



WELCOME TO VINOTEKET VÄSTERÅS

THIS IS THE FOURTH EDITION OF OUR WINE BIBLE

A curated winelist featuring affordable everyday selections
alongside some exciting picks for the more experienced wine lovers.

BY THE GLASS



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Citrus

Apple

Melon

Almond

Toast

Peach



CHAMPAGNE

Champagne is the voice of celebration quietly sparkling with every moment it crowns

BOLLINGER

Champagne Bollinger is synonymous with finesse!

Pinot Noir is promoted here as the majority of their vineyards are dedicated to this bold grape. The use of oak is not only for aging but also for fermentation, which creates texture for the final wine. Finally, Bollinger also works with an extended fermentation time on the lees, where their champagnes mature far beyond what is required, thus creating a Champagne with a focus on power, structure and depth.

R.D

R.D was born from the decision to sell off the 1947 vintage and so began the process of choosing an old vintage, recently disgorged and then adding a dosage of wine and sugar as an Extra Brut. The recently disgorged bottle guarantees a remarkable refreshing freshness in the wine.

The date of this is important because it indicates how long the wine has had to age after it was bottled.

BOLLINGER R.D

2008 Vintage
Champagne, France
5995

CRISTAL

Cristal was created at the request of Tsar Alexander II of Russia in 1876.

The Tsar requested that each bottle be a crystal decanter so that he could see if poison had been added. He also demanded that the punt in the bottom of the bottle be replaced with a flat bottom to prevent explosives from being hidden in the bottle. He was wise from experience as half of the previous twelve Tsars before him had been assassinated – a fate that would eventually befall Alexander II as well.

Thus was created Cristal, the finest champagne that could be obtained from Louis Roederer's best vineyards on behalf of a genuine champagne lover and connoisseur. When the Tsarist era ended after the Russian Revolution in 1917, Louis Roederer chose to continue making this champagne, the house's pride of quality, which was released commercially in 1945.

To this day, Cristal is a study in terroir, elegance, and pure power.

LOUIS ROEDERER

Cristal 2016 Vintage
Champagne, France
4595

Vintages may vary

DOM PÉRIGNON

Dom Pérignon is probably the world's most famous champagne!

Revered globally for its distinctive bottle and a clear sign of the ultimate in luxury.

In addition to its cultural significance, Dom Pérignon is recognized for its exceptional quality and is celebrated for its meticulous winemaking, where Chardonnay and Pinot Noir are blended in almost equal parts.

Dom Pérignon as a brand stands for creativity and innovation

A big reason why this classic Champagne always feels relevant.

MOËT & CHANDON

Cuvée Dom Pérignon 2015 Vintage

Champagne, France

5995

KRUG

Champagne inspires luxury and Krug is the master of grandeur.

Founded in 1843, Krug has since specialized in producing only prestige champagne. Krug is the only Champagne

House that still ferments champagne in small oak barrels, an essential element in developing complex flavors.

Today, Henri, Rémi and Oliver Krug, representing the 5th and 6th generations, oversee every step of the production process. With long maturation periods, Krug continues to age gracefully after its launch. There is a wonderfully elegant opulence to these wines and the superiority they exhibit extends far beyond a non-vintage champagne.

KRUG

Grande Cuvée, 171ème Edition

Champagne, France

4500

DIEBOLT - VALLOIS

2011 Blanc de Blancs Millésimé
Champagne, France
2900

EGLY - OURIET

NV Grand Cru
Champagne, France
2250

GARDET

Cuvée Anniversaire 120 ans
Champagne, France
1550

GARDET

2006 Prestige Millésimé
Champagne, France
1950

GARDET

2000 Prestige Millésimé
Champagne, France
1950

LOUIS ROEDERER

2015 Rosé
Champagne, France
1950

MANDOIS

2018 Blanc de Noirs
Champagne, France
1250

R. DUMONT & FILS

2012 Extra Brut
Champagne, France
1150

PHILIPPONNAT

2012 Clos des Goisses
Champagne, France
5900

POL ROGER

2015 Cuvée Winston Churchill
Champagne, France
3950

Vintages may vary

OTHER BUBBLES

ALESSANDRA DIVELLA

NV NINI Franciacorta
Lombardy, Italy
1500

BIRICHINO

2022 Pet Nat Malvasía
California, USA
950

DOMAINE MOLTÉS

Crémant d `Alsace
Alsace, France
690

GUSBOURNE

2015 Brut Reserve LD
Kent & West Sussex, England
2450

VIGNOBLES BAYLE - CARREAU

NV Crémant de Bordeaux Rosé
Bordeaux, France
790

Lime

Green apple

Jasmine



Bee's wax

White pepper

White flowers

RIESLING / GRÜNER VELTLINER

Riesling is the jewel of Germany, the grace of Alsace and the hope of the world's dessert wine lovers..

Anonymous

DOMAINE WEINBACH

Greatness is not always easy to define, but here it is simple:

Domaine Weinbach in Alsace stands as one of the region's legendary estates.

Today, Catherine Faller, perhaps France's most charismatic winemaker, is the matriarch of the house, supported by her sons Théo and Eddy.

The estate has access to some of Alsace's most prestigious terroirs. In the cellar, antique large wooden barrels allow the wines to express the essence of their grape variety, resulting in wines of remarkable intensity, clarity and longevity. They offer a captivating expression of the region's rich winemaking heritage and the wines glow with life on the palate, as if lit from behind.

Domaine Weinbach is a clear testament to terroir-driven winemaking and produces wines of exceptional quality. Through dedicated work, this Domaine has earned its place among the greatest wine producers not only in Alsace but in the entire wine world.

DOMAINE WEINBACH

2020 Riesling Grand Cru Schlossberg

Cuvée Ste Catherine

Alsace, France

2595

Vintages may vary

ARNDORFER

2024 Grüner Veltliner "Handcrafted"
Kamptal, Austria
690

BASSERMAN-JORDAN

2019 Deidesheimer Kieselberg GG
Pfalz, Germany
1450

DOMAINE WACH

2018 Riesling Grand Cru Kastelberg
Alsace, France
950

DOMAINE ZIND-HUMBRECHT

2017 Riesling 'Clos Windsbuhl '
Alsace, France
1900

DOMAINE ZIND-HUMBRECHT

2022 'Clos Saint Urbain Rangen de Thann Grand Cru'
Alsace, France
2250

GEORG BREUER

2023 Riesling Estate Lorch
Rheingau, Germany
790

GEYERHOF

2021 Grüner Veltliner
Ried Hoher Rain / Kremstal, Austria
790

JOSMEYER

2008 Grand Cru Hengst Riesling
Alsace, France
2400

S.A. PRÜM

2017 Bernkasteler Lay Riesling GG
Mosel, Germany
970

SCHLOSS LIESER

2019 Riesling GG Niederberg Helden
Mosel, Germany
1600

WEINGUT DR LOOSEN
2024 Riesling Blue Slate
Mosel, Germany
690

WEINGUT GYSLER
2023 Riesling Sandstein Trocken
Rheinhessen, Germany
690

WEINGUT GYSLER
2023 Riesling Mandelberg Kabinett
Rheinhessen, Germany
790

WEINGUT LEITZ
2023 Riesling Dragonstone
Rheingau, Germany
690

WEINGUT SCHEUERMANN
2023 Riesling
Pfalz, Germany
750

WEINGUT SCHEUERMANN
2023 Riesling Kabinett
Pfalz, Germany
750

ÖKONOMIERAT REBHOLZ
2023 Riesling Trocken
Pfalz, Germany
750

ÖKONOMIERAT REBHOLZ
2020 Riesling GG 'Kastanienbusch'
Pfalz, Germany
1950

Apple

Pear

Citrus

Mango

Pineapple

Butter



CHARDONNAY

Chardonnay is the wine that changed the world.

Michel Rolland

BUISSON-CHARLES

2021 Meursault Vigne de 1945
Burgundy, France
2900

CHANIN WINE COMPANY

2017 Los Alamos Vineyard
Santa Barbra, California, USA
1500

DOMAINE ANDRE BONHOMME

2023 Viré Clessé Cuvée Spéciale
Burgundy, France
950

DOMAINE BERNARD MICHAUT

2023 Chablis
Burgundy, France
850

DOMAINE CORDIER

2022 Saint-Véran Vieilles Vignes
Burgundy, France
890

DOMAINE DE MONTILLE

2020 Beaune 1er Cru 'Les Aigrots'
Burgundy, France
1800

DOMAINE FRANCOIS LEGROS

2023 Puligny-Montrachet 'Noyer Bret'
Burgundy, France
2500

DOMAINE GÉNOT-BOULANGER

2020 Puligny-Montrachet 'Les Nosroyes'
Burgundy, France
1850

DOMAINE JULES DESJOURNEYS

2022 Beaujolais Blanc
Burgundy, France
950

DOMAINE MARC MOREY

2022 Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru 'En Virondot'
Burgundy, France
2900

DOMAINE MARC MOREY

2022 Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru 'Les Pucelles'
Burgundy, France
3500

Vintages may vary

ERDEVİK

2020 Omnibus Lector
Suvo Crveno, Serbia
1350

FAMILLE ROUX

2020 Saint-Aubin 1er Cru 'Jadis'
Burgundy, France
1700

FONTAINE-GAGNARD

2022 Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru 'La Boudriotte'
Burgundy, France
2700

FONTAINE-GAGNARD

2022 Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru 'La Romanée'
Burgundy, France
3300

FRANCOIS GAUNOUX

2019 Meursault 1er Cru 'La Goutte d'Or'
Burgundy, France
2300

GUEGUEN

2024 Petit Chablis
Burgundy, France
950

HOUSE OF SMITH

2021 CH Chardonnay
Washington, USA
790

JOSEPH BURRIER

2023 Chardonnay
Burgundy, France
890

JOSEPH COLIN

2023 Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru 'En Caillert'
Burgundy, France
2900

JOSEPH COLIN

2023 Saint-Aubin 1er Cru 'La Chatenière'
Burgundy, France
2500

MARABINO

2022 Eureka Chardonnay Etna
Sicily, Italy
790

SENSES WINES

2020 Charles Heintz Vineyard
Sonoma Valley, California, USA
1650

SHAFER

2019 Red Shoulder Ranch
Napa Valley, California, USA
1750

SMALL WONDER WINES

2023 Chardonnay
Tasmania, Australia
790

SON ANTEM ALARO

2022 Son Anten Alba
Mallorca, Spain
950

STAGS LEAP WINE CELLARS

2019 'Karia'
Napa Valley, California, USA
1350

STE MICHELLE WINE ESTATE

2018 MERF Chardonnay
Washington State, USA
750

TYLER

2019 Sanford & Benedict
Sta Rita Hills, California, USA
2150

WALTER HANSEL WINERY

2021 Cahill Lane Chardonnay
California, USA
1450

WHALEHAVEN

2021 Seascape Reserve
Walker Bay, South Africa
890

Vintages may vary

Chenin Blanc

Honey

Quince

Melon

Hay

Yellow apple

Lemon curd



Sauvignon Blanc

Black currant

Grapefruit

Elderflower

Passionfruit

White peach

Gooseberry

CHENIN & SAUVIGNON BLANC

Vins de Chenin are among the most versatile wines in the world.

Nicolas Joly

Sauvignon Blanc is the only white that can be both razor sharp and breezy at the same time - *Jancis Robinson*

AVONDALE

2021 Anima Chenin Blanc
Paarl, South Africa
790

BEAUMONT FAMILY WINES

2024 Chenin Blanc
Cape South Coast, South Africa
690

BEAUMONT

2023 Chenin Blanc Hope Marguerite
Cape South Coast, South Africa
950

CHÂTEAU DE ROCHEMORIN

2020 Sauvignon Blanc
Bordeaux, France
890

DOMAINE ARNAUD LAMBERT

2023 Chenin Blanc 'Midi'
Saumur, France
790

DOMAINE DES GRANDES PERRIERES

2024 Sancerre Sauvignon Blanc
Sancerre, France
890

DOMAINE ERIC MORGAT

2018 Fidès Savennière
Loire, France
1950

DOMAINE PELLE

2023 Sauvignon Blanc
Menetou-Salon "Morogues" / Loire, France
850

DOMAINE VACHERON

2022 Sancerre Chambrates
Loire, France
1750

FAMILLE LEBRUMARE

2023 Cuvée Silex Chenin Blanc
Loire, France
690

FAMILLE OOSTERLINCK

2022 Chenin Blanc Juchepie Mont
Loire, France
850

Vintages may vary

GREYWACKE

2023 Sauvignon Blanc
Marlborough, New Zealand
890

LOMOND

2023 "7 Rows Ben Nevis" Sauvignon Blanc
Western Cape, South Africa
890

WOLF & WOMAN

2023 Chenin Blanc
Swartland, South Africa
850

WOLF & WOMAN

2023 Chenin Blanc "Always present, often invisible"
Swartland, South Africa
1100

Producers

Grapes

Areas

Flavour profiles

Food combos

Personal taste



WHITE WINES WE LIKE

White wines from talented winemakers across the globe.
A world of brightness and a new discovery in every glass.

Chat GPT

4 MONOS
2022 Albillo
Sierra de Gredos, Spain
890

ANDRE PERRET
2019 Chéry Viognier
Condrieu, France
1900

BELONDRADE & LURTON
2022 Apolonia Verdejo
Castilla León, Spain
890

BRIJ WINES
2023 Albariño
California, USA
990

CHATEAU DE LA VIEILLE CHAPELLE
2023 Sémillon "Amuse Gueule Blanc"
Bordeaux, France
750

CHATEAU DE REIGNAC
2019 Bordeaux Blanc
Bordeaux, France
950

CHIESA CARLO
2023 Arneis
Piedmont, Italy
750

CRAVEN
2023 Viognier
Stellenbosch, South Africa
790

DOMAINE DE CHEVILLARD
2022 Jacquère
Savoie, France
890

DOMAINE DE L 'AIGLE A DEUX TETES
2023 Côtes de Jura "Les Clous" Savagnin
Jura, France
990

DOMAINE DE LA PEPIERE
2023 Muscadet Sèvre et Maine Sur Lie
Loire, France
690

DOMAINE DU PÉLICAN
2023 Arbois Savagnin Ouille
Jura, France
1590

Vintages may vary

DOMAINE LAOUGUE

2021 Pacherenc du Vic Bilh "Talion"
Petit Manseng & Petit Courbu / Madiran & Pacherenc, France
1150

DOMAINE LAOUGUE

2024 Pacherenc du Vic Bilh
Petit Manseng / Madiran & Pacherenc, France
690

DOMAINE PIERRE USSEGLIO & FILS

2018 Chateauneuf-du-Pape Blanc
Southern Rhône, France
950

DOMAINE RIJCKAERT

2022 Côtes de Jura "Sarres" Savagnin
Jura, France
990

DOMAINE WEINBACH

2019 Pinot Gris 'Clos de Capucins'
Alsace, France
1700

DONIENE GORRONDONA

2024 Gorrondona Hondarrabi Zuri
Basque Country, Spain
690

EMILIO MORO

2023 El Zarzal Godello
Bierzo, Spain
850

FATTORIA SAN LORENZO

2023 Di Gino Bianco
Marche, Italy
790

JEAN-BAPTISTE SOUILLARD

2023 Rousanne
Rhône Valley, France
850

JOSMEYER

NV Fleur de Lotus Alsace Blend
Alsace, France
790

MAISON GAUTHERON D'ANOST

2023 Bourgogne Aligoté "Le Bien Urbain"
Burgundy, France
930

MARCEL DEISS

2002 Engelgarten Cru d'Alsace
Alsace, France
2700

MARCEL DEISS

2004 Grasberg Cru d'Alsace
Alsace, France
2900

MARCEL DEISS

2009 Grasberg Cru d'Alsace
Alsace, France
2900

MARCEL DEISS

2009 Shoffweg Cru d'Alsace
Alsace, France
2500

MARCEL DEISS

2011 Engelgarten Cru d'Alsace
Alsace, France
2700

MONTE DEL FRA

2023 Ca del Magro
Veneto, Italy
690

NINO NEGRI

2023 Ca 'Brione Alpi Retiche Nebbiolo Bianco
Valtellina, Italy
850

OLIVELLA

2024 Catalanesca
Campania, Italy
790

RAFAEL PALACIOS

2022 Louro Godello
Valdeorras, Spain
890

STROHMEIER

2020 Lysegrön Nr 8
Steiermark, Austria
1350

VINEVIDU LDA

2024 Génese Alvarinho
Vinho Verde, Portugal
690

VINEVIDU LDA

2024 Guri
Vinho Verde, Portugal
650

WEINGUT GYSLER

2023 Feldstärke Pinot Gris/Grauburgunder
Rheinhessen, Germany
690

Vintages may vary



WOLF & WOMAN
2023 Grenache Blanc
Swartland, South Africa
950

ORANGE

FAMILLE FABRE
2023 Generation Louis Andrieu
Languedoc - Roussillon, France
690

STROHMEIER
2020 Gratitude Nr 1
Steiermark, Austria
1350

SCIONS OF SINAI
2023 Chenin Blanc / Grenache Blanc
Coastal Region, South Africa
750



Cranberry

Cherry

Raspberry

Clove

Mushroom

Red currants



PINOT NOIR

Pinot Noir is the most difficult grape to grow and the most alluring to drink.

Louis Jadot

DRC

Domaine de la Romanée-Conti, often abbreviated DRC, holds an unrivalled position in the wine world, renowned for its exclusivity, prestige and quality. With holdings in some of the most exclusive Grand Cru vineyards, including two monopolies, DRC produces wines of unrivalled concentration and character. The domaine's commitment to high-density plantings and low yields ensures that the fruit embodies the Burgundy terroir. The result is a collection of wines that embody the elegance and finesse Burgundy is renowned for.

DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE-CONTI

2019 Vosne-Romanée, 1er Cru Cuvée Duvait-Bloch
Burgundy, France
14000

Vintages may vary

BIRICHINO

2022 Pinot Noir Saint Georges
California, USA
990

CALERA

2017 Reed Vineyard
Mt Harlan, California, USA
2700

CLOS HENRI ESTATE

2021 Pinot Noir
Marlborough, New Zealand
850

CONO SUR

2022 Pinot Noir "Ocio"
Aconcagua, Chile
1250

DOG POINT VINEYARD

2020 Pinot Noir
Marlborough, New Zealand
1100

DOMAINE DE CHASSORNEY & FRÉDÉRIC COSSARD

2021 Savigny-Les-Beaunes 'Les Gollards'
Burgundy, France
1700

DOMAINE DE CHASSORNEY & FRÉDÉRIC COSSARD

2021 Saint-Romain 'Sous Roche'
Burgundy, France
1400

DOMAINE DE LA ROCHETTE

2024 Bourgogne Rouge / Montagne de Cra
Burgundy, France
890

DOMAINE DE LA VOUGERALE

2022 Bourgogne Rouge "Terres de Famille"
Burgundy,, France
990

DOMAINE GENOT-BOULANGER

2022 Chambolle-Musigny
Burgundy, France
2100

DOMAINE GENOT-BOULANGER

2020 1er Cru Mercurey-Saumonts
Burgundy, France
1900

DOMAINE GENOT-BOULANGER

2022 Mercurey 1er Cru 'En Sazeney'
Burgundy, France
1750

DOMAINE GENOT-BOULANGER

2017 Volnay 1er Cru 'Ronceret'
Burgundy, France
1950

DOMAINE GROS FRÈRE & SOEUR

2019 Echèzeaux, Grand Cru
Burgundy, France
4500

DOMAINE GROS FRÈRE & SOEUR

2018 Echèzeaux, Grand Cru
Burgundy, France
4200

DOMAINE GROS FRÈRE & SOEUR

2017 Echèzeaux, Grand Cru
Burgundy, France
4300

DOMAINE GROS FRÈRE & SOEUR

2015 Echèzeaux, Grand Cru
Burgundy, France
4500

DOMAINE MARC ROY

2020 Gevrey-Chambertin 'Cuvée Alexandrine'
Burgundy, France
3500

DOMAINE MONTHELIE-DOUHAIRET-PORCHERET

2022 Bourgogne Rouge Pinot Noir
Burgundy, France
990

DOMAINE ROSSIGNOL TRAPET

2021 Beaune 1er Cru 'Les Teurons'
Burgundy, France
2900

ERIC CHEVALIER

2022 "Pièce de L'Orée" Pinot Noir
Loire, France
750

J. CHRISTOPHER

2018 Basalte Pinot Noir
Oregon, USA
970

MEYER FAMILY VINEYARDS

2023 Pinot Noir
British Columbia, Canada
1250

Vintages may vary



MIKEY & GINA GIUGNI
2022 Bassi Vineyard Pinot Noir
California, USA
1250

PHILIPP KUHN
2022 Pinot Noir Tradition
Pfalz, Germany
750

PHILIPP KUHN
2021 Pinot Noir Kirschgarten GG
Pfalz, Germany
1550

SEBASTIAN ERBELDINGER
2020 Spätburgunder XXX
Rheinhessen, Germany
1250

WHALEHAVEN
2023 Mountain Stone Pinot Noir
Walker Bay, South Africa
850

WINES OF SUBSTANCE
2023 PN Pinot Noir
Washington, USA
690



Acidity

Strawberry

Red Cherry

Raspberry

Cranberry

Moderate Tannins

Floral Notes

Light Bodied



GAMAY

Gamay is the grape that makes you believe in happiness in a glass.
Alice Feiring

CHÂTEAU DE BEAUREGARD
2020 Moulin-à-Vent La Salomine
Burgundy, France
1750

DOMAINE BONNE TONNE
2023 Morgon "Dame de Coeur" Gamay
Burgundy, France
890

DOMAINE TAUPENOT-MERME
2022 Passe-tout-grains
Burgundy, France
850

DOMAINE VALMA
2022 Fleurie "Les Labourons Les Rangs Tard" Gamay
Burgundy, France
950

EVENING LAND
2022 Seven Springs Gamay
Oregon, USA
1450

JEREMIE HUCHET
2024 Passe-tout-grains
Loire, France
650

JULIE BALAGNY
2022 Docteur Briquo
Beaujolais, France
1200

JULIE BALAGNY
2022 Minouche
Beaujolais, France
1200

JULIEN SUNIER
2021 Fleurie Gamay
Burgundy, France
950

GUY BRETON
2023 Fleurie
Beaujolais, France
1450

Vintages may vary

Roses

Cherry

Leather

Cranberry

Clay

Aniseed



NEBBIOLO

Nebbiolo ages into Grace, its tannins soften like a memory.

James Suckling

AR PE PE

2016 Grumello Buon Consiglio Riserva
Valtellina, Italy
2250

ARNALDO RIVERA

2016 Barolo 'Vignarionda'
Piedmont, Italy
2100

BURZI

2019 Barolo 'La Serra'
Piedmont, Italy
2600

CASA DI MIRAFIORE

2008 Barolo Lazzarito
Piedmont, Italy
1900

CERETTO

2019 Barbaresco 'Bernadot'
Piedmont, Italy
2200

CHIESA CARLO

2018 Roero Monfriggio
Piedmont, Italy
1200

FLAVIO RODDOLO

2013 Barolo
Piedmont, Italy
2500

GIUSEPPE ELLENA

2022 Langhe Nebbiolo
Piedmont, Italy
790

LA SPIA

2020 Sasella Nebbiolo
Valtellina, Italy
1250

MARCHESI DI BAROLO

2018 Barolo Cannubi
Piedmont, Italy
1700

MONCHIERO

2013 Barolo Montanello Riserva
Piedmont, Italy
2100

NADA

2021 Langhe Nebbiolo Organic
Piedmont, Italy
750

Vintages may vary



NADA

2018 Barbaresco Casot Organic
Piedmont, Italy
1100

NINO NEGRI

2018 5 Stelle Sfursat
Lombardy, Italy
1750

RADICI E FILARI

2020 Langhe Nebbiolo
Piedmont, Italy
890

ROVERO

2021 Langhe Nebbiolo
Piedmont, Italy
750

SAGACE (1L)

2022 Langhe Nebbiolo
Piedmont, Italy
790

UGO LEQUIO

2015 Barbaresco 'Gallina Riserva'
Piedmont, Italy
2400

Cherry

Plum

Dried fig



Tobacco

Dill

Vanilla

TEMPRANILLO

In Tempranillo you taste the landscape of Spain.

Robert Parker

BODEGAS AALTO

2022 Aalto
Ribera del Duero, Spain
1350

BODEGAS CONVENTO LAS CLARAS

2016 Heritage
Ribera del Duero, Spain
950

BODEGAS MUNIA

2022 Carácter Tinta de Toro
Toro, Spain
790

BODEGAS MUNIA

2022 Tálamo Tinta de Toro
Toro, Spain
950

BODEGAS PORTIA

2023 Portia Roble
Ribera del Duero, Spain
750

BODEGAS VIRTUS

2019 Virtus Gran Reserva
Castilla - León, Spain
1300

BODEGAS VIVANCO

2017 Parcelas de Graciano
Rioja, Spain
1700

BODEGAS ZIFAR

2016 Pago de las Sabinas
Ribera del Duero, Spain
1700

BODEGAS ZIFAR

2016 Caballero Zifar
Ribera del Duero, Spain
1700

DOMINIO DE PINGUS

2021 'Flor de Pingus'
Ribera del Duero, Spain
2300

EMILIO MORO

2022 Mallelous
Ribera del Duero, Spain
1150

MARQUES DE MURRIETA

2015 Gran Reserva
Rioja, Spain
1800

Vintages may vary

OXER WINES

2022 Ahari
Rioja, Spain
1700

RAMIREZ DE LA PISCINA

2017 Gran Reserva
Rioja, Spain
950

RAMIREZ DE LA PISCINA

2020 Rioja Selección
Rioja, Spain
890

RAMIREZ DE LA PISCINA

2019 Reserva
Rioja, Spain
790

SOLDERA

Soldera is widely regarded as one of Italy's most legendary wineries! Nestled in the Val d'Orcia in Tuscany the estate has become synonymous with extraordinary terroir-driven wines that embody both elegance and power. Soldera's philosophy centers on restraint, patience, and an unwavering commitment to quality, culminating in wines that age gracefully and reveal a deep sense of place.

Case Basse, Brunello di Montalcino is the flagship wine crafted from meticulously selected Sangiovese vines,

Case Basse expresses pristine fruit, mineral precision, and refined tannins that invite long cellar aging. It is renowned for its vertical complexity, vibrant acidity, and the ability to evolve with bottle age, revealing evolving layers of cherry, underbrush, spice, and balsamic nuances.

Soldera and Case Basse stand as timeless benchmarks in Italian winemaking, reminding us that true luxury in wine is found in quiet mastery, patience, and a sense of place that endures.

SOLDERA

2019 Case Basse
Tuscany, Italy
12500

Vintages may vary

ARGIANO

2015 Brunello Riserva
Tuscany, Italy
2900

BIONDI-SANTI

2019 Rosso di Montalcino Tenuta 'Greppo'
Tuscany, Italy
1900

CAPARZO

2019 Brunello di Montalcino
Tuscany, Italy
990

FATTORIA NITTARDI

2023 Ad Astra
Tuscany, Italy
750

MARCHESI ANTINORI

2013 Solaia
Tuscany, Italy
5900

VILLA GEGGIANO

2019 Chianti Riserva
Tuscany, Italy
890

TENUTA BUON TEMPO

2021 Rosso di Montalcino
Tuscany, Italy
750

TENUTA BUON TEMPO

2019 Brunello di Montalcino
Tuscany, Italy
1150

TENUTA BUON TEMPO

2015 Brunello di Montalcino Riserva 'Oliveto'
Tuscany, Italy
1750

TENUTA LUCE DELLE VITE

2020 Lucente Blend
Tuscany, Italy
1150

Blueberry

Plum

Chocolate



Tobacco

Pepper

Cigar box

SYRAH vs SHIRAZ

Syrah is the soul of the Rhône and the heat of Australia - same grape wildly different personalities.

Michael Brodbent

DOMAINE JEAN-LOUIS CHAVE

Domaine Jean-Louis Chave has a presence in the northern Rhône that cannot be underestimated; renowned for creating exceptional wines and nowhere more evident than on the steep Hermitage hill near the town of Tain on the east side of the Rhône River. Their vineyards spread across eight different sub-plots on the hill offering different mesoclimates and terroirs.

The Chave family's winemaking heritage dates back to 1481.

Today, the estate is run by Gérard Chave 's son Jean-Louis, under the watchful eye of his father. Gérard, who took over in the 1970s, quickly rose to stardom thanks to wines of exceptional quality.

JEAN-LOUIS CHAVE

2013 'Hermitage Rouge'
Northern Rhône, France
6500

PENFOLDS

Few names command as much prestige and reverence in the wine world as Penfolds, founded in 1844 on the Magill Estate near Adelaide. This picturesque valley in South Australia was the birthplace of the Penfolds Grange range, proudly considered one of Australia's "First Growth" wines. Initially focusing on medicinal sherry and port, the winery quickly pivoted to meet the popular demand for clarets and rieslings under the leadership of Mary Penfold, following the death of Dr. Christopher Penfolds in 1870.

Penfolds' winemaking philosophy revolves around meticulous attention to detail, vineyard cultivation, fermentation and ageing. With vineyards spanning a diverse range of terroirs, from the sunny Barossa Valley to the cool Adelaide Hills, Penfolds showcases the breadth of Australia's wine-growing landscape.

This commitment to sourcing grapes from optimal growing conditions allows the winemakers to adopt a fruit-focused approach, emphasising the unique characteristics of each vineyard. Led by the renowned Peter Gago, Penfolds' winemaking team undertakes the Herculean task of blending wines from many different plots and regions to create a consistent and exceptional range of wines. With Grange as its flagship, Penfolds remains a symbol of Australian winemaking with a legacy of innovation, dedication to quality and an unwavering commitment to showcasing the best of Australia's terroir.

PENFOLDS GRANGE

The true hallmark of Penfolds' legacy, however, is the creation of the Grange range, coined by winemaker Max Schubert in the 1950s. Inspired by Bordeaux winemaking techniques and aiming to elevate Australian wine to international recognition, Schubert's experimental venture with the Shiraz grape was initially met with scepticism. Despite early setbacks, Schubert continued in secret and introduced the Grange range to critical acclaim.

Today, Grange stands as a symbol of Australian winemaking excellence, with vintages such as 1955 winning numerous awards worldwide.

PENFOLDS WINERY

2009 'Grange'
Barossa Valley, Australia
9500

DELAS

2022 Syrah Crozes-Hermitage "Les Launes"
Rhône, France
790

DOMAINE DES TOURELLES

2023 Syrah du Liban Grande Cuvée
Bekaa Valley, Libanon
970

DOMAINE ROSTAING

2020 Côte-Rôtie Ampodium
Northern Rhône, France
1950

JEAN-BAPTISTE SOUILLARD

2022 Syrah
Rhône, France
890

LOMOND

2023 Syrah
Western Cape, South Africa
750

PAX MAHLE WINES

2014 PAX Syrah 'Griffin's Lair'
Sonoma Coast, California, USA
1800

RIVAR MAYER

2023 Bloody Hill Villages Syrah
Yarra Valley, Australia
950

STEPHAN OGIER

2023 Le Temps est Venu / Côtes du Rhône
Rhône, France
750

VINCENT RUIZ

2023 Syrah "Yseult Mon Amour"
Rhône, France
890

Black currant

Cherry

Pepper fruits



Cedar wood

Clove

Baking spices

CABERNET & FRIENDS

The King of Red wine grapes, which throws off lots of blackcurrants.

It is the rootstock of the great Bordeaux Wines and has taken Napa Valley by storm.

AZIENDA AGRICOLA POLIZIANO

2020 In Violas Merlot
Tuscany, Italy
950

B . LEIGHTON

2020 Petit Verdot
Walla Walla, Washington, USA
1900

BODEGAS SON MAYOL

2016 Grand Vin Son Mayol
Mallorca, Spain
1900

CHÂTEAU CAPET-GUILLIER

2011 Saint-Emilion Grand Cru
Bordeaux, France
2300

CHÂTEAU DE CROIZILLE

2001 Saint-Emilion Grand Cru
Bordeaux, France
2300

CHÂTEAU DE CROIZILLE

2010 Saint-Emilion Grand Cru
Bordeaux, France
2300

CHÂTEAU DE FIGEAC

2016 Petit-Figeac Saint-Emilion Grand Cru
Bordeaux, France
2500

CHÂTEAU DE ROCHEMORIN

2021 Le Rouge
Bordeaux, France
890

CHÂTEAU LAFON-ROCHET

2015 Grand Cru Classé
Bordeaux, France
2100

CHÂTEAU MITJAVILE

2018 Roc de Cambes
Côtes de Bourg, Bordeaux, France
1900

CHÂTEAU MONTROSE

2004 Grand Cru Classé
Bordeaux, France
3900

COMPAGNIE MEDOCAINE

2018 "Authentique"
Bordeaux, France
790

Vintages may vary

DOMAINE DE CHEVALIER
2018 Grand Cru Classé de Grave
Bordeaux, France
2500

DOMAINE DE GALOUCHEY
2020 "Le Galouchey"
Bordeaux, France
950

DUCKHORN VINEYARDS
2018 Napa Valley Merlot
California, USA
1600

GARAGE WINE COMPANY
2019 Las Higueras Cabernet Franc
Maule Valley, Chile
1100

JULIEN AROUX
2024 Domaine "Red" Merlot
Bergerac, France
850

LETTERHEAD WINES
2018 Single Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon
Calistoga, Napa Valley, California, USA
1950

LOUIS MARTINI
2017 Monte Rosso Cabernet Franc
Sonoma Valley, California, USA
1850

LOUIS MITJAVILE
2021 Le Versant
Bordeaux, France
950

NEDERBURG
2020 The Brewmaster
Bordeaux Blend / Stellenbosch, South Africa
950

PHALMEYER
2019 Merlot
Sonoma Valley, California, USA
2700

PHALMEYER
2020 Jayson Cabernet Sauvignon
Sonoma Valley, California, USA
2900

PHILIP TOGNI VINEYARDS
2017 Tanbark Hill Cabernet Sauvignon
Napa Valley, California, USA
1950

PINE RIDGE VINEYARDS
2021 Cabernet Sauvignon
Napa Valley, California, USA
1500

RABBLE WINE COMPANY
2023 Cabernet Sauvignon
California, USA
750

RIVAR MAYER
2023 Bloody Hill Villages Cabernet Sauvignon
Yarra Valley, Australia
950

ROMBAUER
2021 Cabernet Sauvignon
Napa Valley, California, USA
2300

SPRINGFIELD ESTATE
2016 Méthode Ancienne Cabernet Sauvignon
Robertson, South Africa
1850

STE MICHELLE WINE ESTATE
2020 Cold Creek Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon
Washington State, USA
1150

TWOMEY
2014 Merlot
Napa Valley, California, USA
1900

Vintages may vary

Elegant reds

Artisinal

Expressions

Versatile

Irresistible

Captivating



RED WINES WE LIKE

Noteable reds from near and far, crafted for depth, charm and everyday moments

4 MONOS
GR-10 Blend
Sierra de Gredos, Spain
690

ABDYIKA WINERY
2020 First Selection Ruen, Cabernet Sauvignon
Strimona Valley, Bulgaria
970

ANIMA NEGRA
2018 ÁN
Mallorca, Spain
1500

ANTOLINI
2020 Corvina
Veneto, Italy
690

ARTISANS VIGNERONS DE NAOUSSA
2019 Xinomavro "Skyphos"
Naoussa, Greece
750

BODEGAS RECTORAL DE AMANDI
2023 Matilda Nieves Mencía
Bierzo, Spain
690

BRESSAN
2018 EGO
Friuli, Italy
1850

CA L'APOTECARI
2013 Triaca Garnacha, Merlot
Priorat, Spain
1950

CAVALLOTTO
2023 Grignolino
Piedmont, Italy
950

CELLER AIXALA ALCAIT
2018 Clivelles de L'Alzina
Priorat, Spain
1900

CLOS CULOMBU
2023 Storia di I Sgio
Corsican Blend / Corsica, France
950

CLOS DE L'OBAC
2015 Blend
Priorat, Spain
2500

Vintages may vary

CLOS DE L'ORATOIRE
2019 Clos de L'Oratoire Chateauneuf-du-Pape 'Cuvée Les Choregies'
Southern Rhône, France
1900

COMANDO G
2023 La Bruja de Rozas Garnacha
Madrid, Spain
890

DAL FORNO
2017 Valpolicella Superiore
Veneto, Italy
2900

DOMAINE ANDREE
2020 Groulleau L'Envolée
Loire, France
950

DOMAINE BOIS DE BOURSAN
2022 Châteauneuf-du-Pape
Rhône, France
1290

DOMAINE DE CHEVILLARD
2020 Mondeuse
Savoie, France
990

DOMAINE DES CREISSES
2023 Blend
Languedoc - Roussillon, France
950

DOMAINE LABRANCHE LAFFONT
2021 Tannat VV EKO
Madiran, France
950

DOMAINE LA ROUBINE
2021 Gigondas
Rhône, France
890

FATTORIA SAN LORENZO
2023 Di Gino Rosso
Marche, Italy
790

FINCA LAS MORAS
2021 Mora Negra Malbec
San Juan, Argentina
890

FLAVIO RODDOLO
2012 Barbera d'Alba
Piedmont, Italy
1700

GALARDI

2013 Terra di Lavoro
Campania, Italy
1750

GARAGE WINE COMPANY

2019 Bagual Vineyard Lot 106 Cariñena
Piemonte, Italy
950

GIUSEPPE QUINTARELLI

2007 Amarone della Valpolicella
Veneto, Italy
6500

GODELIA

2016 Mencía Selección
Bierzo, Spain
850

HABLA DEL SILENCIO

2023 Blend
Extremadura, Spain
690

LOMOND

2023 Belladonna SMV
Western Cape, South Africa
790

MARABINO

2020 Rosso di Contrada Nero d'Avola Etna
Sicily, Italy
790

NADA

2022 Barbera d'Alba Organic
Piedmont, Italy
750

OXER WINES

2022 Suzzane
Rioja, Spain
1800

QUINTA DE CHOCAPALHA

2019 CH Touriga Nacional
Lisboa, Portugal
1250

ROTEM & MOUNIR SAOUMA

2022 Omnia Châteauneuf-du-Pape
Rhône Valley, France
1950

SAGENIS I VAQUE

2010 Clos Monlleó
Priorat, Spain
1900

Vintages may vary

SCALA DEI
2021 Heretge Scala Dei
Priorat, Spain
1900

SON ANTEM ALARO
2023 Camins Callet
Mallorca, Spain
890

TENUTA SAN LEONARDO
2015 Carmenère
Vigneti delle Dolomiti, Lombardy, Italy
1500

TIAGO TELES
2022 Gilda, Alfrocheiro, Baga
Bairrada, Portugal
750

VER SACRUM
2022 Garnacha
Mendoza, Argentina
850

VINCENT RUIZ
2023 Grenache "Les Noces Alchimiques"
Rhône, France
890

VINO DI ANNA
2022 Palmentino Rosso Nerello
Sicilia, Italy
890

GRAPES A-Z

A

AGLIANICO

If Nebbiolo is King of Northern Italy then Aglianico is King of the South. Think fresh tannic wines with ageing potential and a flavour profile that often include plum, cherry, tobacco, cedar wood and coffee notes. A wine of incredible quality and a unique savoury flavour that's best enjoyed with some age to the bottle. Drink to complement stews, big meat dishes, mushrooms and creamy sauces,

ALBARINO

A delightfully refreshing coastal white that grows on the Iberian Peninsula. It's loved for its rich stone fruit flavours, a hint of salinity and zippy acidity, A real friend to all things from the sea, Albarinio pairs exceptionally well with white fish and meats as well as leafy green herbs. Try It with fish tacos. Soft cheeses like burrata or semi-hard cheeses like manchego, gouda and salty feta cheese will be a killer alongside these fresh and bright wines.

ALIGOTÉ

Burgundy's other white wine grape, more rarely encountered than Chardonnay yielding light citrusy, wines. Try with lean mineral flavours and palate cleansing acidity. Aligoté does wonderfully alongside fish dishes, soups, salads and gooey cow's milk cheeses.

ALBANA DI ROMAGNA

The grape is planted primarily in the Emilia-Romagna region of Italy. Albana is used to produce refreshing young whites and is a versatile variety. Several methods exist on its wine development and those are used to develop secco (dry), amabile (semi-sweet) and passito (sweet) wines. In most cases, dry Albana wines give primary notes of nuts and fresh fruits like green apples, pineapples and peaches.

ALTESSE

This grape variety produces characterful, age worthy wines, which achieve a compelling complexity after a few years in the bottle. In its youth, flavours range from fresh almonds and bergamot to pineapple, peach and quince. With age, the wines develop aromas of honey, toast, nuts and white truffle.

ARENI

This red grape hails from a town of the same name in south Armenia. Because of geographical isolation and its harsh growing climate, it was never affected by phylloxera. Its thick skin protects it from the summer sun and the harsh, high-elevation, continental climate. It makes red wine with light hue, high clarity, fresh acidity, and soft tannins. Wines made from this grape can have sour cherry, herb, spice, and grassy flavors.

ARINTO

An indigenous grape to Portugal that produces exceptional, age-worthy whites with the ability to evolve over 7 or more years; revealing flavors of beeswax and nuts. An excellent pairing with richer seafood due to its high acidity and lemon-zest like flavours.

ASSYRTIKO

Native to Santorini, Assyrtiko is a rare grape in terms of Vineyard area, but is quickly picking up acreage throughout Greece. Noted for its texture, acidity and minerality this grape is perfect for shellfish and of course Greece classic tomato-feta cheese salads. Try it out and you will find it is very versatile with a wide range of cuisines.

B

BARBERA

Barolo and Barbaresco is what everybody talks about from the Piedmont area, but Barbera is what everybody drinks. This everyday wine can be found in vineyards all across the world and is a great wine to complement medium intensity dishes.

BLAUFRÄNKISH

Rich black fruit is contrasted by peppery flavors and boisterous acidity in this food-friendly Austrian red. Blaufränkisch is a parent grape of both Gamay and Zweigelt. Great pairings include smoked sausage, red potato goulash, and cheesy spaetzle dumplings.

BONARDA

Making a big name for itself in Argentina, but it is not the same grape as in Italy. Argentinas Bonarda is a grape called Douce Noir. The actual, true Bonarda grapes are a group of at least six distinct Italian grape varieties where the most well known is Bonarda Piemontese.

BRACHETTO

Brachetto d'Acqui is a frizzante (semi-sparkling) sweet red wine from Piedmont that's known for it's candied and floral aromatics. A perfect match with rich, creamy chocolate desserts like ganache and mousse. For fun, try Brachetto d'Acqui with berry tarts and strawberry ice cream. Dry versions are lovely with pizza.

C

CABERNET FRANC

Cab Franc is a parent grape of Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, and Carménère and gives them a hint of mint or green bell pepper. It can be lighter or bolder depending on where it's grown, but it is always tasty. Cabernet Franc has proven to be very robust and produce good quality wines in a range of climates. This is a clue to its diversity of tastes. From tart red fruit flavours in cooler climates such to more dried fruit flavours and fuller bodied wines in warmer areas such as Tuscany and California. You'll also find a mixture of savoury, tart, and herbal flavours in moderate climates, such as Bordeaux.

CAGNULARI

"The black bastard" is the direct translation of this grape variety. It has good ageing potential and produces dry, warm and full-bodied wines.

CARICANTE

Caricante produces a fresh, yellow straw, lightly fragrant white wine. The name Carricante comes from the Italian Caricare (to load, to burden) in reference to the variety's heavy yields. Carricante is grown at high altitudes on Mount Etna.

CARIGNAN

Carignan is a black-skinned wine grape currently planted in Spain and France. It is commonly used in red wine blends with Grenache and Syrah. It works well with cinnamon-spiced dishes, berry-based sauces, and smoky meats.

CARMÉNÈRE

Carménère originated in Bordeaux, France, but is now grown mainly in Chile. The wine is treasured for its supple red-and-black berry flavours and herbaceous green pepper notes. It was recently discovered to be genetically identical to Cabernet Gernischt, a major red grape grown in China. Ideally, try to match with leaner grilled meats with savory sauces like Chimichurri, green salsas, mint, or parsley pesto will complement the herbal qualities of the wine and make it taste more fruity.

Vintages may vary

CHIAVENNASCA BIANCA

This grape variety comes from Austria, but the parentage is unknown. The red version of Chiavennasca is more known as Nebbiolo.

CORVINA

Corvina has a few tricks up its sleeve – it makes light bodied, low tannin red wines, full bodied, high alcohol, tannic red wines, and sweet red wines too. When fresh grapes are used, Corvina doesn't have a lot of color or tannin, but it does have high levels of acidity. Wines are light bodied and made in a dry style, similar to wines from Beaujolais. Perfect for pairing with pizza, antipasti, bruschetta, and red pasta sauces, all of which work well with the refreshingly high level of acidity. But, when dried grapes are used, such as with Amarone, tannins are high and grippy, with high levels of alcohol, and a hint of sweetness. Try flame-grilled Porcini mushrooms, medium-rare t-bone steak, or a rich lamb stew, which will match the intense flavours of the wine.

CRIOLLA BLANCA

Criolla is the name of the grapes that were brought to Argentina by the Spaniards in the 15th century. By spontaneous crosses with European grapes these today produce light, fresh and easygoing wines that are popular today.

D

DOLCETTO

This grape has its home in the Piedmont region of Italy. The name means "Little sweet one" but funny enough the wines are usually tart, with loads of black fruit flavours and sometimes a bit of aggressive tannins.

E

ERBALUCE

A rarely encountered Piedmontese varietal; vinified usually as a light-bodied, high acid white wine, also sometimes made into sweet wines using the passito method. When vinified as a white table wine, think lighter, fresher dishes, these pair well with the crispness and body. Salads, antipasti or light seafood will fit here.

F

FALANGHINA

Two unique varieties (Falanghina Beneventana and Falanghina Flegrea) define Campania's signature white. Wines are zesty with peach fruit, minerals, and almond notes. A great match with scallops, prawns, or clams. Try it seasoning your dish with lemon, garlic, and parsley.

FIANO

A fascinating Southern Italian white with a richer, almost waxy texture that's known to be age worthy. A richer and more flavourful white wine like Fiano matches well with savoury glazed light meats like orange-rosemary roasted chicken and soy-glazed salmon.

FRIULANO

Officially called Sauvignonasse, this lean, dry, herbal white is often mistaken for Sauvignon Blanc. You'll find it in abundance in Northeastern Italy in Friuli-Venezia Giulia. A great choice alongside salads and roasted green vegetables. This is one of the few wines that can stand up to challenging pairings like green beans, artichokes, cabbage, and Brussels sprouts.

FURMINT

Furmint is one of the most important Hungarian varieties famously used in Tokaji Aszú sweet wines, but also available as a dry white wine in similar style to Riesling. With its green spicy flavours and bracing acidity it complements herb crusted poultry or fish and delicate Asian dishes like sushi and dumplings.

G

GAGLIOPPO

A delicious, rare find from Calabria that is the child grape of Sangiovese and sibling to Sicily's Nerello Mascalese. Wines often deliver dusty fruit flavours. A great match with Italian fare including pasta Bolognese, spaghetti pomodoro and Margherita pizza. Gaglioppo pairs with both light and dark meats.

GAMAY

A fruity, floral and sometimes earthy light-bodied red that is the main variety planted in Beaujolais. Outside of France, Gamay has a tiny but devoted following. One of just a few red wines that pairs with all manner of dishes from sweet and sour salmon steaks to beef stroganoff to steak tartare with asian flavours.

GARGANEGA

An important Italian white that's loved for its lean, dry style that gains rich tangerine and toasted almond notes as it ages. Garganega is the main grape of Soave. Try pairing Soave with lighter meats, tofu, or fish. You'll find it's at home around foods flavoured with a citrus dressings, tarragon, and other aromatic green herbs.

GARNACHA BLANCA

A full-bodied white wine that originated in Northern Spain. Loved for its intense flavours, higher alcohol content and plush style when aged in oak (similar to Chardonnay). It will pair with a variety of foods from fish dishes to rich meats like lamb. The secret to pairing with Garnacha Blanca is to consider its spiced flavours of cumin and tropical greenness. Just remember not to go too spicy with heat because alcohol makes capicum burn.

GEWÜRZTRAMINER

Treasured for its intense floral aromas, Gewürztraminer has thrived for centuries in the foothills of the Alps and the Vosges Mountains. Whilst sweet smelling, many are dry and even display a savoury side with age. Most Gewürztraminer wines are not made to be aged. They're best enjoyed young to preserve their fresh aromas. However, a few select wines from the best vintages and vineyards in both Italy and France, can age for a decade or more and become savory and honeyed with time. Gewürztraminer pairs well with traditional soft, stinky cheeses such as Munster or Gorgonzola. That works with both the sweet and dry styles. However, when you step outside traditional European cuisine, you'll also find amazing pairings for this highly aromatic grape.

GODELLO

A rare grape with great potential from the Iberian peninsula delivers mouth-watering flavours of briny grapefruit. The best examples offer smoky minerality. If your dish features cilantro and lime prominently, chances are, it will pair marvellously with Godello.

GRENACHE

Grenache (aka Garnacha) produces rich, flavorful red wines and deep, ruby-tinted rosé. The French have championed this grape in the Southern Rhône Valley but it's original home is Spain!The high intensity flavors of Grenache match well with roasted meats and vegetables spiced with Asian 5-spice and cumin.

GRENACHE BLANC

A colour mutation of Grenache producing full bodied white wines that are sometimes aged in oak to deliver toasty, creamy, dill-like flavours. A great choice with more steak-like fish including tuna steaks, swordfish and grilled snapper.

GRIGNOLINO

Usually referred to as a "Summertime Nebbiolo" best enjoyed slightly chilled. Grignolino produces light coloured wines and roses most commonly grown in the Piedmont area.

GRILLO

At home in Sicily; the table wines that result are full in body, with a floral, herbal aroma. A major component of Sicily's fortified flagship wine: Marsala. Think of Grillo as a fuller, funky alternative to Pinot Grigio. With that slight herbal note and bright acidity, all seafood, vegetable dishes and pastas will do well.

GRÜNER VELTLINER

Austria's most important grape is produced in a myriad of styles, the most popular of which are lean, herbaceous, and peppery with mouth-watering acidity. Most wines are bone dry, or might have a hint of residual sugar, but you can't notice it with the very high acid. Styles range from light and zesty to full bodied and rich, again, depending on the climate. Most wines see no new oak, so expect that vein of freshness in all Grüners. The best Grüners become nutty and waxy with age. The acidity and spice in Grüner Veltliner matches perfectly with creamy or fatty dishes. The traditional pairing of Wiener Schnitzel is perfect, but Tonkatsu or even Ramen would be great too. Aged versions are great with hard mountain cheeses such as Gruyère or Appenzeller.

GUTEDEL

The Gutedel grape is one of the oldest grape varieties cultivated by the Egyptians over 5000 years ago. It is believed that the cultivation of the grape spread to the Romans and ancient Greeks. In the beginning of the 16th century the French obtained the grape variety and began planting it in the Chasselas region. Gutedel wines go well with light dishes like seafood and egg & pasta dishes.

H

HONDARRIBI ZURI

A light-bodied white wine that originates from The Basque Country, used to produce the famous Txacolí wines. Good for pairing with fresh seafood for its acid crispiness and neutral aromas to accompany such type of food. Due to cold climate it tends to grow perfectly due to its late budding. Alcohol content is lower and sometimes it can be produced "sur lie" to gain some fatness on the palate.

I

INCROCIO MANZONI

Incrocio Manzoni is a white wine producing grape variety grown in Italy. It is one of the many clones created by Prof. Luigi Manzoni. AND a crossing between Riesling Renano and Pinot Bianco. The Incrocio Manzoni grape makes full bodied white wines. The wines also have an intense aroma which is also one of the reasons for its increasing demand.

J

K

KERNER

Another child of Riesling, this time crossed with Schiava (aka Trollinger, a red) and it produces a lean, minerally and savory white wine with subtle notes of apricot skins and almond. Unfortunately, you won't find much German Kerner, the majority exported internationally comes from the Alpine region of Alto Adige in Italy.

L

LISTÁN NEGRO

Most notably found in Spain's Canary Islands, this dark skinned red grape is also found in Peru, where it is known as Negra Peruana and used for the production of Pisco. With many examples showing similarly to a youthful Beaujolais, it stands to reason that charcuterie and cheese, or antipasti of all kinds will work well here.

M

MALBEC

Argentina's most important variety came by way of France, where it's commonly called Côt. Wines are loved for their rich, dark fruit flavors and smooth chocolatey finish. Before Argentina took on Malbec, it was just a minor grape in South-West France. Today, Malbec makes up three quarters of Argentina's vineyards and is spread throughout the world. It is a great choice with leaner red meats and does wonders with melted blue cheese.

MALVASIA

It is considered to be one of the most ancient grape varieties around. Malvasia is scarcely vinified on its own and largely mixed amongst many other wines throughout Italy. For example it is mixed with Trebbiano to make Vin Santo and with Sangiovese to make the Rosé wine Occhio di Partridge. In Spain it is mixed with Viura to create Lopez di Heridia's famous Vina Tondonia and of course it is one of the main varietals of sweet Madeira wine.

MARSANNE

A primary blending grape in white Rhône blends that also include Roussane, Grenache Blanc and sometimes Viogner. A great alternative to Chardonnay. Rich and fruity Marsanne pairs excellently with rich shellfish (think shrimp) and the citrus notes make it a great counterpoint to south Asian cuisine.

MELON

Melon or Melon de Bourgogne is the grape of the Muscadet region of France, known for its lean, mineral, and saline driven white wines that pair famously with seafood. Throw some clams or mussels in a pan with a little garlic, parsley, butter and a splash of Muscadet and you'll find out why this wine is perfect with seafood.

MENCÍA

A red variety from the Iberian peninsula (Spain and Portugal) that's quickly developing a following. It's loved for its heady aromatics, lively acidity, and potential to age. Over time in bottle, Mencía evolves to savory and earthy notes. Most bottles mature elegantly over 3-7 years, while exceptional examples can continue to develop for up to a decade or more. Mencía's versatile nature harmonizes with a range of dishes. Its floral bouquet and tart fruitiness shine with lean meats, charcuterie, and rich, savory stews. A fine partner for cured cheeses, its peppery notes also enhance earthy mushrooms, hearty beans, or steak au poivre. With age, Mencía becomes a robust companion for game meats.

MONASTRELL

A deeply bold, smoky red wine found in abundance in Central Spain and Southern France (where it's known as Mourvèdre). Monastrell is the "M" in the Rhône / GSM blend. A perfect wine with smoked meats and barbecue where the wine's peppery and gamy flavours seem to vanish, revealing layers of black fruits and chocolate.

MONTEPULCIANO

A popular Italian grape mostly labeled as Montepulciano d'Abruzzo. The best examples deliver complex black fruit flavours with a smoky sweet finish.

MUSCATO

Muscato wine is famous for its sweet flavours of peaches and orange blossom. It is one of the oldest known grapes in the world. This grape is found all across the world in countries like France, Italy, Austria, Greece, Israel & even Australia. Each region has its own style.

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NEGROAMARO

A red wine that grows in abundance in Puglia but almost nowhere else; producing wines with rich black fruit flavors with a distinct finish of dried herbs. Try a Negroamaro or blend with barbecue chicken, pizza, pulled pork sandwiches or teriyaki. Caramelized foods seem to bring out the sweetness in this wine.

NERELLO MASCALESE

A rare red Sicilian grape producing fine light to medium bodied wines reminiscent of Pinot Noir. The best examples are found growing on the volcanic hillsides of Mount Etna in Sicily.

NERO D'AVOLA

Sicily's most important grape variety. Often likened to Cabernet Sauvignon due to its full-bodied style and flavours of black cherry and tobacco.

NOSIOLA

Nosiola is a white wine grape variety that is grown in the Trentino region north of Lake Garda. Often used as a blending component or used to produce the famous sweet wine Vin Santo and Passito from grapes that have been allowed to dry out prior to fermentation. The name Nosiola is believed to have derived from the Italian word Nocciola (hazelnut) which could be a reference to the characteristic toasted hazelnut flavours in this grape.

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OSELETA

The Oseleta vine has spread in the area of Valpolicella and Monti Lessini since ancient times, and most recently was part of the blend Recioto and Amarone della Valpolicella, even if not expressly mentioned in the specification. This vine is almost certainly the result of domestication of local wild grape. Recovered from an almost certain fate of abandonment, it has been gradually rediscovered since the '70s. The Oseleta grape gives wine of an intense ruby red color, fruity and spicy on the nose, tannic, rich and full-bodied. It brings body and color to blends.

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PAÍS

The Chilean name for the Spanish grape, Listán Prieto. It's been used mostly for bulk rosé until recently, where quality-minded, natural winemakers are launching tart, high-tannin reds made from País old vines. Go Mediterranean. Spanish tapas, Greek meze, fatty fish, duck, chicken or goose, as well as mushrooms or simple grilled vegetable dishes.

PALOMINO FINO

Palomino is the prized pony in the sherry triangle; most notably Jerez, where it grows on chalky soils called albariza and is used in making Sherry. A few still, dry, single-varietal wines exist and expound saltiness.

PECORINO

A light skinned grape used in Italy's eastern coastal region, particularly in Marche and Abruzzo. A classic Pecorino-based wine is dry and mineral, straw yellow in colour and has an elegantly floral bouquet of acacia honey and jasmine. It's the kind of grape that can be approachable youthful of age-worthy and complex.

PEDRO XIMÉNEZ

The Andalusian grapes responsible for some of the world's sweetest fortified wines are often dried in the sun to further concentrate the sugars. PX drizzled on a fresh fruit salad or on your pancakes would be just amazing.

PETIT MANSENG

Petit Manseng (sometimes translated Small Manseng, rarely Little Manseng) is a white wine grape variety that is grown primarily in South West of France. It produces the highest quality wine of any grape in the Manseng Family. The name is derived from its small, thick skin berries.

PETITE SIRAH

Petite Sirah is loved for its deeply colored wines with rich black fruit flavors and bold tannins. The grape related to Syrah and the rare French grape, Peloursin. The French call it "Durif" but this wine is rare outside of California. Given the wines sometimes aggressive tannins, Petite Sirah will do well matched with fat and umami – be it steaks from the grill or a plate of beef stroganoff.

PETIT VERDOT

Considered a minor blending grape in Bordeaux, Petit Verdot has shown promise as a single-varietal wine in warmer climates where it makes smooth full-bodied reds. A bold and boisterous wine with a shorter finish will do well with roasted meats that have a pungent note, such Cuban style pork or even burgers with blue cheese.

PICPOUL

A very old French white wine variety that's recently become increasingly popular for its lip-zapping white wines that pair perfectly with shellfish and fried foods. A great choice for pairing with fried appetizers as well as seafood from raw oysters and sushi to Mediterranean-themed fish dishes and fried calamari.

PINOTAGE

Originating from South Africa, Pinotage offers a spectrum of charm, from lively and accessible to mature and substantial. More than just a fusion of its parent varieties, Pinot Noir and Cinsaut, Pinotage embodies the distinctive spirit of its homeland. For an easy-drinking Pinotage, consider pairing with pepperoni pizza or a hearty beef stew. If your Pinotage has more earthy undertones, try it with roasted duck or a rich mushroom risotto. For a full-bodied, mature Pinotage, robust dishes like braised short ribs or a pepper-crusted steak make excellent partners. When in doubt, Pinotage always works with BBQ thanks to its smoky nuances.

PINOT BLANC

Pinot Blanc is the white grape mutation of Pinot Noir. It's found mostly in Germany and Northern Italy where wines are refreshing, peachy, and dry. A wine like Pinot Blanc is best suited to foods with more subtle flavouring. It will match up well with soft cheeses, salads with cream dressings and flaky fish.

PINOT GRIS

Pinot Gris (aka Pinot Grigio) is a pinkish grape mutation of Pinot Noir. It's famously known for zesty white wines, but can also create fuller bodied white wines and even be used for rosé. Look to Northern Italy, Alsace, Oregon, and Germany for benchmark examples. Lighter, zesty styles excel with seafood, salads, and mild cheeses, while full-bodied or orange versions complement rich meats like roast chicken or pork. Sweet, late-harvested Pinot Gris is a perfect match for fruity desserts or even on its own. Pinot Gris rosé is an excellent aperitif and pairs nicely with light pasta, charcuterie, or salty snacks. Its diverse range matches the broad variety of world cuisine.

POSIP

Full-bodied white wines, often crisp with flavours of apples, vanilla spice, citrus fruits and a subtle almond note. Today it is spread around Croatia.

PRIMOTIVO

The name Primotivo comes from the Latin word "Primativus" and the old Italian word "Primiticcio", both mean early ripener or first to ripen. It originally hails from Croatia but has its greatest success in the US where it is known as Zinfandel.

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REFOSCO

A family of closely related varieties found Northern Italy and neighbouring Slovenia with genetic links to the grapes of Valpolicella. Wines range in body and style but usually feature deep color and elevated acidity. Cured meats, game, roasted fare and spiced dishes work well with this richer, fuller-bodied red.

RKATSITELI

A popular dry white wine in Eastern Europe all the way to Georgia where producers use ancient winemaking techniques to produce intensely flavourful oxidative wines. This grape pairs excellently with Lebanese, Turkish, Iranian and even Indian cuisines.

ROUSSANE

An intriguing, rare full-bodied white found mostly in Southern France where it's blended into white blends with Grenache Blanc, Marsanne and sometimes Viogner. Producers of Roussane in the US produce richer oak-aged wines that are reminiscent of Chardonnay. For this style, opt for buttery meats like lobster, crab, foie gras and paté.

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SAGRANTINO

A rare, central-Italian red found mostly in Umbria. It's recently been noted to contain some of the highest polyphenol (antioxidants) levels of any red wine. Given Sagrantino's super high tannin and astringency, look for dishes that feature fat and umami. Earthy sausages, wild mushrooms, and cheese all match well.

SAPERAVI

This is the most widely planted red wine variety in Georgia. Like Alicante Bouschet, it is teinturier with red flesh and red juice. This dark-skinned and dark-fleshed grape makes deep red, inky, and often opaque wine with heavy body and profound texture. Some wineries in the country label it as black wine instead of red. Due to the grape's marked acidity and myriad characteristics of black fruit, licorice, chocolate, earth, smoked meat, tobacco, savory spice, and pepper, it is extremely versatile and can be made into rosé, dry, semi-sweet, sweet, and fortified wines. A dry red Saperavi wine resembles a mix between Blaufrankisch and Syrah.

SAVAGNIN

Mainly cultivated in the North East of France in the regions Jura and Arbois. Also grown in Germany, Italy and Australia. Dry, full-bodied wines, often a bit nutty and oxidised. Wines in the style of Vin Jaune are really complex, nutty and yeasty. The dry wines go well with flavourful fish dishes and Vin Jaune is great for rustic food with more saltiness and acidity. Drink with matured hard cheeses, nuts & balsamic vinegar.

SCHIAVA

A group of several varieties, the finest of which is called Schiava Gentile. Wines are sweetly aromatic and light-bodied with aromas reminiscent to cotton candy and roses. A wonderful pairing with shrimp, chicken, and tofu, particularly with southeast Asian cuisine that feature basil, ginger, galangal, and other aromatic herbs.

SCHIOPPETINO

A dark-skinned grape variety native to the Friuli-Venezia Giulia region of northeast Italy. Nearly lost to extinction due to the phylloxera epidemic. Most Schioppettino wines are medium-bodied, deeply-colored, aromatic on the nose (violets and red berries) and spicy to the palate ("peppery" and "earthy" are oft-encountered descriptors). Schioppettino is most often produced as a dry red wine, but can also be made into sparkling spumante versions.

SÉMILLON

Originating from Bordeaux, Sémillon now thrives worldwide, showcasing a dynamic spectrum of styles. Its signature taste offers zesty citrus, honey, and a hint of nuts. Whether it's the backbone of luxuriously sweet Sauternes or standing alone in crisp, dry whites, Sémillon effortlessly reveals its versatility and global charm. Lighter, unoaked styles of Sémillon, like from the Hunter Valley, with its bright acidity, does a stellar job cutting through the richness of dishes like salmon or mushroom risotto, while the vibrant citrus notes make it a natural pair with shellfish. Oaked Sémillons, with their richer palate, can step in nicely for Chardonnay, making them a great companion for roast chicken, creamy risotto, or lobster thermidor. For sweeter styles, try the classic pairing of sweet and salty with a slice of rich blue cheese or salted nuts.

SILVANER

An undervalued white wine primarily found in Germany. Silvaner or Sylvaner Wines deliver boisterous peach-like fruit contrasted by subtle herbal flavors. Fans of Pinot Gris will delight. Great for alfresco dining and best served alongside fruit-driven salads and lighter meat, tofu and fish dishes, especially when served with fresh aromatic herbs.

ST LAURENT

Likely originating in Austria, this small berried vine yields cherry flavoured wines that have been compared to a deeper coloured, beefier version of Pinot Noir. The lighter body and notable, yet soft tannins just beg for richly flavoured foods such as roast duck, mushroom risotto or cured meats.

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TROUSSEAU

Trousseau or Trousseau Noir, also known as Bastardo, Merenzao, and Verdejo Negro, is a red wine grape originating in the Jura region of eastern France. Trousseau is vinified into a variety of styles, including red, rosé, Crémant du Jura (sparkling), and the centuries-old Macvin du Jura (vin de liqueur). But other regions are catching up, with new plantings in the United States, Australia, and Argentina. It has aromas of deep cherry, violets, strawberry, orange marmalade, lemon peel, nutmeg, black pepper, ripe cheese, seafoam, cured meats, and aged game. It has a chewy and pithy texture with a creamy soft silky finish.

TROUSSEAU GRIS

This is a light skinned mutation of the dark Trousseau found in Eastern France. Though the mutation is believed to have occurred in Europe, Trousseau Gris is more known as a Californian variety under its synonym Grey Riesling.

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VERDEJO

A herbaceous white wine that grows almost exclusively in the Rueda region of Spain. A great food wine due to its higher acidity and subtle bitterness acting as a palate cleanser. Enjoy with lime-chicken, fish tacos or carnitas.

VERDICCHIO

A fascinating white found primarily in the Marche region of Italy where Verdicchio wines are loved for their sweet peachy aromatics and somewhat oily texture. A great aperitif wine served alongside almonds, prosciutto, savoury tarts, potatoe-cheese puff pastries, quiche and savoury soufflés.

VERMENTINO

A light-bodied white wine that grows mostly in Italy on the island of Sardinia. What's exciting about Vermentino is it can be deliciously complex in taste in similar style to Sauvignon Blanc. Because Vermentino is so unknown, you can find high quality wines for a great value. A glass of classic Sardinia Vermentino will offer up lively aromas of pear, white peach, lime and pink grape fruit with subtle notes of crushed rock minerality, saltiness and citrus zest. Match this style of wine with richer fish such as halibut or even meats as bold as fennel spiced pork sausages.

VIOGNER

A rich, oily white wine that originated in the Northern Rhône and is rapidly growing in popularity in California, Australia and beyond. Wines are often aged in oak to deliver Chardonnay-like richness. A wine best paired with delicate meats or scallops that are flavoured with stewed fruit, almonds, citrus or aromatic herbs such as Thai basil or Tarragon.

VIURA

The most important white grape of Rioja where wines evolve over ten or more years. In Catalonia, Viura is called Macabeo and is the primary blending grape in Cava sparkling wines. Younger Viura wines pair well with South East Asian food. Aged Viura pairs nicely with roast meats and resinous herbs.

WELSCH RIESLING

The most widely planted white grape in Croatia, but confusingly has no link to German Riesling. Wines are typically easy to drink and neutral in style. Pairs nicely with shellfish, sushi and fattier cured meats due to its bright acidity, and lighter body.

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XAREL-LO

One of the three main grapes used in the production of sparkling Cava alongside Parellada and Macabeo. Xarel-Lo is noted to complement the richness of Macabeo with high acidity. Cava pairs with a wide range of foods as Champagne does: Asparagus, salads, anything deep fried, seafood, shellfish, vegetable dishes or a simple cheese plate.

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ZINFANDEL

Zinfandel wine is a bold, fruit forward red that's loved for its jammy fruit and smoky, exotic spice notes. It's also made into a sweet rosé called White Zinfandel. The hearty, bold flavours in Zinfandel make it a natural companion for the rich and flavourful world of BBQ. Try ribs, grilled chicken, roast lamb, pulled pork, pork chops, blackened salmon, bacon-wrapped tenderloin, game meats, and burgers! Vegetarian? Go for vegetables with big flavour: Think caramelized onion, fire roasted red peppers or tomatoes, grilled eggplant, mushrooms, olives, zucchini, or even baked beans.



