



Master Wine List

Age appears to be best in four things; old wood best to burn, old wine to drink, old friends to trust, and old authors to read.

-Francis Bacon

Since Sandy Lane welcomed our first guest in 1961, the resort has been synonymous with world class wine. The wine list features wines from all major wine producing countries, with vintages dating back to 1961. Each wine has been selected for a different reason: perhaps because it is a good example of its grape variety or region of origin; perhaps because it has proved to be a fine match for our cuisine; or perhaps just because it is a terrific wine for its price. This is not intended to be the biggest wine list in the world: our aim is to help you make your selection, not to bewilder you with choice. We have worked particularly hard on our Rosé and Bordeaux selections because they have always been favourites at Sandy Lane.

Our wines are stored in our 12,000 bottle wine cellar at a stabilized temperature of 55 degrees Fahrenheit.

Our team of sommeliers are here to assist you with your wine selection. All sommeliers are Wine and Spirit Education Trust (WSET) certified.

À votre santé.

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Glass Selection

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Champagne & Sparkling Wines

0014	Laurent Perrier, Brut, France Founded in 1812, this exceptional producer is a house favorite amongst Sandy Lane guests. This Champagne is elegant and crisp with vibrant acidity.	N.V	60
0015	Laurent Perrier, Brut Rose, France Launched in 1968, Laurent Perrier was one of the first to create a NV Rose. This wine is supple with generous notes of strawberries and cream.	N.V	90
8831	Cantico Prosecco, Brut Millesimato, Valdobbiadene Superiore, Italy Prosecco has captured the world's imagination almost as if it has been Italy's best kept secret. Light, fresh, not too dry and very drinkable.	N.V.	40

White Wines

0452	Banfi, "San Angelo" Pinot Grigio, Tuscany, Italy A classic example of crisp refreshing Pinot Grigio, from one of the most well known producers in Tuscany.	2015	37
9078	Villa Maria, Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, New Zealand Quintessential New Zealand Sauvignon, fresh, lively, dry and supremely easy to drink, both on its own and with food.	2015	45
0130	Comte Lafond, Sancerre, Loire Valley, France A perennial favourite from the Comte Lafond. Fresh, crisp, dry, textbook Sauvignon Blanc.	2014	52
0552	Jordan, Chardonnay, Russian River Valley, California, USA This iconic producer in the heart of Sonoma, produces this smooth, full bodied Chardonnay with creaminess from oak aging.	2013	60
1177	Albert Bichot, Petit Chablis, Burgundy, France Well balanced petit Chablis with mouth watering flavours.	2014	38

Glass Selection

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Rosé Wines

8471	Beringer, White Zinfandel, California, USA One of California's original and best-loved white zins.	2015	30
8878	Domaine De La Croix, Irresistible, Provence, France Deservedly popular, this is simply delicious, dry Provence Rosé.	2014	50
9002	Chateaux Minuty, “Or Rose”, Provence, France This Provence Rosé is not only a classic example, but a house favorite amongst our guests.	2015	42
0437	Château Léoube, Provence, France One of the rising stars in Provence, dry, elegant and beautifully balanced with a touch of florality to the finish.	2015	42

Red Wines

0174	Allegrini, Valpolicella Classico, Veneto, Italy The sort of red wine that reminds us how simply and deliciously drinkable red wine can be. Fresh, fruity and appetising, as at home without food as with it. An ideal red for salads.	2015	44
0899	Conde de Valdemar, Tempranillo, Crianza, Rioja, Spain A textbook red Rioja from one of the most historic producers. Perfumed, sweetly fruited and refreshing.	2011	35
9110	Montes Alpha, Merlot, Apalta Vineyard, Colchagua, Chile Wonderfully flavoursome Merlot from Montes who offer more flavour per dollar than almost any other winery in the world.	2013	40
9067	Beringer, Cabernet Sauvignon, Knights Valley, Sonoma, California Classic decadent form of American Cabernet, with dark Cassis and blackberry accented with chocolate aromas.	2013	50
0546	Sebastiani, Pinot Noir, Sonoma Coast, California Sweet-fruited, perfumed Pinot Noir from one of California's greatest winemaking dynasties.	2014	50
9193	Norton, Malbec, Reserva, Mendoza, Argentina A great example of a dry red made from the Malbec grape grown on the hillsides of Mendoza.	2013	40

Champagne & Sparkling Wines

Champagne

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| 0014 | Laurent Perrier, Brut, France
Founded in 1812, this exceptional producer is a house favorite amongst Sandy Lane guests. This Champagne is elegant and crisp with vibrant acidity. | 260 |
| 0022 | Moët & Chandon Brut
One of the oldest Champagne houses and continues to be the Champagne of choice at big fashion and celebrity events. Soft and not too dry, Moët (professionals DO pronounce the t) effortlessly suits most tastes. | 335 |
| 9125 | Pol Roger Brut Reserve
Small, family-owned house from Epernay in the heart of the Champagne region that makes very fine Champagne, often considered the perfect aperitif. A preferred brand of wine professionals, not just Sir Winston Churchill. | 450 |
| 9127 | Ruinart Blanc de Blancs
Wine professionals' perennial favourite from one of Champagne's oldest, most historic houses. A Champagne of great class and finesse, made solely from the Chardonnay grape. | 455 |
| 9126 | Laurent Perrier Grand Siècle
Not one of the best known luxury cuvées, but certainly one of the best. Exquisite blend of Champagne's two classic grapes, Pinot Noir and Chardonnay, aged longer in the cellars for greater depth of flavour. | 830 |
| 0004 | Bollinger Special Cuvée | 455 |
| 0005 | Bollinger Special Cuvée, Magnum
The favourite Champagne of many, made in an assured, timeless, richly-flavoured style. Not just a great aperitif, also a fine accompaniment to food. | 810 |

Vintage Champagne

BDS \$

1180	Piper Heidsieck, Rare A wine with depth but also honed, precise, in harmony. The fruit emerges as delicate, golden, muted exotic fruits – mango and kiwifruit – and dried fruit.	2002	650
9129	Bollinger La Grande Année Vintage Bollinger is rightly considered a Champagne classic. A bold, rich style, with the flavour to match relatively highly flavoured food.	2002	700
0002	Bollinger R.D. The "RD" refers to the fact that this Champagne has been Recently Disgorged. The extra time spent in the bottle leads to a Champagne with greater richness and length of flavour, released when at its best to drink.	1997	880
0020	Dom Pérignon Appreciated by wine professionals as much as by celebrities for its balance, unequalled finesse and, dare we say it, sheer drinkability. Outstanding both as an aperitif and with delicately flavoured fish and seafood.	2006	925
0034	Taittinger, Comtes de Champagne, Blanc de Blancs Made from the Champagne region's finest Chardonnay grapes, this Champagne is perfect for those who prize elegance above power.	2000	1,060
0011	Louis Roederer, Cristal	2005	1,095
9196	Louis Roederer, Cristal Cristal is the top Champagne from one of the region's most celebrated houses, Louis Roederer. Made in small quantities so always rare, Cristal is perfectly balanced Champagne that is famed for its ageing capacity.	1990	1,350

Rosé Champagne

BDS \$

0015	Laurent Perrier, Brut Rose, France Launched in 1968, Laurent Perrier was one of the first to create a NV Rose. This wine is supple with generous notes of strawberries and cream.	N.V.	420
1179	Charles Heidsieck, Rosé Reserve Pulpy and lively champagne with notes of wild strawberry and powder pink Rosé with a delicate sparkle.	N.V.	400
9074	Ruinart, Brut Rosé Ruinart is famed for its Rosé Champagne which is made, surprisingly, with a high percentage of white grapes (Chardonnay) to ensure greater finesse. Dry and seriously easy to drink.	N.V.	455
1160	Krug, Rosé Pinot Noir elevated to ethereal heights, this is a stunning example of purity, power and grace.	N.V.	1,670
0008	Moët & Chandon, Dom Pérignon, Rosé Extremely rare. Although Dom Pérignon Rosé has been made for over 50 years, only a favoured few have drunk it. Dry, elegant and supremely refreshing.	2000	1,850

Sparkling Wines

9131	Cantico Prosecco, Brut Millesimato, Valdobbiadene Superiore, Italy Prosecco has captured the world's imagination almost as if it has been Italy's best kept secret. Light, fresh, not too dry and hugely drinkable, this is extremely fine Prosecco from probably the region's best producer.	N.V.	190
9132	Domaine Carneros Brut, California Champagne houses have had much success in their overseas outposts. Taittinger's foray into California was one of the first, producing beautifully balanced sparkling wine with fine length of flavour.	2007	215

White Wines

Burgundy, France

BDS \$

1177	Albert Bichot, Petit Chablis Well balanced petit Chablis with mouth watering flavours.	2014	150
9137	Saint Aubin, Champ Tirant, Gérard Thomas Saint Aubin is one of Burgundy's hidden treasures. This is a fine example from probably the village's finest producer.	2014	175
9138	Domaine Parisse, Pouilly Fuisse, Mâconnais If only all Pouilly-Fuisse was as good as this. Crisp, intense, and vibrant, from one of the region's outstanding producers.	2014	190
0857	La Chablisienne, “Fourchaume”, Premier Cru, Chablis This is a stunning Chablis with racing acidity and a soft creamy finish. This represents one of the best values here at Sandy Lane.	2014	240
9059	Jean-Marc Brocard, “Montmains”, Premier Cru, Chablis This has considerable depth of flavor and raciness.	2014	265
9139	Albert Bichot, “Domaine du Pavillon”, Meursault Quintessential Meursault from a reliable and increasingly impressive producer with excellent holdings in the commune.	2014	270
9049	Jean-Marc Brocard, “Les Clos”, Grand Cru, Chablis Fantastic producer showcasing a stunning Grand Cru vineyard. Round supple lemon custard aromas with bright acidity.	2013	390
0316	Louis Jadot, Puligny- Montrachet Puligny-Montrachet can be characterised as a wine of great firmness and depth. It also has very distinct aromas such as almond, fern, exotic fruits and subtle acidity.	2012	390
9136	Domaine Long-Depaquit, Albert Bichot, “Bougros”, Grand Cru, Chablis Very rare, full-flavoured Grand Cru Chablis that shows a typical oxidative style to the finish.	2010	395
9140	Chassagne-Montrachet, Premier Cru, Les Vergers, Philippe Colin Chassagne-Montrachet is often considered to produce the most elegant of white Burgundies, and Colin is a name associated with some of the best.	2010	410
1194	Domaine Jean-Louis Chavy, Premier cru, Puligny- Montrachet Jean-Louis Chavy is a great producer, extremely well balanced wine, emphasising the classic minerality in Puligny-Montrachet.	2013	420

0301	Corton-Charlemagne Grand Cru, Bonneau Du Martray Corton-Charlemagne is another of Burgundy's legendary white wine appellations, famed for its powerful, richly flavoured dry whites. For generations, Bonneau du Martray has been arguably the finest producer.	2014	825
9022	Louis Jadot, Grand Cru, Bâtard-Montrachet Bâtard-Montrachet is rare and one of the most sought after white Burgundies of all. A wine of amazing depth and balance.	2011	1,465
9141	Marquis de Laguiche, Drouhin, Grand Cru, Le Montrachet Arguably the greatest and most aristocratic white Burgundy of them all. Rare and magnificent.	2010	3,595

Loire Valley, France

BDS \$

0130	Comte Lafond, Sancerre, A perennial favourite from the Comte Lafond. Fresh, crisp, dry, textbook Sauvignon Blanc.	2014	225
0308	De Ladoucette, Pouilly-Fumé Probably the most popular producer of Pouilly-Fumé, whose crisp, dry Sauvignon-based wines are as good as ever.	2012	240
1182	Baron De L, Pouilly Fume This prestige cuvée is produced exclusively in the best years from the first pressing of grapes from old vines. Exceptional, elegance and depth.	2008	420

Rhône Valley, France

9147	Château de Beaucastel, Châteauneuf-du-Pape A rare white Châteauneuf-du-Pape from the highly respected Beaucastel estate. Dry and full-bodied, with exciting aromas and flavours.	2011	565
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Italy

BDS \$

9152	Vesevo, Greco di Tufo, Campania Produced from low-yielding vineyards around the slopes of Mount Vesuvius, Greco di Tufo is a vibrant, mineral dry white wine.	2015	120
0452	Banfi, “San Angelo” Pinot Grigio, Tuscany A classic example of crisp refreshing Pinot Grigio, from one of the most well known producers in Tuscany.	2015	150
9151	Pieropan, Soave, Classico, Veneto Pieropan is one of the great names of Soave and manages to achieve depth of flavour and balance that are beyond most others.	2014	150
9051	Banfi, “Principessa Gavia”, Gavi The quality of Gavi has ensured its fame has spread far beyond its native Northern Italy. Dry, crisp, flavoursome and as easy to drink on its own as with food.	2015	165

Spain

9202	Marques de Murrieta, “Capellania”, Viura, Rioja One of the oldest wineries in Rioja, from the single vineyard plot named “Capellania” this wine has flavors of baked pear, almonds, and honeycomb. A more full bodied white.	2009	175
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Germany

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| 1142 | Selbach Oster, Riesling, Kabinett, Mosel
Though a Kabinett, no real perceptible sweetness here, just silky sleek length and refreshing lime and citrus flavors. | 2011 | 140 |
| 0238 | Schloss Vollrads , Riesling Eiswein, Rheingau 375ml
Rhenigau is the smallest, yet one of the most important of Germany's "Anbaugebiet" wine regions. These three Rieslings are a true reflection of the versatility of the grape. | 1999 | 495 |

Austrian

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| 1143 | Gruner Veltliner, "Hefeabzug", Nikolaihof
Hefeabzug means "sur lie" and this wine is never racked but bottled off its lees. It's both saline and ripe and a perfect accompaniment to raw oysters. | 2012 | 160 |
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New World Whites

BDS \$

Sauvignon Blanc

1186	The Goose Sauvignon Blanc, Upper-Langkloof , South Africa A beautifully harmonised and appealing wine. From the previous wine maker at Cloudy bay.	2015	150
9078	Villa Maria Private Bin Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, New Zealand Quintessential New Zealand Sauvignon, fresh, lively, dry and supremely easy to drink, both on its own and with food.	2015	185
0172	Frog's Leap Sauvignon Blanc, Napa Valley, California Frog's Leap is widely recognized for making one of California's finest Sauvignons. Dry, richly flavored and very refreshing.	2014	210
0203	Cakebread Cellars, Napa Valley California This is Cakebread's 38th vintage of Napa Valley Sauvignon Blanc, and it's a doozy, unquestionably one of their best.	2014	250
0160	Cloudy Bay, Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, New Zealand The Sauvignon Blanc that set New Zealand on the way and remains one of the finest and best loved.	2015	260

Chardonnay

BDS \$

1122	Bodega Norton, “Barrel Selection”, Argentina Smooth, full bodied Chardonnay with a smokiness from oak aging.	2015	170
9158	Shaw & Smith M3 Chardonnay, Adelaide Hills, Australia Dry, elegant, fine Australian Chardonnay, light years away from the over-oaked blockbusters of the past.	2013	215
0552	Jordan, Chardonnay, Russian River Valley, California, USA This iconic producer in the heart of Sonoma, produces this smooth, full bodied Chardonnay with creaminess from oak aging.	2013	260
9065	Stags Leap, Napa Valley Top class Napa Valley Chardonnay.	2014	265
0210	Petaluma, Adelaide Hills, Australia Very polished, consistently fine Chardonnay from one of Australia's most respected and enduring wine producers.	2010	265
1134	Sandhi, Santa Barbara County, California Raj Parr and Sashi Moorman are turning California winemaking on its' head by creating subtle, nuanced and sublime wines from the calcareous soils of Santa Barbara county.	2012	280
0202	Cakebread Cellars, Napa Valley, California Textbook Chardonnay from one of California's best loved producers.	2013	350
0272	Beringer Private Reserve, Napa Valley, California The Beringer Private Reserve has consistently been rated one of Napa Valley's finest Chardonnays, showing beautifully balanced oak and rich fruit characters.	2013	315

Other Grapes

9161	Riesling Grosset Polish Hills, Clare Valley, Australia If anyone thinks Riesling is sweet and sickly, they should try this. Dry, intense, mouth-watering and thrilling.	2014	240
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Rosé & Blush Wines

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0471	Beringer, White Zinfandel, USA One of California's original and best-loved white zins.	2015	110
0473	Château d'Esclans "Whispering Angel", Provence, France Château d'Esclans has unashamedly set out to produce some of the best Rosés in the world. This is dry, flavoursome and with exceptional texture, genuinely fine. Try their top wine, Garrus, for something special.	2015	160
0432	Château D'Aqueria, Tavel, France Tavel has the reputation of producing France's driest, most impressive Rosés and we have found that D'Aqueria is consistently one of the best and most popular.	2015	165
0437	Château Léoube, Provence, France One of the rising stars in Provence, dry, elegant, and beautifully balanced with a touch of florality to the finish.	2015	190
9002	Chateaux Minuty, "Or Rose", Provence, France This Provence Rosé is not only a classic example, but a house favorite amongst our guests.	2015	190
1178	Domaine De La Croix, Irresistible, Provence, France Mineral driven rose this is dry, elegant, and beautifully balanced.	2015	220
0431	Comte Lafond, Sancerre Rosé, Loire Valley, France Sancerre produces much less Rosé than white but with equal success. This is dry, refreshing and mouthwatering.	2012	220
0433	Domaine Ott, "Clos Mireille" Provence, France One of the most recognizable names in Provence Rosé.	2015	285
9118	Chateaux Minuty, Provence, France, Magnum This Provence Rosé is not only a classic, but a house favorite amongst our guests.	2015	350
1185	Domaine Ott, "Clos Mireille", Provence, France, Magnum One of the most recognizable names in Provence Rosé.	2015	500
0475	Château d'Esclans "Garrus", Provence, France	2011	600
0475	Château d'Esclans "Garrus", Provence, France Château d'Esclans has unashamedly set out to produce some of the best Rosés in the world. This is dry, flavorsome and with exceptional texture, genuinely fine. Try their top wine, Garrus, for something special.	2012	600

Red Wines

Bordeaux, France

			<i>BDS \$</i>
1073	Château La Croix des Moines (AC Lalande-de-Pomerol) Highly rated wine from Lalande-de-Pomerol, one of Bordeaux's better value appellations.	2011	250

Saint Estèphe, Bordeaux

9024	Château de Pez A top Cru Bourgeois. 2012 is still youthful, but already proving to be of high quality.	2012	325
9025	Château Meyney A well known and respected estate whose wines consistently find the happy medium between value and quality.	2006	325
0950	Château Cos d'Estournel, 2nd Growth	1990	2,500
1048	Château Cos d'Estournel, 2nd Growth Cos d'Estournel is a Château that has really made its mark in the last two decades and is consistently producing some of the finest, densest wines in Bordeaux.	1995	4,500

Pauillac, Bordeaux

BDS \$

1183	Château La Rose Pauillac Great valued Bordeaux.	2008	240
1074	Château Pedesclaux Classic Bordeaux, ageing beautifully, smooth with a silky tannin.	2010	285
1193	Echo de Lynch-Bages The second wine of Château Lynch-Bages, this is consistently one of Bordeaux's star buys, oozing class and finesse. Drinking very well now, especially with red meats.	2010	420
1077	Château Pontet-Canet, 5th Growth Situated on one of Bordeaux's greatest terroirs, this Château is now regaining past glories and recent vintages are commanding some of the highest prices in Bordeaux.	2003	850
1078	Les Forts de Latour The second wine of Château Latour from one of Bordeaux's most exotic recent vintages - most other Châteaux would be proud of wine like this as their first wine.	2003	1,750
0929	Chateau Latour , 1st Growth Excellent vintage from this outstanding producer and one of the greatest wines in the world.	2004	3,000
0983	Château Lynch-Bages, 5th Growth	2000	2,095
0919	Château Lynch-Bages, 5th Growth This is an ever popular estate, whose reputation seems to grow with every Vintage and it's a Sandy Lane favorite.	1990	3,100
0926	Château Lafite-Rothschild, 1st Growth	2001	8,000
0928	Château Lafite-Rothschild, 1st Growth	1994	9,000
1017	Château Lafite-Rothschild, 1st Growth First growth Pauillac wine; one of the best in the world.	1996	10,000

Saint Julien, Bordeaux

BDS

0995	La Reserve de Leoville Barton The second wine of Leoville Barton, still delicious and complex.	2012	320
1042	Château Lagrange, 3rd Growth Consistently fine Château, whose 2004 is uber delicious.	2003	550
0974	Château Talbot, 4th Growth The 2006 vintage has produced a Talbot with an elegant, rich, red-fruited palate. Wonderful showing.	2006	625
1084	Château Leoville Barton 2th Growth One of the most prominent families and producers in Bordeaux, very complex wines with suave tannin.	2003	850
1037	Château Haut-Beychevelle-Gloria Lovely example of Saint-Julien, now at its peak.	2001	1,080
0972	Château Beychevelle, 4th Growth Another of Bordeaux's most famous names and from a classic vintage just now beginning to open up.	2005	1,125
1039	Château Ducru Beaucaillou, 2nd Growth From a heralded vintage this is a muscular and concentrated Ducru.	1996	1,450
0970	Château Léoville-las Cases, 2nd Growth	2000	1,500
1021	Château Léoville-las Cases, 2nd Growth	1995	1,600
0971	Château Léoville-las Cases, 2nd Growth The Grand Vin is the product of exceptional terroirs from the former Léoville estate and the Grand Vin of Léoville du Marquis de Las Cases and have been widely recognized for years and displaying three excellent vintages.	1990	1,700

Margaux, Bordeaux

BDS

1081	Alter Ego de Palmer The second wine of one of Bordeaux's greatest names, Château Palmer. Not too heavy, fine, ethereal Margaux.	2010	680
1082	Château Malescot Saint Exupery Fine, fragrant Margaux, often one of the best value wines in the Margaux appellation and outstanding in this vintage.	2010	750
1083	Château Rauzan-Ségla, 2nd Growth Owned by the Chanel family, it is probably too trite to say that this Château produces one of the most perfumed Margaux wines, but it's true! High class wine from an on-form estate.	2010	770
9119	Château Palmer, 3rd Growth Palmer makes classic, perfumed wine, the essence of Margaux. The millennium vintage produced high class wines, just beginning to drink well.	2000	1,985
0969	Chateau Palmer, 3rd Growth Considered by many to be one of the greatest wines made in the 20 th century.	1961	4,000
9112	Château Palmer, 3rd Growth, Double Magnum	2000	6,500

Medoc / Haut Medoc, Bordeaux

BDS

9039	Château Clarke Owned by a branch of the Rothschild family, Clarke produces very elegant Medoc, with the 2006 now perfect.	2010	280
0946	Château Magnol, Cru Bourgeois, Magnum Vintage expression of a Haut Medoc Bordeaux in a Magnum. This wine exhibits classic coffee and rustic earth notes on top of aged fruit.	1996	400
1101	Château Sociando-Mallet Sociando-Mallet is always sought after by those "in the know". Richly flavoured wines that take time to reach their best - outstanding in this vintage.	2000	560

Graves / Pessac-Leognan, Bordeaux

1094	L'Esprit de Chevalier Classy, easy drinking dry red wine, which is the second wine of one of Pessac-Leognan's best loved estates; Domaine de Chevalier.	2010	250
1016	Château Haut-Brion, 1st Growth	1995	2,995
0901	Château Haut-Brion, 1st Growth	2001	3,500
0900	Château Haut-Brion, 1st Growth Château Haut-Brion is the smallest of the First Growths and one of the oldest vineyards in Bordeaux. It produces wines of great elegance that often take years to reach their peak. As they age they take on a fine tobacco leaf fragrance that gives a great complexity to the wine.	1989	10,445

Pomerol, Bordeaux

BDS \$

1195	Château Rouget An absolutely stunning example from this outstanding estate, vintage still improving.	2010	350
2032	Château Le Gay Reliable, respected Pomerol from a vintage now drinking well.	2004	775
1097	Château L'Evangile L'Evangile is one of the great wines of Pomerol, noted for its lushness of fruit and balance. The 2005 will still improve but will appeal to those who like their clarets young.	2005	1,445
0941	Château Petrus A monumental Petrus that has already acquired legendary status.	1989	6,795
0942	Château Petrus Another outstanding vintage for both Bordeaux and Petrus. Unrivalled depth of flavour and balance.	1990	8,295
0940	Château Petrus The top '82's are now at their peak. Drinking this outstanding wine is an increasingly rare privilege.	1982	11,195

Saint-Emilion, Bordeaux

BDS \$

9034	Château Vieux Guinot, Grand Cru Good, easy-drinking Saint-Emilion from a top vintage.	2011	260
1196	Château Beasejour, Duffau Lagarosse Great wine from Saint-Emillon, this vintage will improve with age.	2008	350
1091	Château L'Arrosée One of Saint-Emilion's rising stars and is an outstanding vintage.	2005	500
1089	Château Fombrauge Predominantly Merlot, as shown in this ripe, succulent Saint-Emilion made in a modern, generous style. Impressive new estate.	2005	635
1157	Château Monbousquet Another of Saint-Emilion's rising stars and from this outstanding vintage.	2000	825
0960	Château Cheval Blanc Another legendary wine of the 20th century, showing both Cheval Blanc and the 1982 vintage at its best.	1982	7,200
0962	Château Cheval Blanc A great vintage, still improving.	1990	13,710

Burgundy, France

BDS \$

9165	Albert Bichot, Mercurey, Burgundy Mercurey is often a good source of fragrant, elegant Burgundy for early drinking.	2010	160
9061	Louis Jadot, Château des Jacques, Moulin-à-Vent Château des Jacques, owned by Louis Jadot, is one of the finest estates in Beaujolais, producing a structured Moulin-à-Vent that tastes as much like red Burgundy as Beaujolais.	2012	215
9166	Domaine Rossignol-Trapet, Gevrey-Chambertin Gevrey-Chambertin produces wines that are often considered the essence of red Burgundy and Rossignol-Trapet are considered one of the top producers in the village.	2011	295
1197	Domain Jean Marc Boillot, Pommard, Premier Cru, Beaune A vibrant Pommard with dark berry fruit and light tannin.	2013	360
9200	Antonin Guyon, “Clos des Chenes”, Premier Cru, Volnay A perfect example of Burgundian Pinot Noir, delicious now.	2008	365
9204	Michel Noellat, Chambolle Musigny This Burgundy is from a classic producer and is a fantastic example of Chambolle.	2013	375
9092	Louis Jadot, Gevrey-Chambertin Very subtle on the aroma but prominent on the palate as you would expect.	2011	450
1162	Jacques Mugnier, “Clos de la Marechale”, Premier Cru, Nuits Saint Georges Outstanding vintage. Fine, structured Nuits Saint Georges from a traditional domaine whose wines are best enjoyed with a meal.	2012	560
9167	Albert Bichot, “Les Malconsorts”, Premier Cru, Vosne-Romanée Top Premier Cru Burgundy from an outstanding vintage and a very highly rated domaine.	2011	650
0590	Domaine Faiveley, “Clos de Vougeot”, Grand Cru	1996	680
0589	Domaine Faiveley, “Clos de Vougeot”, Grand Cru Quintessential red Burgundy from a historic Grand Cru vineyard.	1995	700
0855	Clos de Vougeot, Domaine Leroy Domaine Leroy is without a doubt one of Burgundy’s greatest producers. Lovely Grand Cru, drinking now.	1997	1,655
0856	Domaine Leroy, Ruchottes-Chambertin, Grand Cru Ruchottes is a very rare Chambertin Grand Cru, rich, mature and perfumed.	1986	1,975
0845	Domaine de la Romanée-Conti, Romanée-Conti	1995	15,890
0847	Domaine de la Romanée-Conti, Romanée-Conti One of the most sought after wines on the planet.	1996	15,420

Rhone Valley, France

BDS \$

1169	Eric Texier, Vieille Serine, Brezeme, Cotes-du-Rhone Serine is a local clone of Syrah and Texier uses it to great advantage in this wine. Spicy, peppery, concentrated and complex.	2009	175
9169	Alain Graillot, Crozes Hermitage Crozes-Hermitage is often one of the best value wines in the Rhone and Graillot is one of the top producers. Intense, gamey Syrah.	2012	275
9062	Chateau Mont Redon, Chateauneuf-du-Pape Excellent Chateauneuf from an outstanding vineyard.	2012	295
0817	A. Clape, Cornas Don't skip this iconic producer of northern Rhone Syrah. Smoked meats and wild game aromas with a backbone of raspberries.	1997	300
1133	Chateau du Beaucastel, Chateauneuf-du-Pape	2008	495
1170	Chateau du Beaucastel, Chateauneuf-du-Pape This producer uses a higher than usual amount of Mourvedre in their blend, creating a very long-lived wine.	2010	565
0888	Paul Jaboulet, La Chapelle, Hermitage	1996	440
0889	Paul Jaboulet, La Chapelle, Hermitage, Magnum	1998	700
0891	Paul Jaboulet, La Chapelle, Hermitage Hermitage La Chapelle is one of the Rhone's most iconic vineyards and produced many great vintages throughout the 20 th century. It traditionally takes several years to reach its peak but can then remain at its peak for, potentially, decades. All vintages listed here are now drinking well and provide a rare opportunity to drink one of the world's great wines at maturity.	1990	1,400
0822	Domain J.L Chave, Hermitage Jean-Louis Chave produces the most sought after red Hermitage and his wines are produced in minute quantities. It is extremely rare to find mature vintages such as these. Intense, fragrant, and memorable wines.	1995	935

Rhône Valley, France

BDS \$

0825	Chapoutier, Hermitage de la Sizeranne Another of Chapoutier's top vineyards that has produced a remarkable, dense, long-lived wine from the excellent 1990 vintage.	1990	535
0805	Patrick Jasmin, Côte Rôtie Magnum Elegant and floral, this is a Burgundy lovers' Rhone producer.	1997	600
0832	Chapoutier, Ermitage Le Méal	1998	730
0827	Chapoutier, Ermitage Le Pavillon	1997	795
0826	Chapoutier, Ermitage Le Pavillon	1996	850
0828	Chapoutier, Ermitage Le Pavillon	1998	915
0829	Chapoutier, Ermitage L'Ermité Chapoutier's Ermitage Le Pavillon, L'Ermité and Le Méal are made from very old Syrah vines and are traditionally made with no fining or filtration. There is less topsoil in the granite based L'Ermité vineyard, meaning that the pepper characteristics are more pronounced. These vintages all have Hermitage power and are now mellow and mature.	1998	1,295
0815	Guigal, "La Turque", Côte Rôtie	1996	1,365
0813	Guigal, "La Landonne", Côte Rôtie	1996	1,365
0808	Guigal, "La Mouline", Côte Rôtie	1996	1,365
0814	Guigal, "La Turque", Côte Rôtie	1995	1,405
0807	Guigal, "La Mouline", Côte Rôtie	1991	1,450
0597	Guigal, "La Mouline", Côte Rôtie Guigal's three single vineyard Côtes Rôties, La Landonne, La Mouline and La Turque, are consistently some of the finest and most treasured wines in the world. La Mouline contains 10% Viognier and is perfumed and intense. La Landonne is concentrated, powerful whereas La Turque is marginally less powerful.	1995	1,410

Loire Valley, France

BDS \$

9168	Saint Nicolas de Bourgueil L'Expression, Joel Taluau France's Loire Valley is better known for its whites than its reds, but it does produce some wonderful, fresh tasting reds from Cabernet Franc.	2014	180
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Piedmont, Italy

BDS \$

9201	Produttori del Barbaresco, Barbaresco Produttori del Barbaresco continues to be a terrific source for well-priced wines for a top quality.	2004	260
1175	Elio Altare, Barolo Fresh nose , rose petals, flowers, light and sweet.	2009	500
1108	Giacomo Conterno, Barolo Traditional style Barolo of great intensity, fragrance and length.	1996	850
1109	Gaja, "Sperss", Barolo	1988	1,105
0792	Gaja, "Costa Russi", Barbaresco	1995	1,150
1110	Gaja, Barbaresco	1990	1,335
0793	Gaja, "Sori San Lorenzo", Barbaresco Gaja is the single most sought after producer from the Piedmont.	1997	2,850

Veneto, Italy

9174	Allegrini, Valpolicella Classico The sort of red wine that reminds us how simply and deliciously drinkable red wine can be. Fresh, fruity and appetising, as at home with food or without. An ideal red for salads.	2015	170
9176	Allegrini, Amarone della Valpolicella Classico Amarone is one of Italy's greatest and most distinctive red wines. Rich and full-bodied, a perfect match for firm cheeses.	2010	400

Tuscany, Italy

BDS \$

9063	Banfi, Rosso di Montalcino Rosso di Montalcino, made from the Sangiovese grape, is often an easy drinking, affordable alternative to its big brother, Brunello di Montalcino. This is fruity, dry and refreshing.	2013	150
9175	Fontodi, Chianti Classico Fontodi is one of the great names in Chianti, producing consistently fine reds of great depth of flavour and finesse.	2011	180
1189	Castello di bossi, “Corbaia” This blend of Sangiovese and Cabernet Sauvignon shows all the requisites to be an age-worthy wine.	2009	440
0785	Antinori, “Solaia” Fine, Bordeaux-style red from Antinori, made predominately from Cabernet Sauvignon and reaching its prime.	2012	1,095
1107	Tenuta San Guido, “Sassicaia”, Bolgheri Excellent vintage and always in great demand.	1998	1,525
1158	Tenuta Dell’Ornellaia, “Ornellaia”, Bolgheri	1998	1,295
0614	Tenuta Dell’Ornellaia, “Ornellaia”, Bolgheri Ornellaia Bolgheri DOC Superiore, a Cabernet-Merlot blend, first stepped onto the scene in 1985. It's been a collector's favorite ever since, showing two great vintages under the leadership of former owner Robert Mondavi.	1997	1,790
0778	Tenuta San Guido, “Sassicaia”, Bolgheri, Magnum Genuinely one of the world greatest red wines.	1996	2,750

Rioja, Spain

BDS \$

0899	Conde de Valdemar, Crianza, Rioja Textbook red Rioja from one of the most historic producers.	2011	150
9178	Marques de Murrieta, “Castillo Ygay”, Gran Reserva, Rioja Marques de Murrieta's Gran Reserva is a favourite of Rioja lovers looking for a traditional style. Lovely balance between oak flavours and rich, nutty fruit.	2007	340
0643	Artadi, “El Pison”, Rioja	1996	680
0644	Artadi, “El Pison”, Rioja Made from extremely old Tempranillo vines, this is exemplary Rioja where the quality of the fruit is perfectly matched to the extended oak maturation.	1998	740

Ribera del Duero, Spain

9179	Alejandro Fernandez, “Pesquera”, Ribera del Duero, Reserva A Ribera del Duero estate with long experience and a consistently good track record of producing balanced, richly flavoured reds.	2011	275
9181	Vega Sicilia, “Alion”, Ribera del Duero So-called "second wine" of the legendary Vega Sicilia estate. Still outstanding and now at its peak.	2007	410
1188	Torremilanos, “Cyclo”, Ribera del Duero Three single vineyards are used in this cuvee with the vines being around 100 years old. An Indicative blend of Tempranillo with a small amount of Blanca del Pais.	2013	250
0668	Dominio de Pingus, Ribera del Duero Astonishingly good wine considering that this estate is relatively new.	1999	1,080
1111	Vega Sicilia, “Unico”, Ribera del Duero	1998	2,050
0661	Vega Sicilia, “Unico”, Ribera del Duero, Magnum A historic estate that was planted in Ribera del Duero long before any others. Produces one of the world's great wines that finds a happy balance between freshness and considerable depth of flavour.	1970	4,000

Priorat, Spain

0645	Alvaro Palacios, “Finca Dofi”, Priorat	1994	650
0648	Alvaro Palacios, “L’Ermita”, Priorat	1996	1,185
0649	Alvaro Palacios, “L’Ermita”, Priorat Mature vintages of L’Ermita and Finca Dofi, exceptional old vine vineyards owned by Alvara Palacios, that have led to the renaissance of Priorat as one of Spain’s great wine regions. Powerful, mineral and unforgettable.	1997	965

New World Reds

Merlot

			BDS \$
0520	Santa Rita Merlot Reserva, Chile Rich, easy drinking Merlot from one of Chile's best producers.	2014	110
9110	Montes Alpha, Merlot, Apalta Vineyard, Colchagua, Chile Wonderfully flavoursome Merlot from Montes who offer more flavour per dollar than almost any other winery in the world.	2013	175
9068	Stags Leap Merlot Iconic Napa Valley producer, making fine, full-flavoured and long-lasting reds.	2013	265
0572	Frogs Leap Merlot, Rutherford, Napa Valley, California Consistently good value, characterful Merlot from one of Napa Valley's most respected estates.	2011	295

Pinot Noir

BDS

0546	Sebastiani, Sonoma Coast, California Sweet-fruited, perfumed Pinot Noir from one of California's greatest winemaking dynasties.	2014	190
0574	Francis Coppola, Monterey County, California Quality Californian Pinot from a well recognised producer.	2014	200
1181	Hamilton Russell, Walker Bay, South Africa The 2013 Pinot Noir is not overtly fruity, soft and “sweet” and it generally shows a dark, spicy, complex primary fruit perfume.	2013	260
9186	Calera Mount Harlan Ryan Vineyard Pinot Noir, California Calera was probably the first Californian winery to succeed with Pinot Noir and they continue to produce one of the finest, with great perfume and purity.	2011	320
1136	Bergström, “Cumberland Reserve”, Willamette Valley, Oregon The Cumberland Reserve is dark red cherry in color with great Oregon spice and loamy earth character which adds depth and dimension to this very promising wine.	2011	310
9186	Calera Mount Harlan Ryan Vineyard Pinot Noir, California Calera was probably the first Californian winery to succeed with Pinot Noir and they continue to produce one of the finest, with great perfume and purity.	2011	320

Cabernet Sauvignon & Blends

BDS \$

9109	Montes Alpha, Cabernet Sauvignon, Apalta Vineyard, Chile Classy, cassis-scented Cabernet Sauvignon from the exceptional Apalta Vineyard.	2011	165
0772	Robert Mondavi, Napa Valley, California This Iconic Californian producer makes exceptional Cabernet with dark cassis and hints of chocolate.	2013	180
9121	Francis Coppola, Diamond Collection, Napa Valley, California Top class Cabernet from another one of California's best established and respected producers.	2013	185
1187	The Goose, "Expression", Upper-Langkloof, South Africa The Goose Expression is the flagship of the winery. This Cabernet/Shiraz blend is picked from their single vineyard blocks. Gold from the heights of the Garden Route.	2008	195
9067	Beringer, Cabernet Sauvignon, Knights Valley, Sonoma, California Classic decadent form of American Cabernet with dark cassis and blackberry accented chocolate aromas.	2013	260
1198	Chateau Musar, Bekaa Valley, Lebanon The Middle East's finest wine and one of the world's greatest wines. This vintage is drinking perfectly now.	1998	400
0695	Cakebread Cellars, Napa Valley, California Always a favourite, Cakebread's Cabernet is full of flavour, very fine and lovely on its own or with food.	2012	470
0770	Joseph Phelps, "Insignia", Napa Valley, California Insignia is the top bottling from the outstanding Joseph Phelps winery. It is a consistently fine Bordeaux blend, in which the Cabernet component is normally well defined.	2009	1,220
0704	Mondavi / Rothschild, "Opus One", Napa Valley, California Opus One is a 30 year old joint venture between the Mondavi and Rothschild families which has produced wines of thrilling quality. Combining the best of Napa Valley and Bordeaux.	2010	1,450
1112	Ridge, "Monte Bello", Santa Cruz Mountains, California Ridge's Monte Bello Cabernet is one of the few Californian wines that is as famous outside California as within. Simply world-class. One of those wines that everyone should drink at least once.	2003	1,800

Cabernet Sauvignon & Blends

BDS \$

9183	Penfolds, “Bin 707”, Australia Simply world-class Cabernet Sauvignon of amazing depth of flavour, from the great Penfolds winery.	2009	895
0627	Penfolds, “Grange”, Australia	1991	1,340
0611	Penfolds, “Grange”, Australia	1995	1,485
0624	Penfolds, “Grange”, Australia	1984	1,515
0625	Penfolds, “Grange”, Australia	1989	1,540
0626	Penfolds, “Grange”, Australia	1990	1,825
0623	Penfolds, “Grange”, Australia	1973	2,050

Other Grapes

BDS \$

9193	Norton, Malbec, Reserva, Mendoza, Argentina A great example of the dry red wine made from the Malbec grape grown on the hillsides of Mendoza. Dark raspberries and blackberries with a tannic core.	2013	160
9190	D'Arenberg The Footbolt Shiraz, McLaren Vale, Australia From South Australia's most colourfully dressed producer this is a rich, no-holds-barred Shiraz.	2011	185
1184	Shiraz, “The Bishop”, Ben Glaetzer, Barossa Valley, Australia Wisps of elegant spices such as cloves and nutmegs and also definition of dark stone fruits and espresso with fine grain ripe tannins.	2013	270
1174	Syrah, Boekenhoutskloof, Franschhoek, South Africa This Syrah has unmistakable white pepper on the nose, with arguably the most intense floral and mineral notes in this wine.	2009	280
9197	Zinfandel, Ridge Lytton Springs Dry Creek, California Outstanding, savoury Zinfandel-based blend - Ridge really does set the standards.	2011	400

Dessert Wines

BDS \$

9106	Michele Chiarlo, “Nivole”, Moscato d'Asti, Italy One of the most underrated wines in the world; think crisp candied green apple skin with bubbles anointing the tongue.	375ml	2010	135
1200	Château Coutet, Barsac, Sauternes Coutet is one of the leading Barsac estates, famous for its elegance and balanced sweetness.	750ml	2005	280
9199	Château Doisy Vedrines , Barsac, France Rich, luscious sweet wine from an outstanding vintage in Barsac, a neighbouring village to Sauternes.	750ml	2003	320
1199	Château Guiraud, Premier Cru Classe', Sauternes One of the region's most famous producers. Rich and luscious sweet wine.	750ml	2005	320
2021	Inniskillin, Okanagan, Ice Wine, Canada Ice Wine is made from frozen grapes, hence concentrating sugar and flavour. Canada produces outstanding examples, with this undoubtedly one of the best.	375ml	2008	455
2047	Dobogo's, Tokaji Azsu - 6 Puttonyos, Hungary For much of the last millenium, Tokaji was considered the world's finest wine. six Puttonyos means that this is rich and sweet - capable of lasting decades, it is well worth a try now.	500ml	2007	460
2010	Chateau D'Yquem, Sauternes	375ml	1990	900
2014	Château D'Yquem, Sauternes		1986	1,340
2012	Château D'Yquem, Sauternes		1975	3,810
2013	Château D'Yquem, Sauternes Château D'Yquem is without a doubt one of the world's most iconic and sought after wines, consistently producing wines of great richness and, just as importantly, great balance and freshness. Always luscious and sweet, it is a wonderful indulgence simply to drink on its own, not just with dessert or foie gras.		1950	5,135

Port Selections

3015	Taylor's Vintage		1994	920
3014	Taylor's Vintage		1992	900