Score: **96** (Lisa Perrotti-Brown, MW, robertparker.com, Oct. 29, 2018)

64568 (XD) 750 mL \$119.00

CARTE BLANCHE NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: A different beast, the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon (100% Cabernet Sauvignon) is more backward and reticent, and while it needs 4-5 years of bottle age, is packed with potential. Both black and blue fruits, earth, tobacco, and freshly crushed rock notes all flow to a full-bodied 2016 that has plenty of fine tannins, remarkable purity of fruit, and beautiful intensity and length. Do your best to give this some bottle age, and you'll be rewarded with a phenomenal Napa Valley Cabernet that will keep for 2-3 decades. Drink date: 2019-2039. Score: **97** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Jan. 31, 2019)

20591 (XD) 750 mL \$245.00

CORISON NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017

Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: From benchland vineyards, the winemaker's perennial beauty of a wine is structured, evolved, graceful and complex, with powerful floral aromatics of rose and violet. Earthy and herbal, it tastes of rock and iron, with bright underlying invitations of cassis, tangy cherry and plum. This will do well in the cellar; enjoy best from 2027 through 2030. Cellar Selection.

Score: **95** (Virginie Boone, *Wine Enthusiast*, Sept. 1, 2020)

569707 (XD) 750 mL \$175.00

DALLA VALLE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017

Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: Moving to the 2017 Cabernet Sauvignon, this cuvée is too often underrated and I think it's one of the most classy, balanced, high quality Cabernets coming from the valley. Deep purple-colored with beautiful blackcurrant fruits interwoven with lots of tobacco, crushed rocks, leafy herbs, and graphite, it hits the palate with full-bodied richness, ripe, present tannins, and stunning balance. It's going to

benefit from 4-5 years of bottle age and keep for 25 years or more. Maturity: 2024-2049.

Score: **97** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Jan. 31, 2020)

439893 (XD) 750 mL \$357.00

DALLA VALLE COLLINA 2017

Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: What could be thought of as the entry-level wine from this benchmark estate, the 2017 Collina is a blend of 50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 35% Cabernet Franc, and the rest Petit Verdot. There's not much made (600 cases) but it's a beautiful wine that certainly has the classic vibe of the estate as well as medium to full body, a rounded, textured mouthfeel, solid mid-palate density, and beautiful cassis, currants, Asian spice, and flowery incense aromatics. Given the prices of Napa Valley Bordeaux blends these days, it's a stunning value. Maturity: 2021-2036.

Score: **95** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Jan. 31, 2020)

403220 (XD) 750 mL \$156.00

DONELAN SONOMA COUNTY CUVÉE MORIAH 2016

Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: The gorgeous 2016 Cuvée Moriah is all class. Bright, vibrant and delineated, it beautifully blends 67% Grenache from Dry Stack (in Bennett Valley), 20% Mourvèdre (from Sonoma Valley) and 10% Syrah (from Sonoma Mountain). On the palate, it exudes balance and sophistication; the interplay of bright red-toned fruit and mouth-watering acids is compelling. The 2016 is one of the finest (maybe the finest) Cuvée Moriahs I can remember tasting. Don't miss it. Drinking window: 2021-2031.

Score: **95** (Antonio Galloni, vinous.com, May 2019)

523753 (XD) 750 mL \$95.00

FERRARI-CARANO TRÉSOR 2015

Sustainable, Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: Delightfully rich, charming and accessible, with ripe, firm tannins and a compelling core of rich dark berry, licorice, sage and cedar flavors. Impressive throughout. Cabernet Sauvignon, Malbec, Petit Verdot, Merlot and Cabernet Franc. Drink now through 2030.

Score: **93** (James Laube, winespectator.com, Oct. 31, 2018)

928150 (XD) 750 mL \$82.00

JUSTIN ISOSCELES 2017

Paso Robles

TASTING NOTE: Dark purple. Deep-pitched cassis, cherry-vanilla and pipe tobacco aromas are complemented by a building floral note and a hint of cracked pepper. Rich but energetic as well, showing solid thrust to the dark berry preserve, mocha and rose pastille flavors. Finishes on a smoky note, with strong tenacity, lingering floral oak spice character and steadily building tannins. All new French oak. Drinking window: 2024-2034.

Score: **93** (Josh Reynolds, vinous.com, Dec. 2020)

702654 (D) 750 mL \$109.00

L'AVENTURE ESTATE CUVÉE 2017

Paso Robles

TASTING NOTE: The flagship 2017 Estate Cuvée (49% Syrah, 30% Cabernet Sauvignon, and 21% Petit Verdot) spent 15 months in 90% new French oak, and I certainly blew the barrel review on this wine. It offers a brilliant bouquet of crème de cassis, crushed violets, lead pencil, chocolate, and a rocking sense of minerality. Deep, full-bodied, concentrated, and seamless on the palate, it's about as polished and sexy as they come in the vintage. Maturity: 2021-2036.

Score: **98** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Oct. 31, 2019)

390880 (XD) 750 mL \$167.00



L'AVENTURE OPTIMUS 2017

Paso Robles

TASTING NOTE: Blended of 49% Syrah, 41% Cabernet Sauvignon and 10% Petit Verdot, the deep ruby colored 2017 Optimus opens with aromas of fresh fruits – wild blackberries, crushed blueberries and sour cherries – along with loamy earth, touches of cured meats, saline and olives, very fresh and crunchy on the nose. Medium to full-bodied and silky, it has great intensity and interplay of red, black and blue fruits with spices and savory touches. It has a very classy frame of finely pixelated tannins and wonderful freshness, finishing long and lifted. This shows excellent restraint! It's drinking beautifully now but will reward another 3-5 years in the cellar. Drink date: 2021-2041.

Score: **93** (Erin Brooks, robertparker.com, Feb. 6, 2020)

683409 (XD) 750 mL \$85.00

PEAKE RANCH JOHN SEBASTIANO VINEYARD SYRAH 2018

Santa Rita Hills, Santa Barbara County

TASTING NOTE: The nose of black, blue, and red fruits, white pepper, bacon fat, and spring flowers on the 2018 Syrah John Sebastiano Vineyard is incredible and both a hedonistic and intellectual turn-on in every sense. Medium to full-bodied and multi-dimensional on the palate, with ultra-fine tannins, incredible purity, and a great, great finish, it's a Côte Rôtie look-alike that knocks it out of the park. It's going to be a candidate for the Syrah of the vintage.

Score: **95-97** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Oct. 31, 2019)

20588 (XD) 750 mL \$92.00

RODNEY STRONG ALEXANDER'S CROWN SINGLE VINEYARD CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

Alexander Valley, Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: Alexander's Crown Cabernet Sauvignon is grown inside the 22-mile-long Alexander Valley AVA, ranging in elevation from 250 to 350 feet. The Alexander's Crown Vineyard is a cold site when you consider its average daily temperature is 59 degrees Fahrenheit. It certainly explains its more delicate styling. It was first planted in 1971, and was the first single-vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon in the Alexander Valley. The 63-acre site is bathed in cool Pacific Ocean breezes. Only the Block 1 fruit, planted to Clone 4 over the top (crown) 15 acres of well-drained red volcanic soil makes it into the Crown. In 2016 most everything conspired to make it a fabulous year to grow fruit in California, and Sonoma in specific. The replanting of the Crown has paid huge dividends with ripe black and red fruits streaked with dried herbs and floral notes. The texture is opulent for a mountain wine and a cabernet sauvignon, allowing you to drink it now if you must. My advice is to cellar this wine for a decade, to enable it to spread its wings. Indeed, this is the best young Crown I have tasted, and it will only improve in the bottle.

Score: **93** (Anthony Gismondi, gismondionwine.com, Jan. 23, 2020)

329961 (XD) 750 mL \$99.00

STONESTREET ROCKFALL VINEYARD CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: Another gem that's going to flirt with perfection in a decade is the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Rockfall Vineyard. Based on 100% Alexander Valley Cabernet Sauvignon aged 20 months in 65% new French oak, its deep purple color is followed by a mammoth-sized bouquet of crème de cassis, lead pencil shavings, scorched earth, and graphite. Showing more spice and tobacco with time in the glass, it has incredible purity of fruit, building tannins, and flawless balance, all making for a majestic Sonoma Cabernet Sauvignon that will keep for 30 years or more. Maturity: 2019-2049.

Score: **98+** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, June 14, 2019)

249367 (XD) 750 mL \$159.00

**STORM PRESQU'ILE VINEYARD
PINOT NOIR 2016**

Santa Maria Valley,
Santa Barbara Country

TASTING NOTE: Raspberry-compote, bay leaf, juniper and blood-orange-rind aromas make for a richly layered yet light and bright expression from this vineyard on the western edge of the appellation. The palate is loaded with sagebrush and crisp raspberry, riding a gravelly texture into a rocky-flavored finish.

Score: **95** (Matt Kettman, *Wine Enthusiast*, Oct. 1, 2019)

20632 (XD) 750 mL \$77.00

THE MASCOT 2015

Napa Valley

This wine comes from the younger, hillside vines of BOND, Harlan Estate and Promontory. Aged five years before release, it's a powerful, hedonistic expression that will age for decades and offers a tantalizing insight into what winemaker Will Harlan is accomplishing across his range.

19583 (XD) 750 mL \$212.00

WHITE WINE

**BYRON NIELSON VINEYARD SANTA
MARIA VALLEY CHARDONNAY 2015**

Sustainable, Santa Maria Valley,
Santa Barbara Country

TASTING NOTE: Produced from Wente clone vines planted in 1999, the 2015 Chardonnay Nielson Vineyard offers up pronounced grapefruit, lemon curd, green mango and almond notes with wafts of crushed stones and baker's yeast. Medium to full-bodied, the palate is super intense, with layers of ripe, opulent fruit and a wicked backbone of racy acid, finishing with fantastic length. Drink date: 2017-2022.

Score: **93** (Lisa Perrotti-Brown, MW, robertparker.com, Sept. 29, 2017)

719138 (XD) 750 mL \$40.00

**FLANAGAN RITCHIE VINEYARD
CHARDONNAY 2017**

Russian River Valley, Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: This is great Ritchie Vineyard wine, gorgeously profiled in caramelized oak and a nutty lushness that's hard to resist. Full bodied with waves of fresh acidity, it delivers nuance amidst a fleshy, tropical power of fruit and layering.

Score: **94** (Virginie Boone, *Wine Enthusiast*, Aug. 1, 2019)

20589 (XD) 750 mL \$85.00

**LA CREMA KELLI ANN VINEYARD
CHARDONNAY 2017**

Russian River Valley, Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: The 2017 Chardonnay Kelli Ann Vineyard was barrel fermented and aged 15 months in 35% new French oak. It comes from vines off Eastside Road on the banks of the Russian River, planted in 1989. It opens to scents of yellow apple, salted almonds, crushed stone, lemon peel and meringue with a classy framing of sweet spice. The palate is light to medium-bodied and delicately intense, with appealing citrusy flavor layers and mouthwatering acidity, finishing long on a honeyed note. Drink date: 2019-2027.

Score: **93** (Erin Brooks, robertparker.com, Dec. 19, 2019)

20592 (XD) 750 mL \$60.00

**RAMEY RITCHIE VINEYARD
CHARDONNAY 2017**

Russian River Valley, Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: From a block planted in 1972 by the famous farmer, this outstanding white showcases salty stone and turned earth, with dried herb, baked lemon and green apple layered between powerful complexity and lasting elegance. Textured and youthful, it should be beautiful for years to come.

Score: **96** (Virginie Boone, *Wine Enthusiast*, Dec. 1, 2020)

20597 (XD) 750 mL \$105.00

OREGON

RED WINE

**EYRIE VINEYARDS ESTATE PINOT
NOIR 2017**

Dundee Hills, Willamette Valley

TASTING NOTE: A blend of all five Eyrie sites, this gives a gauge on the 2017 harvest here, as one that delivered fresh and complex style. Red-cherry, raspberry, blueberry and leafy aromas with gently earthy and spicy tones in equal measure. The palate has a very smooth core of fleshy red-cherry flavors and carries a velvety tannin texture long and fresh. Seriously complex pinot. Drink or hold. Score: **94** (jamesuckling.com, Jan. 30, 2020)

717405 (D) 750 mL \$64.00

**EYRIE VINEYARDS
THE EYRIE DUNDEE HILLS
PINOT NOIR 2016**

Dundee Hills, Willamette Valley

TASTING NOTE: This has quite a haunting edge to the nose (older vines at 47 years here), this has a very fragrant, supple and finely fruited and appealing feel with plenty of earth, foresty nuances and delicate spices in tow. The palate has a very resolved, deep and elegant feel. The tannins are fine and delicate at the surface and fully underwrite the palate in every corner. The fresh, spicy red cherries hold long, fresh and vibrant. Drink or hold.

Score: **96** (jamesuckling.com, July 2, 2019)

14933 (XD) 750 mL \$125.00



WHITE WINE

ELYRIE VINEYARDS DUNDEE HILLS CHARDONNAY 2018

Dundee Hills, Willamette Valley

TASTING NOTE: The 2018 Estate Chardonnay bursts with tangerine and lemon peel aromas with notes of beeswax and jasmine. The medium-bodied palate is satiny in texture with generous, juicy fruits and a long, uplifted finish. Drink date: 2020-2026.

Score: **93** (Erin Brooks, robertparker.com, Dec. 30, 2020)

14929 (XD) 750 mL \$48.00

WASHINGTON

RED WINE

CHATEAU STE. MICHELLE ARTIST SERIES MERITAGE 2014

Columbia Valley

TASTING NOTE: Quite bold and forthright with ripe red and dark fruits on the nose and palate. Deep-set mulberry and plum fruits drive the finish. Dark chocolate, too. This has supple fruit flesh and also handy tannin definition. 72% cabernet sauvignon, 20% merlot, 5% malbec and 3% cabernet franc. Drink or hold.

Score: **94** (jamessuckling.com, May 16, 2018)

499467 (XD) 750 mL \$84.00

DESSERT WINE

A Tuscan gem that will astound and delight for another three decades or more.

SAN GIUSTO A RENTENNANO VIN SAN GIUSTO 2012

IGT Toscana, Tuscany, Italy

TASTING NOTE: Wine is elevated to art when we consider the various Vin Santos made throughout Tuscany. This is most apparent in the stunning San Giusto a Rentennano 2012 Vin San Giusto, which opens to a dark amber color with polished copper highlights. The bouquet produces a never-ending stream of dried apricot, honey, prune, rum cake, button mushroom and brown sugar aromas. You also taste some of the cinnamon spice and vanilla essence that comes with prolonged aging in the tiny traditional oak casks used to make this precious wine. The wine is sweet, concentrated and syrupy on the finish. This is a true beauty. Drink date: 2020-2055.

Score: **97** (Monica Larner, robertparker.com, Aug. 31, 2020)

19958 (S) 375 mL \$88.00

FORTIFIED WINE

A young, powerful, heady Vintage Port that will demand patience, and a ready-to-enjoy 40-year-old Tawny.

FONSECA GUIMARAENS VINTAGE PORT 2018

Bottled in 2020, DOP, Portugal

TASTING NOTE: This is a powerhouse port – full throttle, dense, packed with fruit and very firm. The nose is not soaring at the moment, but I love the rich blackberry jam and plum aromas with white chocolate, spice and herbs. Licorice also emerges on the palate. It is almost

massive on the palate, but contained and very well balanced. Solid chewy tannins need a decade to melt a bit. A wine of this size will mature at a glacial pace. Outstanding length.

Score: **97** (David Lawrason, winealign.com, Nov. 28, 2020)

21297 (S) 750 mL \$157.00

GRAHAM'S 40-YEAR-OLD TAWNY PORT

DOP, Portugal

TASTING NOTE: A warm, lush style, with brown bread, fig compote, ginger marmalade and date flavors coating the palate before streaks of bitter orange and almond kick in, imparting cut and enlivening the finish. A note of incense weaves around it all, adding intrigue. Drink now.

Score: **96** (James Molesworth, winespectator.com, June 30, 2018)

558858 (S) 750 mL \$229.00

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FRANCE

Highlights include the 2010 Troplong Mondot from Bordeaux, a Montrachet from Bouchard in Burgundy, a Cornas from Northern and Châteauneuf-du-Pape from Southern Rhône, and impressive expressions of Alsace Grand Cru and Champagne.



BORDEAUX

RED WINE

CHÂTEAU CANTEMERLE 20145^e cru, AC Haut-Médoc

TASTING NOTE: I like the floral character, which highlights the aromas of currants and berries. Full body and a firm and tight center palate. Silky tannins and a savory and creamy-textured finish. A beautifully balanced red. Try in 2021, but it's already gorgeous to taste.

Score: **94** (jamessuckling.com, Feb. 13, 2017)

20741 (XD) 750 mL \$69.00

CHÂTEAU LÉOVILLE-BARTON 20142^e cru, AC Saint-Julien

TASTING NOTE: This wine, with its massive tannins and rich fruit, is obviously set for a long life. It does have the contrast of fresh black-currant acidity to give it a lift. But with the power behind it, the wine will develop slowly. Drink from 2025. Ranked #33 in *Wine Enthusiast's* Top 100 Cellar Selections of 2017, as well as *Wine Enthusiast's* Best of Year in 2017.

Score: **95** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, Feb. 1, 2017)

20745 (XD) 750 mL \$191.00

CHÂTEAU LILIAN LADOUYS 2016

AC Saint-Estèphe

TASTING NOTE: The blueberry and blackberry aromas are certainly attractive here. Full-bodied and dense with a very velvety texture and a long, generous finish of ripe fruit and spice. Drink from 2022.

Score: **93** (jamessuckling.com, Feb. 3, 2019)

20737 (XD) 750 mL \$49.00

CHÂTEAU PEYRABON 2009

AC Haut-Médoc

TASTING NOTE: Barrel sample. Complex wine, very smooth and polished, the sweet tannins softened by wood. There is a great vanilla character over the wafts of ripe fruit.

Score: **90-92** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, Aug. 1, 2010)

20869 (XD) 750 mL \$47.00

CHÂTEAU TROPLONG MONDOT 2010AC Saint-Émilion 1^{er} Grand Cru Classé (B)

TASTING NOTE: Deep garnet in color, the 2010 Troplong Mondot explodes with beautiful floral notes of red roses and candied violets over a core of plum preserves, kirsch and blueberry pie with a waft of bouquet garni. Full-bodied, rich and decadently fruited, it has bags of plush tannins and just enough freshness, finishing very long and sinfully hedonic. Drink date: 2020-2045.

Score: **98** (Lisa Perrotti-Brown, MW, robertparker.com, March 5, 2020)

20748 (XD) 750 mL \$400.00

MARQUIS DE MONS 2014

AC Margaux

TASTING NOTE: Plums and dried fruit with fresh-herb undertones. Medium body, fine tannins and a juicy finish. Drink now or hold.

Score: **90** (jamessuckling.com, Feb. 13, 2017)

633073 (XD) 750 mL \$40.00

BURGUNDY

CÔTE DE NUITS

RED WINE

DOMAINE BOUCHARD PÈRE & FILS LES CAILLES NUITS-SAINT-GEORGES 1^{ER} CRU 2018

AC

TASTING NOTE: Savory, black cherries and spice; fresh, good acidity. Very detailed, very fine and elegant.

Score: **95** (Margaret Rand, *The World of Fine Wine*, 2020)

652057 (XD) 750 mL \$149.00

DOMAINE LAUNAY-HORIOT LATRICIÈRES-CHAMBERTIN GRAND CRU 2018

AC

TASTING NOTE: A more deeply pitched and equally cool and restrained nose displays a ripe mix of red and dark berry fruit aromas that are trimmed in more evident sauvage and spice nuances. The sleek, elegant and almost delicate flavors brim with minerality before culminating in a youthfully austere and sneaky long finish. Once again, this is not super-dense, but it is wonderfully harmonious and a wine that should amply reward extended keeping. Drink date: 2033+.

Score: **93** (Allen Meadows, burghound.com, April 10, 2020)

20567 (XD) 750 mL \$412.00

JOSEPH DROUHIN CHAMBOLLE-MUSIGNY LES AMOUREUSES 1^{ER} CRU 2018

AC

TASTING NOTE: This is perhaps the most floral-infused wine in the range with terrific layering that includes perfumed notes of exotic tea, clove, red and dark fruit and a whiff of sandalwood. The refined, markedly stony and wonderfully delineated flavors possess a beguiling underlying tension before culminating in a palate coating, balanced and firm

finale. This is exceptionally classy and I very much like the Zen-like sense of harmony. In short, this is a knockout. Drink: 2030+. Don't miss! Outstanding. Score: **95** (Allen Meadows, burghound.com, April 10, 2020)

499533 (XD) 750 mL \$805.00

**PIERRE BRISSET LES ROUGES
DU DESSUS VOSNE-ROMANÉE
1^{ER} CRU 2018**
AC

TASTING NOTE: Reserved, especially on the nose. Toasted walnut skins. Orange and tamarind notes giving fresh tang and energy to evolved plum on the palate. Tight tannins. Blackberries and mushroom compost. Lots here but it hasn't quite all come together yet. When to drink: 2022-2029.

Score: **16.5+ out of 20** (Tamlyn Currin, jancisrobinson.com, April 23, 2020)

13779 (XD) 750 mL \$244.00

CÔTE DE BEAUNE
RED WINE

**DOMAINE BOUCHARD PÈRE & FILS
LE CORTON GRAND CRU 2018**
AC

TASTING NOTE: Clear bright fresh purple. Light clay, red coloured on top of hard Corton limestone. Lively deep plums and some dark raspberry, very slinky and seductive with some black fruit on the palate, but retains a lively limestone feel to it. Very persistent.

Score: **92-95** (Jasper Morris, MW, insideburgundy.com, Nov. 2019)

973834 (XD) 750 mL \$199.00

**DOMAINE LAUNAY-HORiot
LES CHAPONNIÈRES POMMARD
1^{ER} CRU 2018**
AC

TASTING NOTE: Reflecting the lighter touch with oak that has been apparent at this domaine in the last two years, this is a plum and red berry fruity Pommard with

finesse, balance and elegance, showing some tannic backbone but nothing in the way of rusticity. Les Chaponnières sits below Les Rugiens-Bas but has much deeper soils than its neighbour with less iron oxide. Drinking window: 2021-2028. Score: **93** (Tim Atkin, MW, decanter.com, Oct. 17, 2018)

20566 (XD) 750 mL \$143.00

**DOMAINE TAWSE
SAVIGNY-LÈS-BEAUNE
LES LAVIÈRES 1^{ER} CRU 2018**
AC

TASTING NOTE: The 2018 Savigny-lès-Beaune Les Lavières 1^{er} Cru includes 30% whole bunch and 20% new oak. It has an intense blueberry and blackberry bouquet that needs a little more minerality and terroir expression. The medium-bodied palate displays good balance, delivering crisp tannins and a fine bead of acidity; here the terroir is expressed more clearly. This comes to an attractive peppery finish. Fine. Drinking window: 2023-2035.

Score: **89-91** (Neal Martin, vinous.com, Jan. 2020)

487371 (XD) 750 mL \$63.00

**LUCIEN MUZARD VIEILLES VIGNES
SANTENAY 2018**
AC

TASTING NOTE: Generous and expressive, the 2018 Santenay Vieilles Vignes evokes notions of ripe cherries, strawberries and plums. Medium to full-bodied, velvety and enveloping, it's one of the supplest, most charming reds in the Muzard range this year and it will drink well young. Drink date: 2020-2030.

Score: **89** (William Kelley, robertparker.com, June 11, 2020)

20444 (XD) 750 mL \$44.00

**PIERRE BRISSET VOLNAY
1^{ER} CRU CAILLERETS 2016**
Unfiltered, AC

TASTING NOTE: Spiced, almost cured-meat-like in its sweet, tangy, spicy fragrance. Full of sap and vigour, that spice – coriander and fennel seed, a

hint of dried dill – running like fine electric threads through ripe, delicious red fruit. Prancing, tossing its mane. And a long, delicious raspberry-dust finish. When to drink: 2020-2030.

Score: **16.5 out of 20** (Tamlyn Currin, jancisrobinson.com, Aug. 29, 2018)

19713 (XD) 750 mL \$155.00

WHITE WINE

**BOUCHARD PÈRE & FILS
MONTRACHET GRAND CRU 2018**
AC

TASTING NOTE: The finish is what really makes this the great grand cru that it is. It's full-bodied, yet so tight and compressed with a very dense center palate. Compact and solid with a superb core of fruit. So much dried-apple, cream, nougat, stone and mineral character. Some white truffle, too. It's tight and very, very long. The creamy, phenolic texture melts into the wine. Drinkable now, but needs three to four years to open. Try after 2023.

Score: **97** (jamesuckling.com, Nov. 5, 2020)

402040 (XD) 750 mL \$1,040.00

**LUCIEN MUZARD ET FILS
MALADIÈRE SANTENAY
1^{ER} CRU 2019**
AC

"[T]his family domaine, now directed by brothers Claude and Hervé, dates back to the 1960s and today numbers among the more interesting, forward-thinking addresses in the southern Côte de Beaune. Replanting with high-quality selections massale, limiting yields, working the soils and farming organically ... the Muzards seek balance without rusticity in their wines, using some whole-cluster fermentation followed by maturation in barrels and foudres." William Kelley, robertparker.com, June 11, 2020.

20447 (XD) 750 mL \$60.00

PIERRE BRISSET
CHASSAGNE-MONTRACHET
1^{ER} CRU LA GRANDE MONTAGNE
2018
 AC

TASTING NOTE: Deep, complex, toasted pine nuts and smoke. Magnificent minerality, like a vinous salt lick of ground toasted hazelnuts, fresh-poured concrete, chalk, clay wet on a potter's wheel, cold green apples and pickled lime peel. Long and fierce and driven. Stunning salty finish. When to drink: 2020-2028.

Score: **17.5 out of 20** (Tamlyn Currin, jancisrobinson.com, April 30, 2020)

19714 (XD) 750 mL \$172.00

CHABLIS

WHITE WINE

CHANSON FOURCHAUMES
CHABLIS 1^{ER} CRU 2018
 AC

TASTING NOTE: Subtlety marks out this wine's reticent nose. The palate then sweeps in with taut but juicy freshness, adding pear juiciness to that cool, lemon drive. It has concentration and a pithy texture that spells depth, coolness and harmony, despite the heat of the vintage. The wine is really well done and properly long.

Score: **94** (Anne Krebiehl, MW, *Wine Enthusiast*, Dec. 31, 2020)

20658 (XD) 750 mL \$54.00

DOMAINE NATHALIE ET GILLES
FÈVRE CHABLIS VAUORENT
1^{ER} CRU 2018
 AC

TASTING NOTE: 100% Chardonnay. Stylish oyster shell and iodine mineral notes underpinned by an attractive floral poise; vibrant and pure with a lavish fruit profile and generous, rich weightiness, all rounded off with a complex salty freshness.

Score: **97** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2020)

20384 (XD) 750 mL \$63.00

DOMAINE PINSON FRÈRES
MONTMAIN CHABLIS 1^{ER} CRU 2018
 AC

TASTING NOTE: The 2018 Chablis Montmain 1^{er} Cru was vinified mainly in stainless steel and spent 9 months in barrel. It has a clean, fresh, slightly chalky nose that is nicely delineated and exudes much more Chablis DNA than the Village Cru. The palate is very well balanced, with a fine bead of acidity, and lightly honeyed in texture, revealing hints of dried mango and apricot. The finish is richer than expected. Very fine. Drinking window: 2021-2032.

Score: **91** (Neal Martin, vinous.com, Sept. 2020)

340240 (XD) 750 mL \$59.00

DOMAINE WILLIAM FEVRE CHABLIS
1^{ER} CRU FOURCHAUME 2018
 AC

TASTING NOTE: The 2018 Chablis Fourchaume 1^{er} Cru is superb. Rich and ample with tremendous structure, the 2018 possesses terrific depth and textural resonance throughout the finish. Orchard fruit, lemon confit, almond and menthol infuse the 2018 with notable complexity and intensity. Textured, oily and deep with a bit of a savory edge, the 2018 has so much to offer.

Score: **92-94** (Antonio Galloni, vinous.com, Jan. 2020)

976746 (XD) 750 mL \$69.00



RHÔNE

NORTHERN RHÔNE

RED WINE

DOMAINE COURBIS LES EYGATS
CORNAS 2018
 AC

TASTING NOTE: From a cooler parcel of pure granite soils, the 2018 Cornas Les Eygats is probably the most classic Cornas in the lineup (although these all have plenty of Cornas character) with its more mineral, iron, and almost bloody style. Loaded with massive amounts of blue and black fruits, violets, and crushed rock nuances, this full-bodied, multi-dimensional, seamless Cornas has polished tannins, flawless balance, and a monster of a finish. This broad, expansive, sexy Cornas should drink well for 20+ years. Maturity: 2020-2042.

Score: **98** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Nov. 19, 2020)

719385 (XD) 750 mL \$91.00

WHITE WINE

CUILLERON LES CHAILLETS
CONDRIEU 2018
 AC

TASTING NOTE: Brilliant straw-yellow. Penetrating aromas of fresh citrus, orchard fruits and violet are complicated by suggestions of quinine and dusty minerals. Juicy and deeply concentrated on the palate, offering intense white peach, pear nectar and orange zest flavors that show outstanding clarity and tension. The floral note repeats emphatically on the incisive finish, which lingers with superb focus and tenacity. Drinking window: 2021-2027.

Score: **95** (Josh Reynolds, vinous.com, May 2020)

559757 (XD) 750 mL \$86.00

SOUTHERN RHÔNE

RED WINE

**DOMAINE DE LA CHARBONNIÈRE
LES HAUTES BRUSQUIÈRES CUVÉE
SPÉCIALE CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE
2017**

AC

TASTING NOTE: The 2017 Chateauneuf du Pape Les Hautes Brusquieres Cuvee Speciale combines concentration with finesse and complexity in a way rarely seen in such an expansive, full-bodied wine (16% alcohol on the label). Notes of red raspberries and maraschino cherries lead the way, but they're supplemented by hints of garrigue, tea, roses and dried spices in this 60-40 blend of Grenache and Syrah. Mouthfilling and silky, it shows terrific length and hides the warmth that often plagues dry wines of this magnitude. Drink date: 2020-2030. Score: **96** (Joe Czerwinski, robertparker.com, Oct. 30, 2020)

579581 (XD) 750 mL \$87.00

**DOMAINE LES ONDINES PASSION
VACQUEYRAS 2017**

AC

TASTING NOTE: Hand harvested fruit is partially destemmed and fermented with indigenous yeasts in stainless steel, then aged in oak barrels and tronconic vats. This has an interesting nose, probably from the stalks, of leaf tea and cranberry – but it works. The palate is medium-bodied, very fresh and bright, bristling with berry acids. A long finish shows good finesse. One of the most drinkable Vacqueyrases of the vintage. Drinking window: 2019-2022.

Score: **93** (Matt Walls, decanter.com, Oct. 31, 2018)

536854 (XD) 750 mL \$44.00

ALSACE

WHITE WINE

**GUSTAVE LORENTZ ALTENBERG
DE BERGHEIM VIEILLES VIGNES
GEWURZTRAMINER 2015**

AC Alsace Grand Cru

TASTING NOTE: Lifted aromas of chamomile and dried apple carry edges of wet hay and earth on the nose. The palate brings all of these notions into a concentrated core with lemony verve. It's a dry, intense Riesling that has only just started to unfold. While delicious now, it will continue to evolve well through 2040. Quintessential Wines. Score: **95** (Anne Krebiehl, MW, *Wine Enthusiast*, Nov. 2019)

499673 (M) 750 mL \$56.00

**JEAN BIECHER & FILS
SCHOENENBOURG RIESLING 2019**

AC Alsace Grand Cru

TASTING NOTE: Subtle but fresh notes of lemon and lemon zest are subdued on the shy nose of this wine. They also characterize the concentrated palate where they are joined by zesty lemon ripeness. Alive with freshness, this carries a gorgeously bitter note of pith that makes it all the more thrilling. The finish is bright, dry and long.

Score: **96** (Anne Krebiehl, MW, *Wine Enthusiast*, Nov. 1, 2020)

469767 (D) 750 mL \$26.00

CHAMPAGNE**FRESNE DUCRET LA GRANDE
HERMINE 1^{ER} CRU CHAMPAGNE
2008**

AC

TASTING NOTE: This is a very intense yet nuanced and superbly balanced vintage Champagne. The nose is a blast of finely woven brioche, baked apple, lemon, hay and hazelnut – classic aromatics. It is medium bodied, bracing, dry with great acid grip and minerality. Such focus and outstanding length. Such presence! Score: **95** (David Lawrason, winealign.com, Sept. 18, 2020)

14636 (XD) 750 mL \$82.00

**LAURENT-PERRIER CUVÉE GRAND
SIÈCLE ITERATION #24 BRUT
CHAMPAGNE**

AC

TASTING NOTE: A fantastic prestigious cuvée this year with a solid core of fruit that makes it so serious and structured. Like a grand cru Burgundy. Full body. Lightly chewy. Phenolic tension gives it form and beauty. This is the first year to use numbers. 55% chardonnay and 45% pinot noir. 2007, 2006 and 2004. Drink or hold.

Score: **97** (jamessuckling.com, Sept. 2, 2019)

20000 (XD) 750 mL \$250.00

**NICOLAS FEUILLETE PALMES D'OR
BRUT CHAMPAGNE 2008**

AC

TASTING NOTE: Complex aromas of dried citrus fruit, such as orange and peach with pie crust. Some brioche. White pepper. Full-bodied, dense and layered. Very deep and beautiful. Needs time to come together, but already a beauty.

Score: **94** (jamessuckling.com, Sept. 2, 2019)

20702 (XD) 750 mL \$190.00

MIDI

RED WINE

GÉRARD BERTRAND LE VIALA 2019
AP Minervois-La Livinière

"Le Viala is the flagship label at Château Laville Bertrou in Minervois La Livinière. It grows on a small 3-hectare block of vines. The style is opulent, reflecting its marlstone/chalky limestone soils that date back millions of years. The mix is classic Languedoc: syrah, grenache, and carignan. The grenache (20%) and carignan (15%) are whole-bunch vat fermented (carbonically), while the syrah is fermented traditionally with a percentage of whole bunches in the mix. Everything is aged one year in oak and stored a further year at the winery before release." Anthony Gismondini, gismondiniwine.com, Oct. 19, 2019.

387613 (XD) 750 mL \$75.00

AUSTRIA

Proof that Austrian vineyards can work absolute wonders with Riesling.



WHITE WINE

BRÜNDLMAYER KAMPTALER TERRASSEN RIESLING 2019

Estate bottled, Kamptal

TASTING NOTE: A very tight, composed white, showing dried-apple, lemon and spiced-pear character with heather and honeysuckle. It's full-bodied with lots of lively fruit and a vivid finish. Structured. Super wine at this quality level from one of the legends. From organically grown grapes. Drink or hold. Score: **95** (jamesuckling.com, Jan. 14, 2021)

20665 (D) 750 mL \$29.00

GERMANY

A pair of Riesling sweeties from Mosel and Rheingau, respectively.



MOSEL

WHITE WINE

BISCHÖFLICHE WEINGÜTER TRIER AYLER KUPP RIESLING KABINETT 2018

Prädikatswein

TASTING NOTE: Here is a very serious sweet Riesling with beautifully balanced aromas and flavors of pear and peach that are intertwined with wet stone minerality. It starts pretty and finishes strong, with a lingering integrated fruit and spice impression that hangs intriguingly. You won't tire of this even at its five plus percent residual sugar – it's got the backbone to carry it off. A Platinum Award winner at the 2020 Sommelier Challenge International Wine & Spirits Competition.

Score: **95** (Rich Cook, winereviewonline.com, Sept. 15, 2020)

445809 (MS) 750 mL \$28.00

RHEINGAU

WHITE WINE

BERG ROTTLAND RIESLING SPÄTLESE 2017

Sustainable, VDP Grosse Lage

TASTING NOTE: Tropical guava, pineapple and melon flavors are offset by a spicy mineral tone in this lusciously ripe spätlese. It's a luscious, semisweet swirl of fruit and caramel flavors balanced by piercing acidity and slate. Gorgeous already but this is concentrated enough to improve through 2030, and likely longer.

Score: **93** (Anna Lee C. Iijima, *Wine Enthusiast*, April 1, 2019)

20709 (MS) 750 mL \$38.00

ITALY

Powerhouse wines from Piedmont, a trove of treasures from Tuscany and stunning selections from Campania, Friuli, Sicily, Umbria, Veneto and Südtirol-Alto Adige.



CAMPANIA

RED WINE

NATIV BLU ONICE IRPINIA AGLIANICO 2017

DOC

TASTING NOTE: You don't notice the sumptuous blackberries and elderberries at first, because they're hiding behind an array of lightly toasted herbs and spices. The full-bodied palate is also more held-back than you might expect, as firm, steely tannins and meandering acidity cut a sleek form. Even so, this is a bold, impressive wine, all the better for its lack of overindulgence. Drink from 2023.

Score: **94** (jamesuckling.com, Nov. 7, 2019)

19486 (XD) 750 mL \$33.00

FRIULI

WHITE WINE

JERMANN CAPO MARTINO 2018

IGT Venezia Giulia

TASTING NOTE: (Translated from the Italian) A blend of only native variety vines (Malvasia Istriana, Picolit, Ribolla Gialla and Tocai Friulano), and thus true expression of its land, this wine presents itself with a floral bouquet of rare elegance, which also recalls a fruit salad in splendid harmony, fresh and exotic. Chapeau.

Score: **93** (*Gambero Rosso Magazine*, 2021)

20998 (XD) 750 mL \$103.00

MARCHE

WHITE WINE

UMANI RONCHI PLENIO CLASSICO RISERVA VERDICCHIO DEI CASTELLI DI JESI 2017

DOC

TASTING NOTE: 100% Verdicchio Bianco. Aromas of fresh almonds and picked lemon zest with note of dry white peach. Subtle oak, very nicely integrated. Score: **94** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2020)

324004 (XD) 750 mL \$32.00

PIEDMONT

RED WINE

CORDERO DI MONTEZEMOLO MONFALLETTO BAROLO 2016

DOCG

TASTING NOTE: With most of its fruit from the Gattera vineyard, the Cordero di Montezemolo 2016 Barolo Monfalletto is a proprietary blend of fruit from La Morra, where this historic winery is headquartered, near the iconic cedar of Lebanon that dominates this picture-perfect landscape. This is a fabulous set of new releases, starting with this classic (entry-level) Barolo that is linear, direct and beautifully focused. The fruit is soft,

elegant and open-knit in nature, with berry nuances, oak spice and crushed limestone. I also notice a specifically minty note that I recall from previous vintages, only it appears with more brilliant clarity in this beautiful 2016. Drink date: 2023-2040.

Score: **95** (Monica Larner, robertparker.com, July 23, 2020)

707364 (XD) 750 mL \$70.00

**RIZZI RISERVA
BOITO BARBARESCO 2014**
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Classic Nebbiolo aromas of wild red berry, rose petal, star anise and a whiff of aromatic herbs are front and center on this full-bodied red. Reflecting the nose, the structured palate doles out juicy red cherry, pomegranate, licorice and a hint of tobacco alongside tightly knit, polished tannins and vibrant acidity. It's still youthfully austere with good aging potential. Drink 2022-2029. Score: **96** (Kerin O'Keefe, *Wine Enthusiast*, Sept. 1, 2019)

19490 (XD) 750 mL \$80.00

**SAN BIAGIO ROCCHETTEVINO
BAROLO 2015**
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: A juicy and powerful red with cedar, hazelnut and plum aromas and flavors. Hints of balsamic. Full body. Round, smoky and chewy tannins. Goes on for minutes. A real beauty. Drink after 2021.

Score: **95** (jamesuckling.com, Nov. 7, 2019)

19487 (XD) 750 mL \$55.00

**TORRACCIA DEL PIANTAVIGNA
GHEMME RISERVA 2012**
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: 90% Nebbiolo, 10% Vespolina. Vibrant cherry and raspberry nose. Rich, spicy and polished with suave tannins and a creamy texture, this is concentrated and complex. There is admirable energy and drive on the prodigiously long finish. It's quite a beauty!

Score: **97** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2020)

21000 (XD) 750 mL \$65.00

**VOERZIO MARTINI LA SERRA
BAROLO 2016**
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Dense and very layered with pretty, polished tannins and aromas and flavors of cherries, dried strawberries and hints of cedar. It's full-bodied and intense. Drink after 2022.

Score: **95** (jamesuckling.com, Aug. 4, 2020)

15051 (D) 750 mL \$68.00

SICILY

RED WINE

**FEUDO MACCARI MAHÂRIS
SYRAH 2017**
DOC Sicilia

TASTING NOTE: Impressive aromas of spice, nutmeg, white pepper and ripe fruit. Full-bodied, tight and focused with blackberries and licorice and some hot white stones. Solid, pure syrah. Balanced. Drink or hold.

Score: **94** (jamesuckling.com, Nov. 7, 2019)

583500 (XD) 750 mL \$40.00

TENUTA DI FESSINA ERSE 2017
DOC Etna

TASTING NOTE: Sliced strawberries with clove and floral aromas and some lava notes. Full body, firm, silky tannins and a chewy texture. Shows intensity and focus. Drink or hold.

Score: **93** (jamesuckling.com, Nov. 7, 2019)

488601 (XD) 750 mL \$28.00

TUSCANY

RED WINE

**ALTESINO MONTOSOLI BRUNELLO
DI MONTALCINO 2015**
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: A very nuanced but powerful Brunello showing hibiscus, raspberry tea, gunpowder, petrichor, dried orange rind and spearmint. The rows of sharp tannins are very defined and agile,



and the acidity is tensely strung up in overtures of vivacious red fruit. A beautiful, nimble Brunello 2015. Drink from 2024.

Score: **97** (jamesuckling.com, Sept. 20, 2020)

92247 (XD) 750 mL \$130.00

**CAPARZO LA CASA BRUNELLO DI
MONTALCINO 2015**
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Beautiful combination here of balanced orange and lemon rind and riper glazed cherries, terracotta and scorched earth. Mushroom too. Tightly wound and elegant with a persistent core of mineral acidity and finely wrapped-up tannins. Drink from 2021.

Score: **97** (jamesuckling.com, Sept. 20, 2020)

20750 (XD) 750 mL \$79.95

**CASTELLO DI BOSSI GRAN
SELEZIONE CHIANTI CLASSICO
2016**
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: A stunning Chianti Classico Gran Selezione that shows pure lavender and violets, in addition to riper dark cherries, tea leaves, olives, eucalyptus and spice box. Very structured and muscular on the palate, which encompasses layers of dark fruit and plenty of driving acidity to take this through to a long, chewy finish. Drink from 2024.

Score: **97** (jamesuckling.com, Nov. 26, 2019)

13699 (XD) 750 mL \$54.00

FULIGNI RISERVA BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2013
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Rose, wild berry, camphor and a whiff of exotic spice float out of the glass along with a hint of new leather. Radiant and loaded with finesse, the taut, elegantly structured palate delivers juicy red cherry, strawberry compote, baking spice and licorice while fine-grained tannins and vibrant acidity provide balance and support. Drink 2021-2035. Cellar Selection.

Score: **96** (Kerin O'Keefe, *Wine Enthusiast*, May 1, 2019)

294090 (XD) 750 mL \$165.00

PETROLO GALATRONA 2018
DOC Val d'Arno di Sopra

TASTING NOTE: A 100% Merlot cuvée that totally delivers. This is seductive with tons of finesse and layers of liquorice and olive paste with grip and smoked swirls of grilled oak. I love the confidence and complexity of this wine. 2018 had less extreme temperatures than 2017 in this corner of Chianti, and it gives a lilted freshness while still guarding the wild fig and rosemary aromatics that give a sense of place. Fermentation is in small barrels and amphoras, with manual punching down of the skins. Overall, a gorgeous wine and an extremely easy bottle to recommend. 20,000 bottles, with the Place de Bordeaux responsible for all distribution outside of Italy. Organic certified since 2016. Owner and winemaker Luca Sanjust worked with the late Denis Durantou of L'Eglise Clinet during the early years of Petrolo, and certainly you can see some of the deft playing with the possibilities of Merlot that became the signature of both men. Drinking window: 2023-2043.

Score: **97** (Jane Anson, *decanter.com*, Sept. 4, 2020)

21998 (D) 750 mL \$186.00

RUFFINO DUCALE ORO GRAN SELEZIONE RISERVA CHIANTI CLASSICO 2014
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: This is fairly pale garnet colour from extended barrel ageing given to gran selezione bottlings. It has a nicely lifted, complex nose of cranberry redcurrant fruit, cedar, leather and spice – all nicely meshed. It is medium weight, elegant, warmish and spicy with mild tannin. Quite concentrated with excellent length. Best in another year or two.

Score: **92** (David Lawrason, *winealign.com*, Oct. 23, 2018)

905927 (XD) 1500 mL \$121.00

SAN FELICE CAMPOGIOVANNI BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2015
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Campogiovanni is an estate run by San Felice in Chianti Classico, and its 2015 Brunello di Montalcino Campogiovanni is a lovely, dark and savory wine to serve with a platter of fatty charcuterie and aged tomme cheese. The bouquet is elegant and linear, showing a pretty ensemble of dark fruit, cassis and dried cherry. This vintage is particularly well balanced, with soft spice and crisp acidity competing for your attention and keeping things bright and interesting. Drink date: 2021-2035. Score: **94** (Monica Larner, *robertparker.com*, Oct. 15, 2020)

991075 (XD) 750 mL \$68.00

UMBRIA

RED WINE

MORETTI OMERIO MONTEFALCO SAGRANTINO 2016
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: 100% Sagrantino. If you've never tried a Sagrantino di Montefalco, you're in for a surprise – or a shock. This indigenous Umbrian speciality is hugely characterful, and perfectly illustrates Italy's almost limitless capacity for wine intrigue. It's a dark wine, and this oaked example smells brooding, almost smoky but complex, too: the smell of the hills in autumn. It's deep and

fiercely intense as well as amply tannic – but not harsh for all that, since the wild forest plum fruits are sweet and sumptuous, and those tannins bond happily both to the fruits as well as to the wine's glycerol and oak chamfering. It is, in sum, a complete original – but our judges loved it, so there's a good chance that readers might too.

Score: **97** (*Decanter World Wine Awards*, 2020)

20209 (XD) 750 mL \$52.00

VENETO

RED WINE

SERGIO ZENATO RISERVA AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO 2015
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: An Amarone for the future with terrific richness and tannin power, offering dried fruit, figs, blackberries, bark, mushrooms and hints of wood. Full-bodied and very structured with a powerful finish. It needs a lot of time to come around. Try it after 2024. Score: **98** (*jamesuckling.com*, Dec. 21, 2020)

132316 (D) 750 mL \$114.00

SÜDTIROL-ALTO ADIGE

WHITE WINE

NALS MARGREID SIRMIAN PINOT BIANCO 2019
DOC Südtirol-Alto Adige

TASTING NOTE: Sliced cooked apples with limes and some stones. White peaches and minerals, too. Full-bodied with creamy texture and lovely fruit. Focused and persistent. A great white. Drink or hold.

Score: **95** (*jamesuckling.com*, Jan. 14, 2021)

340810 (XD) 750 mL \$35.00

PORTUGAL

Reds from Alentejo, Dão and Douro provide the latest revelatory triumphs from Portugal.



RED WINE

HERDADE DE SÃO MIGUEL RESERVA 2017

DOC Alentejo

TASTING NOTE: This is a powerful wine with big tannins and dense black fruits. Its blend, dominated by Alicante Bouschet, guarantees the tannins, the firm structure and the wine's aging potential. Drink from 2021. Cellar Selection.

Score: **93** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, Nov. 1, 2019)

538546 (XD) 750 mL \$47.00

QUINTA DA FALORCA OLD VINES GARRAFEIRA 2015

DOC Dão

(Quinta Vale das Escadinhas)

TASTING NOTE: The 2015 Garrafeira Quinta da Falorca Old Vines, the first since the 2011 (the winery will have relatively few red 2014s and 2013s, both tough vintages) is a field blend (40+ different grapes) from centenarian old vines, although about 60% is estimated to be Touriga Nacional. It was aged for 24 months in new French oak and comes in at 14% alcohol. When last seen, this was not yet bottled, but it sure looked super. Refined and sensual, this touches all the bases. The first impression is that nose. You might want to just smell this. It is so sexy and so flowery in aromatics that it is a shame to drink it. Still, soldier on, because it is equally gorgeous on the palate. It coats the palate, in fact, and the blue fruits are delectable on the finish. Given the late release, the tannins are controlled and you can drink this now. However, it is still firm on the finish and could use more time. It certainly has the structure to support the fruit as it ages. Drink date: 2020-2040.

Score: **96** (Mark Squires, robertparker.com, Aug. 30, 2019)

339184 (XD) 750 mL \$99.00

QUINTA DO BRONZE 2015

DOC Douro

(Lua Cheia em Vinhas Velhas)

TASTING NOTE: This is the first release from a little-known quinta in a privileged position on the Pinhão river. The wine is very fine, impressively rich and full of dark tannins and further potential. The black fruits and acidity bring out the structure and will help the aging. Drink from 2022. Cellar Selection.

Score: **94** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, Nov. 1, 2019)

20706 (D) 750 mL \$89.00

SPAIN

The star power of red wines of Rioja and Ribera are joined here by a quirky accomplice in the form of a 100% Monastrell from Jumilla.



RED WINE

BSI GÉMINA CUVÉE SELECCIÓN 2016

DOP Jumilla

TASTING NOTE: 100% Monastrell. There is a pulse here: blackcurrant, warming cinnamon spice and some black cherries across the mouth, elevated by clove spice, mint and a faint whiff of dark chocolate. Highly drinkable and enjoyable. Full-bodied, rich style of wine. Score: **95** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2020)

21052 (XD) 750 mL \$35.00

FINCA VILLACRECES 2017

DO Ribera del Duero

TASTING NOTE: I also tasted the 2017 Finca Villacreces from a very challenging year that they consider very good for their vineyards despite the loss of 50% of the crop. It's a blend of Tempranillo with 8% Cabernet Sauvignon and 2% Merlot that matured in French oak barrels (50% of them new) for 14 months. I was pleasantly surprised by this wine, given the extremely challenging conditions of the year; and it didn't only show well on its own, it showed better than the 2016 that I tasted next to it! It's perhaps a lighter year, but the fruit is in the

foreground; it's clean and there is no excess ripeness, and the oak felt quite integrated. It's nicely textured and sapid, almost salty. Drink date: 2021-2026. Score: **93** (Luis Gutiérrez, robertparker.com, Dec. 30, 2019)

236422 (XD) 750 mL \$50.00

IZADI EL REGALO 2017

DOCa Rioja

TASTING NOTE: Touted as a future Viñedo Singular, El Regalo is a single four-hectare parcel planted in 1920 in Villabuena. Subtly wooded in 50% new wood, it's a Tempranillo that has around 4% of co-planted white grapes. Fresh, refined and elegant, it has filigree tannins, blackberry and fennel flavours and racy, palate-cleansing acidity.

Drink date: 2023-2030.

Score: **95** (Tim Atkin, MW, timatkin.com, *Rioja Special Report 2020*)

532994 (XD) 750 mL \$47.00

URBINA SELECCIÓN 2000

DOCa Rioja

TASTING NOTE: A small step up from the regular Crianza, this comes from parcels that are all over 20 years' old and shows a little more concentration as a result. Leafy, floral and wonderfully fragrant, with hints of leather, dill and fresh tobacco, it's chalky and focused on the finish with a touch of oak sweetness. Drink date: 2021-2026. Score: **92** (Tim Atkin, MW, timatkin.com, *Rioja Special Report 2020*)

11184 (XD) 750 mL \$34.00



AUSTRALIA

The 100-point Schubert Theorem from Standish leads an all-star pack of highly rated wines from all over the continent.



RED WINE

GIANT STEPS SEXTON PINOT NOIR 2019

Gruyere Vineyard, Yarra Valley, Victoria

TASTING NOTE: This has soulful, complex style with a fresh blueberry and dark-cherry edge, some earthy, forest wood and stony elements. Subtle aromas. The palate opens nicely, peeling away in layers of powerful red cherries and delivering a rich, flavorful impression and layers of fine, compressed tannin. Long finish. Best from 2023.

Score: **96** (jamesuckling.com, Sept. 1, 2020)

18666 (XD) 750 mL \$60.00

HAPPS THREE HILLS CHARLES ANDREAS 2016

Vegan, Margaret River, Western Australia

TASTING NOTE: 50% cabernet, 25% petit verdot, 17% malbec, 8% merlot. Lifestyles of the rich and sturdy. This is a red wine with a keen sense of authority, its blackcurrant and malt notes infused with violet, peppermint and fresh leather. It's as svelte as it is powerful; it's full-bodied but plush. Tannin doesn't step on the fruit's toes, and there's plenty to see this through to a long life. Drink by: 2040. Special Value.

Score: **96** (Campbell Mattinson, winecompanion.com.au, Aug. 1, 2019)

17395 (XD) 750 mL \$59.00

PENNY'S HILL THE FOOTPRINT SHIRAZ 2017

McLaren Vale, South Australia

TASTING NOTE: 10 rows of the best block, hand-picked, open-fermented, 14 days on skins, matured in French barriques (50% new) for 18 months. Every part of the wine is lifted, but balance is retained. It's very complex and full-bodied, catching dark berries, earth,

licorice and the dark chocolate that Skeleton Key hinted at. Great wines from the outstanding '17 vintage. Drink by: 2047. Special Value.

Score: **97** (James Halliday, winecompanion.com.au, Aug. 1, 2019)

54346 (XD) 750 mL \$67.00

STANDISH THE SCHUBERT THEOREM 2018

Barossa Valley, South Australia

TASTING NOTE: Mica-laced soil from the Schubert Vineyard in Roenfeldt Road, Marananga and fermented as 50% whole clusters. The site has six parts and all are made as a single parcel and then the wine is assembled. There's distinctive complexity of fruit here with all shades of red, blue and purple through to black. There are also ripe dark peaches and nectarines as well. There's a spicy edge, too, with some almost flinty, graphite notes. The palate has such intensity and power and really long, deep black fruit builds through the finish. Impeccable depth of tannin here. Rich blood plum flavors, intersected with blackberry. So saturated in flavor, so long and full of energy. The vinous intensity on the finish is spectacular. This is something really special. Try from 2024.

Score: **100** (jamesuckling.com, Jan. 26, 2021)

19468 (XD) 750 mL \$163.00

WHITE WINE

GIANT STEPS WOMBAT CREEK CHARDONNAY 2019

Gladysdale Vineyard, Yarra Valley, Victoria

TASTING NOTE: There's striking freshness of lemon and yellow grapefruit here with a chalky, stony, flinty edge. The fresh fruit carries subtly spicy oak nicely. There are grapefruit and fresh yellow-peach flavors in abundance. This carries energetic, acidity-fueled drive and delivers impressive balance, as well as length. So long and juicy. Drink or hold. Score: **97** (jamesuckling.com, Dec. 1, 2020)

10780 (XD) 750 mL \$59.00

GROSSET POLISH HILL RIESLING 2020

Clare Valley, South Australia

TASTING NOTE: The clean, fresh aromas of just-picked citrus fruits belie the enormous power of lime juice and rich lemon pith that immediately fills the front palate on this latest vintage. There's poise in addition to the power though, with multiple layers of rounded citrus and mineral flavours enjoying a luxurious textural roll through the mid-palate. Perfect integration of fresh citric acid carries the pure fruit qualities through extraordinary length to a crisp, lip-smacking finish. Drinking window: 2021-2050.

Score: **98** (David Sly, decanter.com, March 7, 2021)

932962 (XD) 750 mL \$65.00

NEW ZEALAND

Pinot Noir, Gewürztraminer and more all solidify the notion that New Zealand is about more than just Sauvignon Blanc.



RED WINE

DOG POINT VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2010

Marlborough, South Island

TASTING NOTE: Seductively intense wine with appealing black cherry, plum and delicately spicy flavours. An excellent Pinot Noir vintage appears to have produced Dog Point's best ever Pinot as well as one of the best Marlborough examples that year. The wine has a texture to die for – silken smooth and almost unctuous.

Score: **96** (Bob Campbell, MW, therealreview.com, May 18, 2012)

20309 (XD) 750 mL \$57.00

JACKSON ESTATE GUM EMPEROR PINOT NOIR 2013

Single vineyard, Waihopai Valley, Marlborough, South Island

TASTING NOTE: Ripe, youthful and varietal with a distinctive bouquet of

dark red berry fruits and red currants. No mistaking the layers of wood spice and smoky tones. Dry, youthfully firm with a light savoury and earthy layers. Medium tannins and medium+ acidity. Still developing needing some cellar time or decanting. Best from 2019 through 2026. Excellent.
Score: **93** (camdouglasms.com, March 24, 2021)

20110 (XD) 750 mL \$43.00

**PASK DECLARATION
CABERNET/MERLOT/MALBEC 2013**
Gimblett Gravels, Hawke's Bay,
North Island

TASTING NOTE: Top label from a top vintage. Rich, ripe flavours include blackberry, cassis, brambles, cocoa powder, a suggestion of dried herbs and spicy oak. A weighty wine with energy and power. Approachable now but with cellaring potential. Drink date: 2019-2023. Ranked #13 of 27 of *The Real Review's* 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon blends from Hawke's Bay.
Score: **95** (Bob Campbell, MW, therealreview.com, Dec. 15, 2019)

20109 (XD) 750 mL \$40.00

WHITE WINE

**GREYSTONE BARREL FERMENED
SAUVIGNON BLANC 2019**
Waipara Valley, South Island

TASTING NOTE: This isn't your classic Kiwi Sauvignon; it's a dense and full style. Forget passion fruit and gooseberries – this is sprinkled with pear and rose-petal-like flavors, potentially the effect of the wild yeast. Fermented in neutral French barrels; the variety's angular edges have been rounded and there's a framework that provides structure on the finish. The flavor profile might not be universally appealing, but there's no denying the quality of the fruit and the judicious winemaking. Drinking window: 2020-2023.
Score: **92** (Rebecca Gibb, MW, vinous.com, Nov. 2020)

14565 (XD) 750 mL \$29.00

RIPPON GEWÜRZTRAMINER 2019
Lake Wanaka, Central Otago,
South Island

TASTING NOTE: Smells sweet but not bubblegummy and cartoony, more Turkish market spice and rosewater bath in the most refined, evocative sense. Succulent in texture, concentrated flavours but again, a ripple of chalky texture, bright core of mixed-minerally acidity, a chew to finish and this beautiful, lingering, fresh sweetness. Candied almonds, dried citrus peel, green apple, faint nutty characters. Just wonderful. Such an intriguing, beautiful wine, and with so much future potential. Extraordinary. Drink date: 2020-2035.

Score: **96+** (Mike Bennie, winefront.com.au, Nov. 16, 2020)

20092 (XD) 750 mL \$41.00

**SOUTH
AFRICA**

*Revelatory Cabernet,
Chardonnay and a Bordeaux-inspired
white blend, all from Stellenbosch.*



RED WINE

**TOKARA RESERVE COLLECTION
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017**
WO Stellenbosch

TASTING NOTE: "Stellenbosch and Cabernet Sauvignon are synonymous," says Karl Lambour. "You get finesse in this area." You do indeed, especially in a vintage like 2017. Aged in 44% new wood, this is a textbook expression of the grape, all dried herbs, mint and blackcurrant leaf, with fine tannins, impressive focus and depth and stylish oak. Drink date: 2022-2029.
Score: **94** (Tim Atkin, MW, timatkin.com, *South Africa Special Report 2020*)

10303 (XD) 750 mL \$45.00

WHITE WINE

**RUSTENBERG FIVE SOLDIERS
CHARDONNAY 2018**
WO Stellenbosch

TASTING NOTE: 100% Chardonnay. The fourth Chardonnay in what we feel was

a Best-In-Show quartet which perfectly illustrates the astonishing stylistic range of this variety is certainly the most generous and opulent: a white wine which welcomes you with open arms and a warm heart. Is it, therefore, just a little obvious? Not at all. The aromas, in fact, are relatively restrained though they express the warmth of Stellenbosch: fresh lemon cream and a hint of ground hazels. The palate is full-flavoured, with soft and undulating contours yet fresh, tempered acidity; there is a teasingly sweet-edged nuttiness in the finish. Of the quartet, this is the Chardonnay which could most easily be drunk on its own, yet it has all the delicacy and amenability which lighter foods beg for. Best in Show. Score: **97** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2020)

107375 (XD) 750 mL \$50.00

**TOKARA DIRECTOR'S RESERVE
WHITE 2017**
WO Stellenbosch

TASTING NOTE: Always among the best white Bordeaux blends in the Cape, this is especially impressive in 2017, one of the best recent vintages in South Africa. Combining Sauvignon Blanc with 31% Semillon, it's herbal, complex and layered, with some smoky wood undertones and flavours of toast and pink grapefruit. Drink date: 2020-2025.
Score: **95** (Tim Atkin, MW, timatkin.com, *South Africa Special Report 2020*)

632273 (XD) 750 mL \$39.00

ARGENTINA

*More brilliance from Mendoza,
including an exciting Gualtallary-grown
Chardonnay from
Trapiche.*



RED WINE

ALANDES PARADOX RED BLEND
Mendoza

TASTING NOTE: This is a really solid red with crushed blackberry and blueberry character, as well as flowers and light spices. Full bodied, tight and focused. The tannin polish is so impressive.

Love the non-vintage concept of this Bordeaux blend. It's all about wonderful drinkability. Drink or hold.

Score: **95** (jamessuckling.com, Dec. 4, 2020)

20327 (XD) 750 mL \$37.00

**ALTOS LAS HORMIGAS
GUALTALLARY MALBEC 2018**
Gualtallary, Uco Valley, Mendoza

TASTING NOTE: Alto Las Hormigas leases two vineyards in Gualtallary, both planted on soils rich in calcium carbonate, which undoubtedly contributes to a more solid structure and also offers more austere, less exuberant (and even exhausting) wines than those that come from the sandy soils in that high-altitude area more than 1,300 meters up into the Andean foothills. This one is full of fruity flavors, violet notes, and delicious acidity that projects out across the palate. A wine that's very much of this place in Gualtallary, which still needs many more studies to determine its true character. For now, and fearing generalization, this one has the personality of the malbecs that begin on Gualtallary's chalky soils. Score: **96** (Patricio Tapia, guiadescorchados.cl, 2021)

10675 (XD) 750 mL \$62.00

**BENEGAS LYNCH LA ENCERRADA
VINEYARD MALBEC 2017**

Gualtallary, Uco Valley, Mendoza

TASTING NOTE: This is a fantastic red with deep, dark currants and blackberries and underlying hints of mint and spearmint. Full-bodied, super polished and so clean. The tannins just roll off the palate. Very long and persistent. Best ever? Drink after 2023, but very impressive now.

Score: **95** (jamessuckling.com, Dec. 4, 2020)

20323 (XD) 750 mL \$46.00

**FABRE MONTMAYOU
GRAND VIN 2017**

Luján de Cuyo, Mendoza

TASTING NOTE: This is Fabre's top wine and it's produced with a selection of grapes from their Vistalba vineyard,

planted on the area's alluvial soils in 1908. This year's blend is 85% malbec, 10% cabernet sauvignon, and the rest is merlot, and it was aged for 16 months in oak barrels. This is a dense wine with lots of ripe fruit and spices, deep flavors, herbal tones, and a great future ahead in the bottle. And, although the oak is strong now, the layer of fruity flavors will surely absorb it in the bottle in a few years. This is a wine that needs patience – make some room in the cellar.

Score: **96** (Patricio Tapia, guiadescorchados.cl, 2021)

439422 (XD) 750 mL \$60.00

WHITE WINE

**TRAPICHE TERROIR SERIES
LIMITED EDITION FINCA EL TOMILLO
CHARDONNAY 2017**

Gualtallary, Uco Valley, Mendoza

TASTING NOTE: This is a really exciting chardonnay with sea salt and dried apples and lemons. Full-bodied, yet linear and focused. Intensely flavored and very long. An excellent finish. Dare I say it, Grand cru Chablis-like. Drink or hold. Score: **98** (jamessuckling.com, July 18, 2019)

17929 (XD) 750 mL \$48.00

CHILE

A continuation of stratospheric scores from the southern hemisphere, including the 100-point 2017 Clos Apalta.

RED WINE

CLOS APALTA 2017

Apalta Valley

TASTING NOTE: What a stunning nose of crushed berries, fresh flowers, sandal-wood and light vineyard dust.

Black olives, too. Very complex.

Full-bodied with a beautiful, dense palate of blackberries, chocolate, walnuts and cigar box. Fantastic length and composure. The tannin just rolls over the palate. Very structured. The most

classically structured wine ever from here. Goes on for minutes. Outrageous and so polished. A blend of 48% carmenere, 26% cabernet sauvignon, 25% merlot and 1% petit verdot. Try after 2025.

Score: **100** (jamessuckling.com, Jan. 26, 2021)

10712 (XD) 750 mL \$234.00

**DE MARTINO VIGNO OLD VINE
SERIES CARIGNAN 2018**

Sustainable, dry farmed, Maule Valley

TASTING NOTE: The 2018 Vigno is somewhat more austere and powerful, with more tannin and depth than the 2017 I tasted next to it. It's very complete and has all the ingredients for a long development in bottle. It's a wine with power and balance, but it's a little backward; the 2017 is more expressive and open, more drinkable now. But this will be a long-distance runner and more complete. Drink date: 2020-2030.

Score: **98** (Luis Gutiérrez, robertparker.com, Feb. 28, 2020)

15630 (XD) 750 mL \$49.00

**ERRAZURIZ VILLA
DON MAXIMIANO 2017**

Aconcagua Valley

TASTING NOTE: The second version of Villa is 28% syrah, 25% cabernet sauvignon, 20% malbec, 17% cabernet franc, and the rest is mourvèdre. 100% of the wine was aged in oak (75% in barrels and the rest in a foudre) for 22 months. It's rich in red fruits and juicy tones of herbs and spices, but it's also generous in vibrant textures supported by tense, nervy tannins. This is a wine with tension, at least in the scheme of the 2017 vintage, which tended to deliver lush and succulent wines – this is not one of those.

Score: **95** (Patricio Tapia, guiadescorchados.cl, 2020)

20405 (XD) 750 mL \$50.00

VIK LA PIU BELLE RED BLEND 2015
Millahue Valley, Cachapoal Valley

TASTING NOTE: 68% Cabernet Sauvignon, 18% Carmenère, 14% Syrah. Beguiling nose of black fruit, leather,

tobacco and oak spice. Stylish and complex palate with fine tannin and bags of spice and fruit. Mature and sophisticated finish of dried cherry and savoury notes.

Score: **98** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2020)

20401 (XD) 750 mL \$94.00

USA

An impressively diverse collection of top wines from across California, along with two standout Pinot Noirs from Oregon.



CALIFORNIA

RED WINE

BARRETT & BARRETT CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2015

Calistoga, Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: The same 98% Cabernet Sauvignon and 2% Cabernet Franc from their estate vineyard in Calistoga, the 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon has a similar bouquet of blackcurrants, toasted spices, smoke tobacco, and lead pencil, and despite coming from a hotter vintage than 2014, it has a slightly more Bordeaux'ish (Pauillac even) bouquet. Beautifully concentrated, full-bodied, and layered on the palate, it has good acidity, notable tannic structure, and a great finish. A more classic, focused, structured wine than the more opulent 2014, it needs 4-5 years of bottle age and will shine over the following two decades. Score: **97** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, March 27, 2019)

444463 (XD) 750 mL \$312.00

EASTON ESCHEN-RINALDI OLD VINES ZINFANDEL 2013

Fiddletown, Sierra Foothills

TASTING NOTE: Bold, bright flavors and an almost electric texture stretch this wine as taut as a guitar string and make it enormously fun to drink. While many Zinfandels are fat and taste sweet, this one brings wonderful tight acidity and a

lively layer of fine tannins to make it virtually vibrate across the tongue. With all that nerve, it will improve if cellared through at least 2020. Cellar Selection. Score: **93** (Jim Gordon, *Wine Enthusiast*, Aug. 1, 2016)

281485 (D) 750 mL \$56.00

FREEMARK ABBEY SYCAMORE VINEYARD CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

Rutherford, Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: Deep garnet-purple colored, the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Sycamore Vineyards gives up powerful crème de cassis, dark chocolate-covered cherries, mulberries and baked plums scents with hints of lavender, camphor, pencil shavings and dusty soil. Medium to full-bodied, the palate is packed with rich, black fruits plus a beautiful perfumed undercurrent, framed by finely grained tannins and lovely freshness, finishing with a mineral lift. 1,989 cases were made. Drink date: 2019-2040.

Score: **95+** (Lisa Perrotti-Brown, MW, robertparker.com, Sept. 30, 2019)

391060 (D) 750 mL \$219.00

OBSIDIAN RIDGE HALF MILE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017

Red Hills Lake County, North Coast

TASTING NOTE: This flavor-packed but well-balanced wine offers ripe fruit, rich tannins and some spicy complexity, all in well-measured doses, for a seamless expression of the variety. While full in feel, it feels smooth and creamy. Best through 2030. Cellar Selection.

Score: **94** (Jim Gordon, *Wine Enthusiast*, Aug. 1, 2020)

20616 (XD) 750 mL \$99.00

PEAKE RANCH JOHN SEBASTIANO PINOT NOIR 2018

Santa Rita Hills, Santa Barbara County

TASTING NOTE: From a vineyard on the other side of the Sta. Rita Hills from Peake Ranch, the 2018 Pinot Noir John Sebastiano Vineyard has a slightly more vibrant style in its black raspberry, violets, Bing cherry, and sappy flower aromas and flavors. Medium to full-bodied, with

beautiful purity and elegant, it's another terrific wine from this up-and-coming estate that warrants attention.

Score: **95** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Aug. 4, 2020)

16131 (XD) 750 mL \$95.00

PHARAOH MOANS SYRAH 2018

Paso Robles

TASTING NOTE: Lots of spiced plums, orange blossom, spring flowers, peach (I'd swear there was Viognier in this blend) and peppery notes emerge from the 2018 Syrah. An exotic, full-bodied, seamless Syrah with ripe yet present tannins, no hard edges, and a great, great finish, it's truly brilliant and the finest I've tasted from this estate. All Syrah from a mix of sites on the westside of Paso Robles, brought up in 60% new oak, it's going to keep for 10-15 years. Maturity: 2020-2035.

Score: **98** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Sept. 1, 2020)

20638 (XD) 750 mL \$170.00

RAYMOND GENERATIONS CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017

Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: Including 3% Petit Verdot, the 2017 Cabernet Sauvignon Generations is a brilliant Cabernet Sauvignon that offers textbook blackcurrants, green tobacco, iron, and salty mineral aromas and flavors. Rich, full-bodied, nicely concentrated, and textured, it's a beautiful wine. Drink it any time over the coming 15-20 years. Maturity: 2020-2035.

Score: **96** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Jan. 31, 2020)

941492 (XD) 750 mL \$135.00

RHYS HOME VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2014

San Mateo County,
Santa Cruz Mountains

TASTING NOTE: The 2014 Pinot Noir Home Vineyard is one of the most polished, refined wines of the year at Rhys. Sweet floral notes and the 100% whole clusters give the 2014 its aromatic presence, salinity and overall nuance.

Sweet red cherry, blood orange and white pepper add life through the mid palate and into the finish. Although the 2014 will be even better with bottle age, its grace and pure refinement are very much evident today. Although young, the 2014 has room to grow. Drinking window: 2019-2029.

Score: **95+** (Antonio Galloni, vinous.com, July 2016)

20622 (XD) 750 mL \$156.00

RODNEY STRONG ROCKAWAY SINGLE VINEYARD CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

Alexander Valley, Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: It is difficult not to notice the power and length in 2016 of this cabernet sauvignon, petit verdot and merlot. The flavours are cabernet intense with dark plum, licorice and tobacco streaked with mineral, leather, and savoury Sonoma brown spice. 2016 is an exciting year, and this wine is showing all the hallmarks of mountain cabernet that will live a decade or two in the bottle with ease. Certainly among the best yet from Rockaway. Rockaway Vineyard sits in the middle of the valley with average temperatures of 62 degrees, balancing Cali heat with Pacific Ocean cooling breezes. The land generally slopes northeast and southwest, rising to an elevation of 750 feet with soils comprised of gravelly clay subsoil over fractured Greywacke sandstone. A single vineyard at its best.

Score: **94** (Anthony Gismondi, gismondionwine.com, Jan. 29, 2020)

202507 (XD) 750 mL \$99.00

STORMY WEATHER CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

Calistoga, Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: Produced from 100% Cabernet Sauvignon (clones 7 and 337), coming from Calistoga, the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Stormy Weather spent 30 months in 100% new French oak barrels. It reveals a deep garnet-purple color and notes of baked berries, plum preserves, spice cake, blackcurrant pastilles and chocolate box with wafts of

menthol and incense. Full-bodied and seductively textured with beautifully soft tannins, it has bags of earth-laced black fruit preserves and a long, spicy finish.

Drink date: 2021-2046.

Score: **96** (Lisa Perrotti-Brown, MW, robertparker.com, Dec. 19, 2019)

13773 (XD) 750 mL \$185.00

STORMY WEATHER NORTHERN GALE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

Calistoga, Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: Produced from 100% Cabernet Sauvignon, coming from Calistoga, the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Northern Gale spent 30 months in French oak barrels, 30% new. Deep garnet-purple, the nose is a little reticent to begin, soon unfurling to offer glimpses at an array of savory scents – charcuterie, bouquet garni, yeast extract, tapenade and Chinese five spice – with a core of crème de cassis, baked plums, sandalwood and dark chocolate. Full-bodied, the rich, opulently fruited palate does not hold back, delivery mouth-coating exotic spices and a plush texture, finishing long, layered and lively. Drink date: 2021-2045.

Score: **94+** (Lisa Perrotti-Brown, MW, robertparker.com, Dec. 19, 2019)

20667 (XD) 750 mL \$105.00

THE HILT THE VANGUARD PINOT NOIR 2017

Santa Rita Hills, Santa Barbara County (Cool Hand Vineyards)

TASTING NOTE: Offering more purity as well as precision in its ripe black cherries, black raspberries, crushed flowers, and forest floor aromas and flavors, the 2017 Pinot Noir Vanguard is a layered, multi-dimensional effort that has beautiful depth of fruit, remarkable purity, and polished tannins. It opens up with time in the glass and is a beautiful, seamless effort that plays with the crème de la crème in the vintage. Drink it any time over the coming 10-15 years.

Maturity: 2019-2034.

Score: **96+** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Oct. 31, 2019)

407841 (XD) 750 mL \$69.00

WHITE WINE

DUTTON-GOLDFIELD DUTTON RANCH CHARDONNAY 2018

Sustainable, Russian River Valley, Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: As ever, a stellar effort from this duo; silky and full with bright, juicy fruit, tangy acidity and hints of toasty oak; lovely mouthfeel and a long and fresh finish.

Score: **94** (Anthony Dias Blue, bluelifestyle.com, undated)

287854 (XD) 750 mL \$75.00

KNIGHTS BRIDGE EAST BLOCK CHARDONNAY 2017

Knights Valley, Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: The 2017 Chardonnay East Block has very pretty scents of jasmine, orange blossom, honeycomb, ginger and brioche with touches of lemon curd, hazelnut and a stone fruit core. Medium to full-bodied and satiny, it's rich and powerful in the mouth with intense flavor layers, zesty acidity and an incredibly long, energetic finish. Wow! Drink date: 2020-2030.

Score: **95** (Erin Brooks, robertparker.com, Dec. 19, 2019)

20606 (XD) 750 mL \$109.00

LA CREMA SARALEE'S VINEYARD CHARDONNAY 2017

Russian River Valley, Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: From the great estate in the heart of the appellation, this white is richly developed in succulent flavors of pear, pineapple and melon. Balanced acidity boosts the fruit and integrated oak, with touches of nutmeg spice and jasmine that last on the finish.

Score: **93** (Virginie Boone, *Wine Enthusiast*, May 1, 2020)

14835 (XD) 750 mL \$55.00

TERRE ROUGE ENIGMA 2013

Single vineyard, Sierra Foothills

TASTING NOTE: Subtlety and reserve drive this full-bodied, round-textured white Rhône-style blend. The velvety mouthfeel is almost more notable than the subdued pear, melon and butter flavors. It's a wine for lingering over, because it reveals its best stuff after time in the glass. It leads with 49% Marsanne, plus Viognier, Roussanne and Grenache Blanc. Editors' Choice.

Score: **92** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, Nov. 1, 2015)

20583 (XD) 750 mL \$40.00

OREGON**RED WINE****MAISON L'ENVOYÉ TWO MESSENGERS PINOT NOIR 2018**

Willamette Valley

TASTING NOTE: A very bold statement of modern toasty oak with espresso, baking spices and cocoa powder, sitting across bright red cherries. The palate has a succulent and deeply juicy feel with a lithe, fresh and lively, red-cherry core. Give this a couple of years to settle in. The fruit is up to the task.

Score: **93** (jamesuckling.com, Jan. 30, 2020)

453357 (XD) 750 mL \$49.00

RÉSONANCE RÉSONANCE VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2016

Yamhill-Carlton, Willamette Valley

TASTING NOTE: Pale to medium ruby-purple, the 2016 Résonance Vineyard Pinot Noir opens with violet, crushed blueberries, boysenberry, Earl Grey tea leaves, warm earth and cinnamon stick aromas. It's medium-bodied and intense, with oodles of ripe, nuanced fruits, expertly framed and fresh, with a long, perfumed finish. This is delicious! A restrained Pinot but still very generous with its fruit. Drink date: 2020-2026.

Score: **93** (Erin Brooks, robertparker.com, April 23, 2020)

20630 (XD) 750 mL \$89.00

DESSERT WINE

A beautiful, mesmerizing, rare Eiswein made from Grüner Veltliner.

TÜRK EISWEIN VOM GRÜNER VELTLINER 2018

Niederösterreich, Austria

TASTING NOTE: Beautiful purity to the aromas of mangoes, bananas, praline, glacier water and snowdrops. Very sweet, but composed and dialed-in, drawing on a vast array of gliding acidity and glimmering citrus fruit. Long on the finish with pinpoint focus and mesmerizing verve. Drink or hold.

Score: **96** (jamesuckling.com, Dec. 19, 2019)

20673 (S) 375 mL \$50.00

FORTIFIED WINE

A sweet retrospective from Spain and two 20-year-old Tawnys from Portugal.

ALVEAR SOLERA 1927 PEDRO XIMÉNEZ

DO Montilla-Moriles, Spain

TASTING NOTE: The NV Pedro Ximenez Solera 1927 is non-vintage, but does have some 1927 material in it. This is totally dark brown/amber with notes of figs, toffee, caramel syrup, molasses and coffee. It is dense, super sweet, intense, rich and an amazingly, unctuously textured, thick beverage to consume slowly and introspectively after a meal. Drink now through 2050, or even longer. Drink date: 2016-2050.

Score: **98** (Robert Parker Jr., robertparker.com, Nov. 29, 2015)

463034 (S) 375 mL \$29.00

KRANEMANN 20-YEAR-OLD TAWNY PORT

DOP, Portugal

TASTING NOTE: 25% Tinta Roriz, 20% Tinta Barroca, 20% Touriga Franca. Peat, thyme, earth and toasted almonds vie with dates for supremacy on this complexly woven style, with crème brûlée and beeswax aromas, and notable delicacy.

Score: **96** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2020)

21380 (S) 750 mL \$95.00

QUINTA DA DEVESA 20-YEAR-OLD TAWNY PORT

DOC, Portugal

TASTING NOTE: The NV 20 Year Old Tawny Porto was bottled in 2017 with a bar-top cork and 117 grams of sugar. Richer than the 10, of course, this is in the same ballpark in style, emphasizing age and complexity, not big fruit. I loved the complex medley of flavors and the power. This eschews fruitiness, mostly, which some will prefer more than others. I thought this was pretty fine – it gives you the old tawny feel without having to trade up to an older tawny. Drink date: 2018-2045.

Score: **93** (Mark Squires, robertparker.com, July 19, 2018)

20967 (S) 750 mL \$65.00

JULY 2021 PRODUCT SUMMARY

PRODUCT	SIZE (mL)	PRODUCT number	PRICE (per btl.)	SCORE
FRANCE - BORDEAUX RED WINE				
CHÂTEAU CANTEMERLE 2015	750	470724	\$90.00	JS 95
CHÂTEAU DE CHAMBRUN 2014	750	20166	\$48.00	JS 91
CHÂTEAU LAGRANGE 2010	750	20167	\$148.00	JS 96
CHÂTEAU LYNCH-BAGES 2005	750	21003	\$500.00	WS 96
DOMAINE DE CHEVALIER 2010	750	495622	\$216.00	JS 96
MONDOT BY TROPLONG MONDOT 2016	750	20179	\$89.00	JD 94
FRANCE - BURGUNDY - CÔTE DE NUITS RED WINE				
AMAURY AUX PERDRIX NUITS-SAINT-GEORGES 1 ^{ER} CRU 2017	750	610113	\$153.00	BH 90-92
DANIEL RION & FILS LES GRANDES VIGNES NUITS-SAINT-GEORGES 2018	750	227793	\$70.00	
DOMAINE MICHEL GROS CLOS DES RÉAS VOSNE-ROMANÉE 1 ^{ER} CRU 2016	750	20472	\$223.00	RP 90-92
JEAN-CLAUDE BOISSET LES MUROTS GEVREY-CHAMBERTIN 2016	750	18988	\$83.00	WS 94
FRANCE - BURGUNDY - BOURGOGNE HAUTES-CÔTES DE NUITS RED WINE				
DOMAINE MICHEL GROS BOURGOGNE HAUTES-CÔTES DE NUITS 2018	750	20471	\$45.00	
FRANCE - BURGUNDY - CÔTE DE BEAUNE RED WINE				
BOUCHARD PÈRE & FILS LE CLOS DE LA MOUSSE BEAUNE 1 ^{ER} CRU 2017	750	124669	\$99.00	WS 92
CHANDON DE BRIAILLES CORTON-BRESSANDES GRAND CRU 2017	750	20442	\$250.00	WS 95
DOMAINE CHANDON DE BRIAILLES AUX FOURNEAUX SAVIGNY-LÈS-BEAUNE 2018	750	20443	\$69.00	RP 91
DOMAINE CHANSON PÈRE & FILS CLOS DES FÈVES MONOPOLE BEAUNE 1 ^{ER} CRU 2018	750	528034	\$140.00	LRF 100
FRANCE - BURGUNDY - CÔTE DE BEAUNE WHITE WINE				
BACHELET-RAMONET LA GRANDE MONTAGNE CHASSAGNE-MONTRACHET 1 ^{ER} CRU 2018	750	19706	\$105.00	
BERNARD MILLOT PULIGNY-MONTRACHET 2018	750	19709	\$110.00	
DECELLE-VILLA MEURSAULT 2018	750	20656	\$100.00	
DOMAINE VINCENT GIRARDIN VIEILLES VIGNES MEURSAULT 2017	750	20378	\$88.00	WR 93
DOMAINE VINCENT LATOUR LES GRANDS CHARRONS MEURSAULT 2018	750	20423	\$94.00	BH 89-91
EDOUARD DELAUNAY LE VILLAGE MEURSAULT 2018	750	20383	\$100.00	DWWA 92
MARCHAND-TAWSE MEURSAULT 2018	750	285866	\$85.00	BH 89-91
FRANCE - BURGUNDY - CHABLIS WHITE WINE				
DOMAINE GÉRARD TREMBLAY BEAUROY CHABLIS 1 ^{ER} CRU 2019	750	18401	\$44.00	
DOMAINE VRIGNAUD CÔTE DE FONTENAY FOURCHAUME CHABLIS 1 ^{ER} CRU 2017	750	20382	\$68.00	DEC 94
LA CHABLISIENNE LES CLOS CHABLIS GRAND CRU 2017	750	20381	\$78.00	RP 93+
LA CHABLISIENNE MONTMAINS CHABLIS 1 ^{ER} CRU 2018	750	265090	\$46.00	BH 89-92
ROLAND LAVANTUREUX VAUPRIN CHABLIS 2018	750	485219	\$45.00	VIN 93
FRANCE - BURGUNDY - MÂCONNAIS WHITE WINE				
CHÂTEAU FUISSÉ TÊTE DE CUVÉE POUILLY-FUISSÉ 2018	750	12957	\$45.00	BH 90
FRANCE - RHÔNE - NORTHERN RHÔNE WHITE WINE				
GABRIEL MEFFRE LAURUS CONDRIEU 2017	750	193599	\$80.00	WE 93
GABRIEL MEFFRE LAURUS HERMITAGE 2017	750	594655	\$80.00	WE 94

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FRANCE - RHÔNE - SOUTHERN RHÔNE RED WINE				
PATRICK LESEC CUVÉE BARGETON CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE 2018	750	154476	\$79.00	RP 95-97
FRANCE - ALSACE WHITE WINE				
DOMAINES SCHLUMBERGER SAERING RIESLING 2017	750	627950	\$37.00	JS 93
FRANCE - CHAMPAGNE				
DOM PÉRIGNON P2 ROSÉ CHAMPAGNE 1996	750	507897	\$2,056.00	VIN 98
FORGET-BRIMONT 1 ^{ER} CRU BRUT CHAMPAGNE 2008	750	19996	\$98.00	WE 93
JOSEPH PERRIER CUVÉE ROYALE BRUT CHAMPAGNE 2008	750	18172	\$105.00	WE 93
KRUG BRUT CHAMPAGNE 2006	750	68395	\$459.00	RP 97
LE MESNIL BRUT BLANC DE BLANCS GRAND CRU CHAMPAGNE 2005	750	460840	\$85.00	
RUINART BRUT BLANC DE BLANCS CHAMPAGNE	750	62984	\$133.00	WS 93
VEUVE CLICQUOT LA GRANDE DAME BRUT CHAMPAGNE 2008	750	38802	\$250.00	DEC 97
VILMART & CIE GRAND CELLIER 1 ^{ER} CRU BRUT CHAMPAGNE	750	65110	\$94.00	W&SM 94
FRANCE - LANGUEDOC RED WINE				
GÉRARD BERTRAND LA FORGE 2018	750	15658	\$75.00	RP 93
AUSTRIA WHITE WINE				
PICHLER-KRUTZLER RIED KLOSTERSATZ GRÜNER VELTLINER 2019	750	20672	\$35.00	WE 94
GERMANY - MOSEL WHITE WINE				
DR. LOOSEN ÜRZIGER WÜRZGARTEN ALTE REBEN GG RIESLING TROCKEN 2019	750	633610	\$40.00	JS 96
GERMANY - RHEINGAU WHITE WINE				
SCHLOSS JOHANNISBERG GRÜNLACK RIESLING SPÄTLESE 2020	750	523332	\$65.00	
HUNGARY WHITE WINE				
DISZNÓKO 5 PUTTONYOS TOKAJI ASZU 2011	500	18981	\$68.00	RP 92
ITALY - MARCHE WHITE WINE				
GAROFOLI PODIUM VERDICCHIO DEI CASTELLI DI JESI CLASSICO SUPERIORE 2018	750	98129	\$30.00	VIN 93

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AWC	winecompanion.com.au	JD	jebdunnuck.com	VIN	vinous.com
BH	burghound.com	JS	jamesuckling.com	W&SM	wineandspiritsmagazine.com
DEC	decanter.com	LRF	<i>La Revue du Vin de France</i>	WAL	winealign.com
DWWA	Decanter World Wine Awards	PLAT	<i>Platter's South African Wine Guide</i>	WE	<i>Wine Enthusiast</i>
GD	guiadesorchados.cl	RP	robertparker.com	WR	internationalwinereport.com
GW	gismondionwine.com	TAT	timatkin.com	WS	winespectator.com
IWSC	International Wine & Spirit Competition	TRR	therealreview.com		

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ITALY - PIEDMONT RED WINE				
ANDREA OBERTO ROCHE DELL'ANNUNZIATA BAROLO 2015	750	19233	\$78.00	JS 95
ARNALDO RIVERA RAVERA BAROLO 2015	750	18847	\$105.00	JS 96
CORDERO DI MONTEZEMOLO VIGNA ENRICO VI BAROLO 2016	750	22020	\$136.00	JS 97
MAURO SEBASTE CERRETTA BAROLO 2016	750	19056	\$75.00	JS 94
RIZZI NERVO BARBARESCO 2017	750	539247	\$63.00	WE 95
RIZZI PAJORE BARBARESCO 2017	750	16743	\$63.00	WE 96
VIRNA SARMASSA BAROLO 2015	750	19057	\$108.00	JS 94
ITALY - SARDINIA RED WINE				
AGRICOLA PUNICA MONTESSU 2017	750	632380	\$30.00	JS 93
ITALY - SICILY RED WINE				
AL-CANTÀRA O'SCURU O'SCURU 2017	750	19631	\$47.00	DWWA 95
ITALY - SICILY WHITE WINE				
AL-CANTÀRA OCCHI DI CIUMI 2019	750	19630	\$33.00	
ITALY - TUSCANY RED WINE				
CANALICCHIO DI SOPRA RISERVA BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2012	750	18844	\$223.00	WS 96
CARPINETO MOLIN VECCHIO 2012	750	995308	\$60.00	WS 93
DONATELLA CINELLI COLOMBINI RISERVA BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2013	750	107508	\$147.00	RP 94
DUEMANI SUISSASSI SYRAH 2016	750	250803	\$236.00	JS 99
FONTODI VIGNA DEL SORBO GRAN SELEZIONE CHIANTI CLASSICO 2017	750	963827	\$101.00	VIN 96+
LA FORNACE BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2015	750	372532	\$74.00	JS 94
SAN GIUSTO A RENTENNANO CHIANTI CLASSICO 2018	750	19955	\$34.00	RP 93
SAN GIUSTO A RENTENNANO LE BARÒNCOLE RISERVA CHIANTI CLASSICO 2017	750	19956	\$56.00	RP 94
SAN GIUSTO A RENTENNANO PERCARLO 2016	750	19957	\$98.00	VIN 99
SELVAPIANA BUCERCHIALE RISERVA CHIANTI RUFINA 2016	750	645218	\$44.00	WE 96
ITALY - UMBRIA RED WINE				
GORETTI SAGRANTINO DI MONTEFALCO 2015	750	542191	\$49.00	JS 91
ITALY - VENETO RED WINE				
PRÀ MORANDINA AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA 2013	750	267880	\$112.00	RP 93
ITALY - VENETO WHITE WINE				
I CAMPI CAMPO VULCANO SOAVE CLASSICO 2018	750	269969	\$30.00	JS 94
PORTUGAL RED WINE				
QUINTA DA FERRADOSA VINHAS VELHAS TINTO 2016	750	20873	\$66.00	WE 94
VINHO DE TALHA ASTRONAUTA TINTO 2016	750	20946	\$93.00	RP 95
SPAIN RED WINE				
CELESTE RESERVA 2016	750	10493	\$35.00	
CONTINO GRAN RESERVA 2014	750	480178	\$40.00	JD 96
FERRER BOBET VINYES VELLÉS 2016	750	579896	\$80.00	DEC 95

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SPAIN <small>WHITE WINE</small>				
HERMANOS HERNÁIZ FINCA LA EMPERATRIZ GRAN VINO BLANCO 2016	750	20704	\$60.00	RP 93
LOPEZ DE HEREDIA VIÑA TONDONIA RESERVA BLANCO 2009	750	45500	\$66.00	JS 97
CANADA - ONTARIO <small>WHITE WINE</small>				
TAWSE ROBYN'S BLOCK CHARDONNAY 2018	750	416321	\$46.15	
CANADA - BRITISH COLUMBIA <small>RED WINE</small>				
MEYER McLEAN CREEK ROAD VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2018	750	16092	\$49.00	WAL 92
AUSTRALIA <small>RED WINE</small>				
BLEASDALE THE POWDER MONKEY SINGLE VINEYARD SHIRAZ 2015	750	13567	\$60.00	AWC 97
MOSS WOOD CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017	750	327684	\$113.00	TRR 97
TORBRECK THE FACTOR 2016	750	20347	\$159.00	RP 97
WAKEFIELD ST. ANDREWS SHIRAZ 2017	750	626697	\$60.00	IWSC 96
AUSTRALIA <small>WHITE WINE</small>				
FRANKLAND ESTATE ISOLATION RIDGE RIESLING 2018	750	17224	\$40.00	JS 96
NEW ZEALAND <small>WHITE WINE</small>				
PEGASUS BAY RIESLING 2017	750	20089	\$39.00	JS 94
SOUTH AFRICA <small>RED WINE</small>				
EIKENDAL CLASSIQUE 2017	750	574012	\$39.00	TAT 95
STORM VREDE PINOT NOIR 2017	750	20532	\$59.00	DEC 95
SOUTH AFRICA <small>WHITE WINE</small>				
GABRIËLSKLOOF ELODIE THE LANDSCAPE SERIES CHENIN BLANC 2018	750	13704	\$45.00	PLAT 95
METZER MARITIME SINGLE VINEYARD CHENIN BLANC 2018	750	17930	\$43.00	TAT 95
ARGENTINA <small>RED WINE</small>				
ACHAVAL FERRER FINCA BELLA VISTA MALBEC 2015	750	178103	\$130.00	TAT 95
ESCORIHUELA GASCON THE PRESIDENT'S BLEND MALBEC/CABERNET SAUVIGNON/SYRAH 2018	750	20325	\$54.00	DWWA 97
LUPA MALBEC 2018	750	629964	\$39.95	TAT 95
TRAPICHE FINCA COLETTO TERROIR SERIES MALBEC 2017	750	482968	\$45.00	JS 97
TRAPICHE ISCAY MALBEC/CABERNET FRANC 2017	750	450585	\$60.00	GD 96
CHILE <small>RED WINE</small>				
CLOS APALTA LE PETIT CLOS 2017	750	15624	\$73.00	JS 96
GARAGE WINE CO. VIGNO OLD VINES CARIGNAN 2017	750	15625	\$59.00	RP 96
MATETIC VINEYARDS EQ SYRAH 2015	750	252304	\$39.00	JS 95

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USA - CALIFORNIA RED WINE				
ANDIS OLD VINE DI STASIO VINEYARD ZINFANDEL 2018	750	20584	\$55.00	WE 94
ARROWOOD RÉSERVE SPÉCIALE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2015	750	64568	\$119.00	RP 96
CARTE BLANCHE NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016	750	20591	\$245.00	JD 97
CORISON NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017	750	569707	\$175.00	WE 95
DALLA VALLE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017	750	439893	\$357.00	JD 97
DALLA VALLE COLLINA 2017	750	403220	\$156.00	JD 95
DONELAN SONOMA COUNTY CUVÉE MORIAH 2016	750	523753	\$95.00	VIN 95
FERRARI-CARANO TRÉSOR 2015	750	928150	\$82.00	WS 93
JUSTIN ISOSCELES 2017	750	702654	\$109.00	VIN 93
L'AVENTURE ESTATE CUVÉE 2017	750	390880	\$167.00	JD 98
L'AVENTURE OPTIMUS 2017	750	683409	\$85.00	RP 93
PEAKE RANCH JOHN SEBASTIANO VINEYARD SYRAH 2018	750	20588	\$92.00	JD 95-97
RODNEY STRONG ALEXANDER'S CROWN SINGLE VINEYARD CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016	750	329961	\$99.00	GW 93
STONESTREET ROCKFALL VINEYARD CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016	750	249367	\$159.00	JD 98+
STORM PRESQU'ILE VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2016	750	20632	\$77.00	WE 95
THE MASCOT 2015	750	19583	\$212.00	

USA - CALIFORNIA

WHITE WINE

BYRON NIELSON VINEYARD SANTA MARIA VALLEY CHARDONNAY 2015	750	719138	\$40.00	RP 93
FLANAGAN RITCHIE VINEYARD CHARDONNAY 2017	750	20589	\$85.00	WE 94
LA CREMA KELLI ANN VINEYARD CHARDONNAY 2017	750	20592	\$60.00	RP 93
RAMEY RITCHIE VINEYARD CHARDONNAY 2017	750	20597	\$105.00	WE 96

USA - OREGON

RED WINE

EYRIE VINEYARDS ESTATE PINOT NOIR 2017	750	717405	\$64.00	JS 94
EYRIE VINEYARDS THE EYRIE DUNDEE HILLS PINOT NOIR 2016	750	14933	\$125.00	JS 96

USA - OREGON

WHITE WINE

EYRIE VINEYARDS DUNDEE HILLS CHARDONNAY 2018	750	14929	\$48.00	RP 93
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USA - WASHINGTON

RED WINE

CHATEAU STE. MICHELLE ARTIST SERIES MERITAGE 2014	750	499467	\$84.00	JS 94
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DESSERT WINE

SAN GIUSTO A RENTENNANO VIN SAN GIUSTO 2012	375	19958	\$88.00	RP 97
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FORTIFIED WINE

FONSECA GUIMARAENS VINTAGE PORT 2018	750	21297	\$157.00	WAL 97
GRAHAM'S 40-YEAR-OLD TAWNY PORT	750	558858	\$229.00	WS 96

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FRANCE - BORDEAUX RED WINE				
CHÂTEAU CANTEMERLE 2014	750	20741	\$69.00	JS 94
CHÂTEAU LÉOVILLE-BARTON 2014	750	20745	\$191.00	WE 95
CHÂTEAU LILIAN LADOUYS 2016	750	20737	\$49.00	JS 93
CHÂTEAU PEYRABON 2009	750	20869	\$47.00	WE 90-92
CHÂTEAU TROPLONG MONDOT 2010	750	20748	\$400.00	RP 98
MARQUIS DE MONS 2014	750	633073	\$40.00	JS 90

FRANCE - BURGUNDY - CÔTE DE NUITS RED WINE				
DOMAINE BOUCHARD PÈRE & FILS LES CAILLES NUITS-SAINT-GEORGES 1 ^{ER} CRU 2018	750	652057	\$149.00	WFW 95
DOMAINE LAUNAY-HORIOU LATRICIÈRES-CHAMBERTIN GRAND CRU 2018	750	20567	\$412.00	BH 93
JOSEPH DROUHIN CHAMBOLLE-MUSIGNY LES AMOUREUSES 1 ^{ER} CRU 2018	750	499533	\$805.00	BH 95
PIERRE BRISSSET LES ROUGES DU DESSUS VOSNE-ROMANÉE 1 ^{ER} CRU 2018	750	13779	\$244.00	JR 16.5+ (OUT OF 20)

FRANCE - BURGUNDY - CÔTE DE BEAUNE RED WINE				
DOMAINE BOUCHARD PÈRE & FILS LE CORTON GRAND CRU 2018	750	973834	\$199.00	IB 92-95
DOMAINE LAUNAY-HORIOU LES CHAPONNIÈRES POMMARD 1 ^{ER} CRU 2018	750	20566	\$143.00	DEC 93
DOMAINE TAWSE SAVIGNY-LÈS-BEAUNE LES LAVIÈRES 1 ^{ER} CRU 2018	750	487371	\$63.00	VIN 89-91
LUCIEN MUZARD VIEILLES VIGNES SANTENAY 2018	750	20444	\$44.00	RP 89
PIERRE BRISSSET VOLNAY 1 ^{ER} CRU CAILLERETS 2016	750	19713	\$155.00	JR 16.5 (OUT OF 20)

FRANCE - BURGUNDY - CÔTE DE BEAUNE WHITE WINE				
BOUCHARD PÈRE & FILS MONTRACHET GRAND CRU 2018	750	402040	\$1,040.00	JS 97
LUCIEN MUZARD ET FILS MALADIÈRE SANTENAY 1 ^{ER} CRU 2019	750	20447	\$60.00	
PIERRE BRISSSET CHASSAGNE-MONTRACHET 1 ^{ER} CRU LA GRANDE MONTAGNE 2018	750	19714	\$172.00	JR 17.5 (OUT OF 20)

FRANCE - BURGUNDY - CHABLIS WHITE WINE				
CHANSON FOURCHAUMES CHABLIS 1 ^{ER} CRU 2018	750	20658	\$54.00	WE 94
DOMAINE NATHALIE ET GILLES FÈVRE CHABLIS VAULORENT 1 ^{ER} CRU 2018	750	20384	\$63.00	DWWA 97
DOMAINE PINSON FRÈRES MONTMAIN CHABLIS 1 ^{ER} CRU 2018	750	340240	\$59.00	VIN 91
DOMAINE WILLIAM FEVRE CHABLIS 1 ^{ER} CRU FOURCHAUME 2018	750	976746	\$69.00	VIN 92-94


FRANCE - RHÔNE - NORTHERN RHÔNE RED WINE				
DOMAINE COURBIS LES EYGATS CORNAS 2018	750	719385	\$91.00	JD 98

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BH	burghound.com	IB	insideburgundy.com	WAL	winealign.com
BL	bluelifestyle.com	JD	jebdunnuck.com	WE	<i>Wine Enthusiast</i>
CAM	camdouglassms.com	JR	jancisrobinson.com	WF	winefront.com.au
DEC	decanter.com	JS	jamessuckling.com	WFW	<i>The World of Fine Wine</i>
DWWA	Decanter World Wine Awards	RP	robertparker.com	WS	winespectator.com
GD	guiadescorchados.cl	TAT	timatkin.com	WRO	winereviewonline.com
GR	<i>Gambero Rosso Magazine</i>	TRR	therealreview.com		

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FRANCE - RHÔNE - NORTHERN RHÔNE <small>WHITE WINE</small>				
CUILLERON LES CHAILLETS CONDRIEU 2018	750	559757	\$86.00	VIN 95
FRANCE - RHÔNE - SOUTHERN RHÔNE <small>RED WINE</small>				
DOMAINE DE LA CHARBONNIÈRE LES HAUTES BRUSQUIÈRES CUVÉE SPÉCIALE CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE 2017	750	579581	\$87.00	RP 96
DOMAINE LES ONDINES PASSION VACQUEYRAS 2017	750	536854	\$44.00	DEC 93
FRANCE - ALSACE <small>WHITE WINE</small>				
GUSTAVE LORENTZ ALTENBERG DE BERGHEIM VIEILLES VIGNES GEWURZTRAMINER 2015	750	499673	\$56.00	WE 95
JEAN BIECHER & FILS SCHOENENBOURG RIESLING 2019	750	469767	\$26.00	WE 96
FRANCE - CHAMPAGNE				
FRESNE DUCRET LA GRANDE HERMINE 1 ^{ER} CRU CHAMPAGNE 2008	750	14636	\$82.00	WAL 95
LAURENT-PERRIER CUVÉE GRAND SIÈCLE ITERATION #24 BRUT CHAMPAGNE	750	20000	\$250.00	JS 97
NICOLAS FEUILLATE PALMES D'OR BRUT CHAMPAGNE 2008	750	20702	\$190.00	JS 94
FRANCE - MIDI <small>RED WINE</small>				
GÉRARD BERTRAND LE VIALA 2019	750	387613	\$75.00	
AUSTRIA <small>WHITE WINE</small>				
BRÜNDLMAYER KAMPTALER TERRASSEN RIESLING 2019	750	20665	\$29.00	JS 95
GERMANY - MOSEL <small>WHITE WINE</small>				
BISCHÖFLICHE WEINGÜTER TRIER AYLER KUPP RIESLING KABINETT 2018	750	445809	\$28.00	WRO 95
GERMANY - RHEINGAU <small>WHITE WINE</small>				
BERG ROTTLAND RIESLING SPÄTLESE 2017	750	20709	\$38.00	WE 93
ITALY - CAMPANIA <small>RED WINE</small>				
NATIV BLU ONICE IRPINIA AGLIANICO 2017	750	19486	\$33.00	JS 94
ITALY - FRIULI <small>WHITE WINE</small>				
JERMANN CAPO MARTINO 2018	750	20998	\$103.00	GR 
ITALY - MARCHE <small>WHITE WINE</small>				
UMANI RONCHI PLENIO CLASSICO RISERVA VERDICCHIO DEI CASTELLI DI JESI 2017	750	324004	\$32.00	DWWA 94

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ITALY - PIEDMONT RED WINE				
CORDERO DI MONTEZEMOLO MONFALLETTO BAROLO 2016	750	707364	\$70.00	RP 95
RIZZI RISERVA BOITO BARBARESCO 2014	750	19490	\$80.00	WE 96
SAN BIAGIO ROCCHETTEVINO BAROLO 2015	750	19487	\$55.00	JS 95
TORRACCIA DEL PIANTAVIGNA GHEMME RISERVA 2012	750	21000	\$65.00	DWWA 97
VOERZIO MARTINI LA SERRA BAROLO 2016	750	15051	\$68.00	JS 95
ITALY - SICILY RED WINE				
FEUDO MACCARI MAHÂRIS SYRAH 2017	750	583500	\$40.00	JS 94
TENUTA DI FESSINA ERSE 2017	750	488601	\$28.00	JS 93
ITALY - TUSCANY RED WINE				
ALTESINO MONTOSOLI BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2015	750	92247	\$130.00	JS 97
CAPARZO LA CASA BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2015	750	20750	\$79.95	JS 97
CASTELLO DI BOSSI GRAN SELEZIONE CHIANTI CLASSICO 2016	750	13699	\$54.00	JS 97
FULIGNI RISERVA BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2013	750	294090	\$165.00	WE 96
PETROLO GALATRONA 2018	750	21998	\$186.00	DEC 97
RUFFINO DUCALE ORO GRAN SELEZIONE RISERVA CHIANTI CLASSICO 2014	1500	905927	\$121.00	WAL 92
SAN FELICE CAMPOGIOVANNI BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2015	750	991075	\$68.00	RP 94
ITALY - UMBRIA RED WINE				
MORETTI OMERIO MONTEFALCO SAGRANTINO 2016	750	20209	\$52.00	DWWA 97
ITALY - VENETO RED WINE				
SERGIO ZENATO RISERVA AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO 2015	750	132316	\$114.00	JS 98
ITALY - SÜDTIROL-ALTO ADIGE WHITE WINE				
NALS MARGREID SIRMIAN PINOT BIANCO 2019	750	340810	\$35.00	JS 95
PORTUGAL RED WINE				
HERDADE DE SÃO MIGUEL RESERVA 2017	750	538546	\$47.00	WE 93
QUINTA DA FALORCA OLD VINES GARRAFEIRA 2015	750	339184	\$99.00	RP 96
QUINTA DO BRONZE 2015	750	20706	\$89.00	WE 94
SPAIN RED WINE				
BSI GÉMINA CUVÉE SELECCIÓN 2016	750	21052	\$35.00	DWWA 95
FINCA VILLACRECES 2017	750	236422	\$50.00	RP 93
IZADI EL REGALO 2017	750	532994	\$47.00	TAT 95
URBINA SELECCIÓN 2000	750	11184	\$34.00	TAT 92

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AUSTRALIA RED WINE				
GIANT STEPS SEXTON PINOT NOIR 2019	750	18666	\$60.00	JS 96
HAPPS THREE HILLS CHARLES ANDREAS 2016	750	17395	\$59.00	AWC 96
PENNY'S HILL THE FOOTPRINT SHIRAZ 2017	750	54346	\$67.00	AWC 97
STANDISH THE SCHUBERT THEOREM 2018	750	19468	\$163.00	JS 100
AUSTRALIA WHITE WINE				
GIANT STEPS WOMBAT CREEK CHARDONNAY 2019	750	10780	\$59.00	JS 97
GROSSET POLISH HILL RIESLING 2020	750	932962	\$65.00	DEC 98
NEW ZEALAND RED WINE				
DOG POINT VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2010	750	20309	\$57.00	TRR 96
JACKSON ESTATE GUM EMPEROR PINOT NOIR 2013	750	20110	\$43.00	CAM 93
PASK DECLARATION CABERNET/MERLOT/MALBEC 2013	750	20109	\$40.00	TRR 95
NEW ZEALAND WHITE WINE				
GREYSTONE BARREL FERMENTED SAUVIGNON BLANC 2019	750	14565	\$29.00	VIN 92
RIPPON GEWÜRZTRAMINER 2019	750	20092	\$41.00	WF 96+
SOUTH AFRICA RED WINE				
TOKARA RESERVE COLLECTION CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017	750	10303	\$45.00	TAT 94
SOUTH AFRICA WHITE WINE				
RUSTENBERG FIVE SOLDIERS CHARDONNAY 2018	750	107375	\$50.00	DWWA 97
TOKARA DIRECTOR'S RESERVE WHITE 2017	750	632273	\$39.00	TAT 95
ARGENTINA RED WINE				
ALANDES PARADOUX RED BLEND	750	20327	\$37.00	JS 95
ALTOS LAS HORMIGAS GUALTALLARY MALBEC 2018	750	10675	\$62.00	GD 96
BENEGAS LYNCH LA ENCERRADA VINEYARD MALBEC 2017	750	20323	\$46.00	JS 95
FABRE MONTMAYOU GRAND VIN 2017	750	439422	\$60.00	GD 96
ARGENTINA WHITE WINE				
TRAPICHE TERROIR SERIES LIMITED EDITION FINCA EL TOMILLO CHARDONNAY 2017	750	17929	\$48.00	JS 98
CHILE RED WINE				
CLOS APALTA 2017	750	10712	\$234.00	JS 100
DE MARTINO VIGNO OLD VINE SERIES CARIGNAN 2018	750	15630	\$49.00	RP 98
ERRAZURIZ VILLA DON MAXIMIANO 2017	750	20405	\$50.00	GD 95
VIK LA PIU BELLE RED BLEND 2015	750	20401	\$94.00	DWWA 98

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USA - CALIFORNIA RED WINE				
BARRETT & BARRETT CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2015	750	444463	\$312.00	JD 97
EASTON ESCHEN-RINALDI OLD VINES ZINFANDEL 2013	750	281485	\$56.00	WE 93
FREEMARK ABBEY SYCAMORE VINEYARD CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016	750	391060	\$219.00	RP 95+
OBSIDIAN RIDGE HALF MILE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017	750	20616	\$99.00	WE 94
PEAKE RANCH JOHN SEBASTIANO PINOT NOIR 2018	750	16131	\$95.00	JD 95
PHARAOH MOANS SYRAH 2018	750	20638	\$170.00	JD 98
RAYMOND GENERATIONS CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017	750	941492	\$135.00	JD 96
RHYS HOME VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2014	750	20622	\$156.00	VIN 95+
RODNEY STRONG ROCKAWAY SINGLE VINEYARD CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016	750	202507	\$99.00	GW 94
STORMY WEATHER CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016	750	13773	\$185.00	RP 96
STORMY WEATHER NORTHERN GALE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016	750	20667	\$105.00	RP 94+
THE HILT THE VANGUARD PINOT NOIR 2017	750	407841	\$69.00	JD 96+
USA - CALIFORNIA WHITE WINE				
DUTTON-GOLDFIELD DUTTON RANCH CHARDONNAY 2018	750	287854	\$75.00	BL 94
KNIGHTS BRIDGE EAST BLOCK CHARDONNAY 2017	750	20606	\$109.00	RP 95
LA CREMA SARALEE'S VINEYARD CHARDONNAY 2017	750	14835	\$55.00	WE 93
TERRE ROUGE ENIGMA 2013	750	20583	\$40.00	WE 92
USA - OREGON RED WINE				
MAISON L'ENVOYÉ TWO MESSENGERS PINOT NOIR 2018	750	453357	\$49.00	JS 93
RÉSONANCE RÉSONANCE VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2016	750	20630	\$89.00	RP 93
DESSERT WINE				
TÜRK EISWEIN VOM GRÜNER VELTLINER 2018	375	20673	\$50.00	JS 96
FORTIFIED WINE				
ALVEAR SOLERA 1927 PEDRO XIMÉNEZ	375	463034	\$29.00	RP 98
KRANEMANN 20-YEAR-OLD TAWNY PORT	750	21380	\$95.00	DWWA 96
QUINTA DA DEVESA 20-YEAR-OLD TAWNY PORT	750	20967	\$65.00	RP 93

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