

#### Sparkling Wine & Champagne

#### 125ml glass bottle

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### PROSECCO EXTRA DRY CASA CANEVEL

Country	Italy
Region	Veneto
Grape	Glera
Alcohol	11%

#### TASTE:

Supremely drinkable: soft, aromatic and fresh with crisp apple and floral blossom notes.

#### PRODUCER:

Founded in 1979, in the historic heart of Prosecco production, the Valdobbiadene-Conegliano Superiore DOCG region. The name, meaning 'small cellar' in the local dialect, is a testament to the boutique origins of this prestigious producer.

#### 102 CHAMPAGNE TESTULAT ROSÉ

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Country	France
Region	Champagne
Grape	50% Pinot Noir, 50% Pinot Meunier
Alcohol	12%
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#### TASTE:

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Beautiful pink champagne only made with red grapes. Delicious flavours of wild strawberry, raspberry and a creamy texture.

#### PRODUCER:

The fifth generation of Testulat family in now in charge. The marque was established in 1862.

#### 101 COTTONWORTH CLASSIC CUVEE 10 55.2

Country Region Grape

Hampshire 35% Pinot Noir, 53% Chardonnay, 11% Pinot Meunier 12.5%

#### Alcohol TASTE:

Refined, creamy sparkling wine from 19 miles up the road. Beautiful balance between rich, toasty notes and elegant orchard fruits.

You won't be disappointed!

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#### PRODUCER:

The Liddell family have farmed at Cottonworth, in the Test Valley, for five generations. They planted their first vines in 2005.



#### 103 LAURENT-PERRIER BRUT

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Country France Region Champagne Grape 50% Chardonnay 35% Pinot Noir 15% Pinot Meunier Alcohol 12%

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TASTE:

Subtle citrus, toast and spice predominate this perfectly balanced champagne.

PRODUCER:

Champagne house established in 1812 when a former bottler left his land to his cellar master Eugene Laurent who run it with his wife Mathilde Emilie Perrier.

#### 107 BOLLIGER SPECIAL CUVÉE NV

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Country	France
Region	Champagne
Grape	25% Chardonnay, 15% Pinot Meunier
	15% Pinot Meunier, 60% Pinot Noir
Alcohol	12%

TASTE:

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One of the finest non vintage Champagnes available, always rich, toasty and full bodied, with wonderful concentration and depth of flavour. Many Champagne houses aspire to this style, but few succeed as well as Bollinger.

#### PRODUCER:

The House of Bollinger was created in 1829 in Aÿ through the exciting partnership of two eminent men, Admiral Athanase-Louis-Emmanuel, the Count of Villermont, who owned vines on the Montagne de Reims, and Jacques-Joseph-Placide Bollinger, his son-in-law. It has since become one of the most respected and consistent of champagne houses, producing full bodied champagnes with great longevity and grace. The house still uses ancestral techniques such as hand riddling and employs a resident cooper. As such, Bollinger was first Champagne House to receive the Patrimoine Vivant ('Living Heritage') seal of quality which rewards exceptional craftsmanship.

#### 106 CHAMPAGNE DRAPPIER QUATTUOR BLANC DE BLANCS NV

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#### Country France Region Champagne Grape 25% Arbane, 25% Blanc Vrai (Pinot Blanc

Grape	25% Arbane, 25% Blanc Vrai (Pinot Blanc),
1	25% Chardonnay, 25% Petit Meslier
Alcohol	12%

#### TASTE:

This unique blend of four white grape varieties is as complex and distinctive as you would expect: aromas of fresh grapes, citrus, red apple and fig are followed by a powerful, dry, multi-layered palate. **PRODUCER:** 

For one of Champagne's most forward-thinking producers, Drappier has no shortage of historic roots. An eighth-generation family business, the house was founded in 1808 and occupies magnificent twelfth-century cellars built by Cistercian monks.

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#### 104 LAURENT-PERRIER ROSÉ

Country
Region
Grape
Alcohol

France Champagne 100% Pinot Noir 12%

#### TASTE:

The wine shows hints of red and black fruit reminiscent of raspberries, black cherries and blackcurrants.

#### PRODUCER:

Champagne house established in 1812 when a former bottler left his land to his cellar master Eugene Laurent who run it with his wife Mathilde Emilie Perrier.

#### 105 DOM PÉRIGNON

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Country France
 Region Champagne
 Grape 50% Pinot Noir, 50% Chardonnay
 Alcohol 12.5%

#### TASTE:

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Silky and fresh with lots of lemon and green apples, good acidity and minerality.

#### PRODUCER:

Named after Dom Pérignon, a Benedictine monk who pioneered a number of wine making techniques around 1670. First vintage produced was 1921.

#### 106 KRUG GRANDE CUVÉE

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 Country France Region Champagne Grape 75% Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier, 25% Chardonnay Alcohol 12%

### TASTE:

Rich melon and citrus tones, with honey and spicy elements, making it light, fresh and youthful.

**PRODUCER:** Established in 1843 and still supervised by the Krug family. Central to the inimitable Krug style is the use of small oak barrels in its production process.

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#### WHITE WINE

#### 110 CANDIDATO VIURA

Country Spain
 Region La Mancha
 Grape 100% Viura
 Alcohol 12%

TASTE:

A fresh, crisp white wine with charming floral notes and flavours of red apple and peach.

#### PRODUCER:

Cosecheros y Criadores is a family-owned Bodega founded in 1951.Since then they have gained substantial commercial ground both in Spain and abroad. Today the winery has 6,000 American and French oak barrels and produces wines that are true to their origin at a very competitive level.

### CHARDONNAY & MOSCATEL TAMARIND GARDEN

Country Chile Region Valle Central Grape 90% Chardonnay, 10% Moscatel Alcohol 12%

TASTE:

A wonderful Chardonnay with a touch of Moscatel that makes this a perfect pairing with Indian cuisine! Flavours of citrus and stone fruits.

PRODUCER:

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Tamarind Garden has been specifically created by Berkmann Wine Cellars as the perfect partner for Indian cuisine.

#### 114 MORANDÉ PIONERO CHARDONNAY RESERVA

Country Region Grape Alcohol Chile Valle Central 100% Chardonnay, 13.5%

#### TASTE:

This cool-climate Chardonnay has a bright, citrussy aroma with pear and green apple fruit. The palate is medium-bodied and nicely rounded, returning to citrus on the fresh, clean finish.

#### PRODUCER:

Morandé was founded in 1996 by Pablo Morandé, and found immediate recognition both domestically and abroad. Morandé are true pioneers – they were the first family to develop the Casablanca D.O., recognising the fantastic potential of this cool-climate wine region.



175ml glass bottle

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### 116 SAUVIGNON BLANCDOMAINE LA PRADE

Country France

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Region	Languedoc–Roussillon
Grape	100% Sauvignon Blanc
Alcohol	12.5%

TASTE:

A crisp, lively Sauvignon Blanc with aromas of green apple, pink grapefruit and elderflower.

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#### PRODUCER:

These vineyards near the Languedoc town of Pézenas benefit from Mediterranean sun and the dry north wind to give ripe, healthy grapes packed with flavour.

#### 121 VINHO VERDE QUINTA DA LIXA

Country Region Grape Portugal Minho 40% Arinto, 30% Trajadura, 30% Loueiro 10.5%

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A fantastic Vinho Verde with a light spritz. Aromas of pink grapefruit, citrus and a beautiful minerality. Extremely refreshing!

#### PRODUCER:

Established by the Meireles family in 1986 in the small town of Lixa, Winning 5 gold medals in the Best Vinho Verde competition in 2014.

#### 111 PINOT GRIGIO CASTEL FIRMIAN MEZZACORONA

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CountryItalyRegionTrentinoGrape100% Pinot GrigioAlcohol12.5%

TASTE:

A very elegant Pinot Grigio. Expect gentle floral aromas and flavours of pear and honeydew melon.

#### PRODUCER:

Founded in 1904, the vineyards stretch across the plains and terraces of the Dolomites between Lake Garda and the Alps.

#### 117 VIOGNIER RÉVÉLATION, BADET CLÉMENT

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 Country France Region Languedoc
 Grape 100% Viognier
 Alcohol 13%

TASTE:

Bursting with flavours of apricot and peach alongside elegant floral notes. The palate is round, with a refreshing.

#### PRODUCER:

Badet-Clément is a forward thinking producer, founded in 1995 by Laurent and Catherine Delaunay, two winemakers of Burgundian origin.

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#### 115 GAVI DI GAVI LA CONTESSA BROGLIA 34.7

Italy Country Region Piedmont Grape 100% Cortese 12.5% Alcohol

TASTE:

A wine with great texture and freshness; a great alternative to Chablis with more aromatic flavours!

#### PRODUCER:

Piero Broglia released his first wine from his father's La Meirana estate in 1974, but there is a record of vines at the property that dates back to 971 AD, the very beginning of the story of Gavi.

#### **108 RIESLING WEINHAUS RESS**

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Country Region Grape Alcohol

Germany Rheingau 100% Riesling 12.5%

TASTE:

A dry Riesling from one of Germany's best regions and goes brilliantly with spicy food! Expect delicious flavours of orchard and citrus fruits.

#### PRODUCER:

Balthasar Ress was founded in 1870 by a hotelier of that name, who wanted to make wine to serve his guests. Now run by the fourth and fifth generations of the family, the company still produces wine under Balthasar's original brand name: 'Von Unserm', literally 'from us', a dry, multi-vineyard blend that represents the house style.

#### 109 BABICH FAMILY RESERVE MARLBOROUGH, SAUVIGNON BLANC

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Country Region Grape Alcohol

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New Zealand Marlborough 100% Sauvignon Blanc 13%

#### TASTE:

A superb example of New Zealand Sauvignon Blanc! Bursting with tropical fruit such as passion fruit and gooseberry.

#### PRODUCER:

Babich have a heritage that is rare in New Zealand, with their history long predating the viticultural boom of the last thirty years. One of the most highly regarded producers in Marlborough.



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#### 119 SINGLE VINEYARD RIOJA BLANCO FINCA ALTO CANTABRIA, VALDEMAR

CountrySpainRegionRiojaGrape100% ViuraAlcohol13%

#### TASTE:

The first Spanish white wine to be aged in oak barrels and has won best white wine from Spain twice! An excellent alternative to top white Burgundy for a fraction of the price!

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#### **PRODUCER:**

Bodegas Valdemar is a family company whose roots date back to 1889, and whose Riojas have long been a reference point for the DO. Despite this their approach is very much forward-looking.

#### 120 SANCERRE LA CROIX DU ROY DOMAINE LUCIEN CROCHET

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CountryFranceRegionLoire ValleyGrape100% Sauvignon BlancAlcohol13%

#### TASTE:

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A stunning example of how elegant Sauvignon Blanc can be; beautiful minerality, delicious texture and still brilliant intensity of fruit.

#### PRODUCER:

Lucien Crochet's great-grandfather married into the Picard family, who had been winegrowers in Sancerre since 1765 and laid the foundations of Domaine Lucien Crochet. Hand-harvesting, a rarity in Sancerre and the use of indigenous yeasts give particularly nuanced, elegant wines.

#### 118 CHABLIS 1ER CRU VAU LIGNEAU 14.2 58.9 DOMAINE HAMELIN

CountryFranceRegionBurgundyGrape100% ChardonnayAlcohol12.5%

#### TASTE:

A step up from your regular Chablis. Expect even more elegance, freshness and minerality. Try a glass and you'll want a bottle!

#### PRODUCER:

The Hamelin family has been growing vines in Chablis for six generations, each one adding to the holdings and developing the winemaking techniques. The domaine is spread between the villages of Poinchy, Beines and Lignorelles.



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#### 201 CHABLIS GRAND CRU BOUGROS JEAN-MARC BROCARD

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Country	France
Region	Burgundy
Grape	100% Chardonnay
Alcohol	13%

TASTE:

The highest quality of Chablis you can buy! Mineral on the nose with some smoky brioche notes. Elegant and concentrated palate with flavours of stone fruit, real texture and a beautifully long finish.

#### PRODUCER:

At nineteen hectares, this is a substantial domaine, owned by Marc Colin, a cousin of Michel Colin-Deléger in Chassagne. Three of Marc's children, Damien, Joseph and Caroline, now run the estate, with very fine results.

#### 202 ARTHUR CHARDONNAY, DOMAINE DROUHIN OREGON

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# CountryUSARegionOregonGrape100% ChardonnayAlcohol14%

TASTE:

An American wine produced by the Drouhin family, arguably Burgundy's most prestigious producer. A rich but equally elegant wine. Probably the best value Chardonnay on the list!

PRODUCER:

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When Joseph Drouhin established his eponymous négociant company in 1880, he could scarcely have imagined that his family name would one day grace an estate in Oregon. Purchased by his grandson Robert in 1987, Drouhin's Dundee Hills vineyard was joined in 2013 by Roserock Estate. Roserock has cool climate and volcanic soils; both produce Pinot Noir and Chardonnay of great clarity and finesse.

#### 203 MEURSAULT LES CHEVALIÈRES, XAVIER MONNOT

Country Region Grape Alcohol

France Burgundy 100% Chardonnay 13%

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TASTE:

A hidden gem from a top Meursault producer. No lack of power yet beautifully balanced by delicious stone fruits and a smoky finish. Perfect for any special occasion.

#### PRODUCER:

The Monnier family, Xavier Monnot's maternal ancestors, can trace their presence in Meursault back to 1723 and since then, six generations have been active in viticulture. In the intervening three hundred years, the family accumulated a number of enviable plots in the premier crus of Meursault Charmes, Puligny Folatières and Volnay Clos des Chênes. Monnot himself took the reins in 1994, but it was only in 2005 after a period of fine-tuning that he started producing wines under his own name.

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### Rosé Wine

175ml glass bottle

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#### 204 RIOJA ROSADO VALDEMAR

Country Region Grape Alcohol Spain Rioja 85% Garnacha, 15% Tempranillo 13%

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TASTE:

A pale, salmon coloured rosé; juicy and bursting with flavours summer berries and citrus notes. An excellent pairing with Indian cuisine!

#### PRODUCER:

Bodegas Valdemar is a family company whose roots date back to 1889. Unusually for Rioja, all the Valdemar grapes come from the family's own vineyard.

#### 205 CÔTES DE PROVENCE ROSÉ SAINT ROCH-LES-VIGNES

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Country	France
Region	Provence
Grape	50% Grenache, 50% Cinsault
Alcohol	13%

#### TASTE:

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An outstanding Provence rosé that delivers well beyond it's price! Beautifully pale with delicious flavours of white peaches, wild strawberry and lychees.

#### PRODUCER:

A group of vineyard owners from the Saint-Tropez peninsula set up this organisation in 1964 and have since gained a reputation as leaders in the Provence region. The winegrowers each vinify their grapes in the cellars of their own estates.

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#### 133 CANDIDATO TINTO (TEMPRANILLO)

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CountrySpainRegionLa ManchaGrape100% TempranilloAlcohol12.5%

TASTE:

Full bodied but extremely smooth. Flavours of plums, cherry and a touch of spice. Punches well above it's weight! **PRODUCER:** 

Produced by the Martinez Bujanda family who have been producing wines since 1889.

### CABERNET/MERLOTMANCURA ETNIA

Country	Chile
Region	Valle Central
Grape	50% Cabernet Sauvignon,
-	50% Merlot
Alcohol	13%

TASTE:

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This classic blend offers aromas of berry, tobacco, chocolate and cassis.

#### PRODUCER:

Mancura is a range of Certified Sustainable wines. With this commitment, the winery, workforce and local community, work to protect grape growing for future generations, while making delicious wines.

# <sup>134</sup> MALBEC LO TENGOBODEGA NORTON

CountryArgentinaRegionMendozaGrape100% MalbecAlcohol13%

TASTE:

An incredibly smooth and silky Malbec. A beautiful ruby red colour with flavours of blackberry, cherry and pomegranate. Extremely easy to drink!

#### PRODUCER:

The winery was founded in 1895 by English engineer Edmund Norton Palmer, who arrived in Mendoza for the constructions of the railway. It was the first winery in the southern part of the river valley, which today is considered the best wine region of Argentina.



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# MERLOT ESTATE RESERVE, MORANDÉ

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Chile
Casablanca
100% Merlot
13.5%

TASTE:

A deliciously velvety red wine. Tons of red berry flavours with notes cracked black pepper. A real crowd pleaser!

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#### PRODUCER:

These wines come from Morandé's flagship estates, Belén in Casablanca and Romeral in Maipo. The vineyards are planted to a high density and yield only none bottle of wine per plant, hence the name 'One to One'. With more structure nand complexity, these wines truly demonstrate the winery's quality potential.

#### 137 GARNACHA LA TRANSICIÓN SOTOMANRIQUE

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Country Spain

Country	spain
Region	DOP Cebreros-Sierra de Gredos
Grape	100% Garnacha
Alcohol	14%

#### TASTE:

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A delicate style of Garnacha; soft, ripe and juicy. An easy drinking red wine that pairs excellently with spice-infused white meats.

#### PRODUCER:

Aftert 25 years working in the world of fine wine, taking part on different projects on a national and international scale, Chuchi Soto decided to start his own project in 2013 under his family name of Sotomanrique.

### 127 CÔTES-DU-RHÔNE SAMORËNS ROUGE 35 FERRATON PÈRE & FILS

Country
Region
Grape

France Rhône Valley 85% Grenache, 10% Syrah, 5% Cinsault 14%

Alcohol

A modern take on a classic Cotes du Rhone style for more adventurous drinkers - not one to be overlooked! Silky smooth and will not disappoint!

#### **PRODUCER:**

Maison Ferraton was founded in 1946 by Jean-Orëns Ferraton, the scion of family of vignerons with a small holding in Hermitage.

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#### 126 RIOJA CRIANZA PROMESA FAMILIA MARTINEZ BUJANDA

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Country	Spain
Region	Rioja
Grape	100% Tempranillo
Alcohol	13.5%

TASTE:

A classic style of Rioja, with strawberry, blackberry and rhubarb fruit flavours taking on a vanilla and cocoa smoothness during twelve months in oak barrels.

PRODUCER:

Produced by the Martinez Bujanda family who have been producing wines since 1889.

### CHIANTI SUPERIORE SANTA CRISTINA MARCHESI ANTINORI

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CountryItalyRegionTuscanyGrape95% Sangiovese, 5% MerlotAlcohol13%TASTE:

A classic Chianti, offering aromas of red berry fruit, with vanilla and floral hints of violets. Flavoursome, medium-bodied palate, fresh in structure and with a delicious balance of fruit and savoury notes.

#### PRODUCER:

The Antinori family released their first wine under the Santa Cristina name in 1946. Since then Santa Cristina has been a byword for quality and value in Tuscany. The winery is located in Cortona, southern Tuscany.

#### 122 **ZINFANDEL SEBASTIANI**

 Country Region Grape

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#### United States California 81% Zinfandel, 15% Petite Sirah 2% Petit Verdot, 1% Syrah, 1% Others 14%

Alcohol

TASTE:

Very smooth and juicy, with ripe black fruit and no hard edges – a gentle giant.

#### PRODUCER:

The Sebastiani family own one of the longest-established wineries in California. It was founded in 1904 and survived both Prohibition and the Great Depression to remain at the forefront of Sonoma county winemaking.

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### 129 CHÂTEAU DE PARENCHÈRE, BORDEAUX SUPÉRIEUR

CountryFranceRegionBordeauxGrape100% MerlotAlcohol14%

#### TASTE:

A silky claret that offers aromas of ripe berry fruit and plums, a hint of smoke, with a medium-bodied. Beautifull flavours without breaking the bank.

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#### PRODUCER:

Château de Parenchère is a 153-hectare estate located near the eastern edge of the Bordeaux appellation, and has sixty-three hectares of vineyard planted. Its history can be traced back to 1570, and the building itself was rebuilt in 1731. Much of the wine at that point was used to bolster blends destined for England, but of course now it is bottled at the Château, allowing the quality of the vineyards to be appreciated in their own right.

#### 130 SHAY'S FLAT VINEYARD SHIRAZ, TOURNON

CountryAustraliaRegionVictoriaGrape100% ShirazAlcohol14.5%

#### TASTE:

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Tutti-frutti of black fruits, cherry. tobacco and liquorice flavours, silky-smooth tannins which give the wine a supple and generous mouthfeel. Savoury and peppery notes come through, with a fresh finish.

#### PRODUCER:

The Chapoutier family have long been known as a leading light of the Rhône Valley, but in 1997 Michel Chapoutier expanded their horizons into the New World, specifically the Australian region of Victoria. Initially making wines in conjunction with renowned local wineries such Jasper Hill and Giaconda, in 2009 Chapoutier purchased the Shays Flat and Landsborough Valley estates in the Australian Pyrenees, giving birth to the wholly owned Domaine Tournon. Here Chapoutier's skilled hand manages to evoke the minerality and elegance of the Northern Rhône, whilst still expressing the soil and climate of Victoria.

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### PINOT NOIRSPINYBACK

Country	New Zealand
Region	Nelson
Grape	100% Pinot Noir Alcohol 14%

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TASTE:

One of the lightest red on offer, bright strawberry and cherry aromas, with a medium-bodied palate. You can also enjoy this with a fish dish, or slightly chilled.

#### PRODUCER:

Spinyback wines are produced by Waimea Estate, located in Nelson, the neighboring region to Marlborough. The 140 hectares of vineyards were originally planted in 1993 by the Bolitho family, but the winery is now part of a forward-thinking group of New Zealand wineries, who have invested significantly both in the vineyards and winery. The investment does not stop there, as for each bottle sold a donation is made towards saving the endangered Tuatara or Spinyback a reptile that traces its lineage back to the time of the dinosaurs.

#### 131 MATURANA, BALCON DE PILATOS, BODEGAS VALDEMAR

CountrySpainRegionRiojaGrape100% MaturanaAlcohol14%

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A turbo charged Rioja. On the palate, it combines Rioja power with a Pauillac-like refinement and elegance.

#### PRODUCER:

TASTE:

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Bodegas Valdemar is a family company whose roots date back to 1889.

#### 135 CHOREY-LES-BEAUNE, HENRI DE VILLAMONT

Country	France
Region	Burgundy – Côte d'Or
Grape	100% Pinot Noir
Alcohol	12.5%

TASTE:

An old classic Burgundy. Blueberry and redcurrant fruit with the appellation's typical scent of jasmine. Mediumbodied, smooth & silky texture. A must try!

#### PRODUCER:

Occupying an impressive nineteenth-century building in Savigny-Lès-Beaune, Henri de Villamont is a medium-sized producer with some particularly well-sited vineyards.

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#### 136 CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE DOMAINE DE BEAURENARD

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Country Region Grape

Rhône Valley 70% Grenache, 10% Syrah, 10% Mourvèdre, 6% Cinsault, 4% other varieties 14.5%

Alcohol TASTE:

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Rich and intense, with spicy and balsamic notes. Lots of power and elegance. Incredibly long, every glass will get better! **PRODUCER:** 

The Coulon family at Domaine de Beaurenard combine ambition and modesty to winning effect. They have run this estate for seven generations (its history can be traced back even further, to 1695) and the vines average forty-five years old.

#### 132 CHÂTEAU MUSAR

Country	Lebanon
Region	Bekaa Valley
Grape	Cabernet Sauvignon, Cinsault,
	Carignan
Alcohol	14%

TASTE:

Taste Concentrated plum and blackberry fruit, hints of fig, prune, distinct liquorice and spice. Firm, but fine tannins, good acidity and body, vibrant and fresh with streaks of cedar and cinnamon. Long finish.

#### PRODUCER:

Château Musar was established in 1930 by Gaston Hochar at the tender age of 20. His inspiration was both the 6,000year winemaking history of Lebanon's Bekaa Valley and also his time in Bordeaux - a connection which was strengthened during the Second World War when he befriended Major Ronald Barton of Château Langoa-Barton while he was stationed in Lebanon. In 1959 he graciously stepped aside for his two eager sons Serge and Ronald.

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#### 206 CHARMES DE KIRWAN

Country	France
Region	Bordeaux
Grape	46% Cabernet Sauvignon, 38% Merlot
	10% Petit Verdot, 6% Cabernet Franc
Alcohol	13%

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TASTE:

A very old classic Margaux... A must try!

Fragrant, concentrated plum and blackcurrant fruit, smooth and velvety texture.

#### PRODUCER:

Château Kirwan was acquired by an Irish family of that name in the eighteenth century. Before that it had been the property of one of the very first négociants, Sir John Collingwood. After several changes in ownership, the estate was bought in 1925 by the Schÿler family - also négociants - in whose hands it remains today.

#### 207 CABERNET SAUVIGNON NAPA VALLEY 126 **BUENA VISTA WINERY**

USA Country Region California Grape 100% Cabernet Sauvignon Alcohol 14.5%

#### TASTE:

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Upfront aromas of black cherry, violet and maple are followed by a complex flavours on the palate of blackcurrant, red plum and cocoa. This is full bodied, with finely grained tannins and an intense and lengthy finish.

#### **PRODUCER:**

Following fermentation, the wine is aged in French oak barrels, around a third of which are new, for eighteen months. The wine is then racked and bottled unfiltered.

#### 208 BAROLO BUSSIA, PRUNOTTO

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Country Italy Region Piedmont 100% Nebbiolo Grape 13.5% Alcohol

TASTE:

Imposing single-site Barolo. On the nose, an intense perfume of plum and ripe cherry with hints of flowers and spicy aromas. On the palate, concentrated and profound, with soft texture and a long finish.

#### PRODUCER:

Alfredo Prunotto founded his business in 1922 and was one of Piemonte's most dynamic exporters until his retirement in 1956. The company passed then to Prunotto's friend Beppe Colla, now a revered winemaker and one of the founding fathers of modern Piemonte. The quality of the top wines goes without saying, but the rest of the range is made with equal aplomb. The style is modern without being exaggerated: freshness of aroma and approachability of structure are viewed as positives, but copious new oak is not. Indeed, the only wines that see the inside of a brand new barrique are the outstanding single vineyard Barberas.

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### DESSERT WINE

#### LA FLEUR D'OR, SAUTERNES

Country Region Grape France Bordeaux 90% Semillon, 10% Sauvignon Blanc 13.5%

#### Alcohol TASTE:

An immediately inviting nose, combining apricot fruit, creamy patisserie notes and a certain citrus brightness, leads to a sweet yet beautifully balanced palate. Luscious but never cloying.

#### PRODUCER:

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La Fleur d'Or is made by Bordeaux-based Sauternes expert Bill Blatch. Since 1995 Bill has used his enviable list of contacts to buy top-notch parcels of wine, the best of which make it into this classic blend. La Fleur d'Or is only made in superior vintages.



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