



RED WINES

Claret

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| 1. | <i>Ch Charron Les Grappes, AC Côtes de Blaye</i> | 2002 | £28.95 |
| | <i>Deep ruby in colour, full bodied, good depth of fruit on the palate balanced by soft tannins</i> | | |
| 2. | <i>Ch Siran, Grand Cru Exceptionnel, Margaux</i> | 1998 | £48.00 |
| | <i>Matured in wood for 2 years with one third in new oak, resulting in a stylish wine which is aromatic, has good body, creamy-spicy fruit, good length and obvious class</i> | | |

Burgundy

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| 3. | <i>Pinot Noir Bourgogne AC, Latour</i> | 2008 | £24.95 |
| | <i>A spicy, velvety smooth wine which has ample fruit on the palate and a deliciously fragrant aroma</i> | | |
| 4. | <i>Corton, Domaine Latour Grand Cru AC, Latour</i> | 1995 | £77.95 |
| | <i>This beautiful aged Pinot Noir is brick red/brown, has a wonder nose, and is full of vibrancy</i> | | |

Beaujolais

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| 5. | <i>Fleurie AC, Latour</i> | 2007 | £31.75 |
| | <i>Fresh, floral and fragrant; a well structured wine with a good depth of fruit</i> | | |

Rhone

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6. *Côtes du Rhone*
Vieux Manoir du Frigoulas' AC, Robert Alain 2006 £19.75
A light, easy-drinking wine, with soft, cherry fruit on the palate

Languedoc

7. *Les Hautes Clochers Merlot Grenache* 2004 £25.50
A full bodied wine which has a good concentration of ripe fruit. The aroma is reminiscent of blackberries and spice, and the finish is softly tannic

Spain

8. *La Emperatriz Tempranillo, DOC Rioja* 2008 £21.50
Bright cherry colour with a touch of violet around the rim. An intense nose reminiscent of red fruits, strawberries, caramelised apple and orange peel.
9. *La Emperatriz Reserva, DOC Rioja* 2001 £37.75
Bright cherry coloured with a great complexity of balsamic aromas and scents of black fruits, cocoa and orange peel. A velvety palate with a hint of mahogany and softening tannins leading to a fruity finish.

Italy

10. *Chianti Natio Organic Cecchi* 2007 £24.95
Produced from organically grown grapes. This wine captures the essence of small vineyard parcels situated within the historic Chianti region

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Australia

11. *Bests Shiraz* 2005 £27.00
Soft generous berry fruits and spice reflect the intensity and complexity of this wine
From Victoria

USA

12. *Hayes Ranch Shiraz, Livermore Valley Wente* 2006 £23.95
This well known grape variety is well balanced with a dense ruby colour
and a rich, spicy black cherry fruit palate

Chile

13. *Cornellana Merlot Rapel Valley* 2009 £18.75
An elegant and refined wine with a marked fruitiness characteristic of the
Merlot grape; strong, spicy black pepper, full of harmony and soft on the palate
14. *Lauca Pinot Noir, Maule Valley* 2008 £22.95
This wine is dominated by red cherry flavours and light spices, it is well balanced
with vanilla and leather characters
15. *Montes Classic Merlot Oak Aged, Curico Valley* 2007 £24.75
An elegant and refined wine with a marked fruitiness characteristic of the
Merlot grape; strong, spicy black pepper, full of harmony and soft on the palate

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Argentina

16. *Black River Malbec Patagonia* 2007 £19.00
Deep ruby colour with an excellent bouquet of berries, plums and chocolate.
The wine has balanced tannins and ripe fruit on the palate
17. *Cristobal 1492 Bonarda, Mendoza* 2006 £21.50
Deep purple in colour, this wine has a fruity, expressive bouquet, is well balanced
and harmonious, with firm tannins and good structure

South Africa

18. *Foot of Africa, Pinotage Kleine Zalze Estate, Stellenbosch* 2007 £22.50
The wine shows a lot of berry, herby, cigar box flavours with a hint of typical sweet Pinotage aromas. The ripe and well structured fruit tannins are well-integrated with the wood and gives the wine a long smooth aftertaste.
19. *Delheim Shiraz, Simonsberg Stellenbosch* 2005 £34.25
Intense berry fruit, backed by black pepper aromas. A mouth-watering,
full-bodied wine which lingers on the palate

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WHITE WINE

Burgundy

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| 20. | <i>Macon Lugny 'les Genievres' AC, Latour</i> | 2008 | £24.75 |
| | <i>A delicious, easy to drink, dry Chardonnay – very full and fruity</i> | | |
| 21. | <i>Chablis Domaine de L'Eglantiere AC, Durup</i> | 2008 | £30.50 |
| | <i>A concentrated un-oaked Chardonnay, peach and melon flavours on the palate and a crisp, flinty finish</i> | | |
| 22. | <i>Pouilly Fuisse AC, Latour</i> | 2007 | £40.25 |
| | <i>Dry, typically Macon Blanc style; rich fruit on the palate with a firm texture</i> | | |
| 23. | <i>Puligny Montrachet AC, Premier Cru, Latour</i> | 1996 | £70.95 |
| | <i>A superb Chardonnay. Full and fruity, giving a deep, luscious golden wine of outstanding quality</i> | | |

Loire

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| 24. | <i>Muscadet de Sevre et Maine AC</i> | 2007 | £18.75 |
| | <i>Dry, light bodied wine with good balance of fruit and acidity, and a refreshing aromatic finish</i> | | |
| 25. | <i>Sancerre 'Les Romains' AC, Fouassier</i> | 2007 | £32.50 |
| | <i>This wine is medium to full bodied with a rich taste of gooseberries; it is concentrated in flavour with a crisp, flinty finish</i> | | |

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Languedoc

26. *Toques et Clochers Autan* 2005 £27.50
A smooth, rich wine which has a buttery taste, with undertones of peaches and citrus fruits, whilst the finish has subtle hints of caramel

Spain

27. *Emperatriz Viura, DOC Rioja* 2008/9 £19.75
From one of the finest producers in Rioja comes this remarkable white wine with soft rounded vanilla, pear and cream characters

Italy

28. *Orvieto Classico DOC Cecchi* 2008 £24.75
Light golden in colour this dry wine has a delicate almond aftertaste. Excellent with fish and white meat dishes

Australia

29. *Best's Chardonnay* 2005 £26.50
Aromas of flint and stone fruit balanced with subtle amounts of oak. The palate shows great richness, complexity and balance while still remaining elegant and subtle.

New Zealand

30. *Babich Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough* 2008 £25.50
A ripe, full bodied Sauvignon Blanc, having intense flavour and a crisp, refreshing finish

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31. *Alpha Domus Viognier, Hawkes Bay* 2007 £40.50
Peaches and cream aromas are complemented by hints of pear and lemongrass. The oak influence adds spices and subtle smoky characters. Nectarine and mango flavours open the palate, while sweet mandarin, pear and tropical fruit provide a long finish.

Chile

32. *Estampa VC Viognier Chardonnay, Colchagua Valley* 2008 £19.95
Intense citrus and sub-tropical fruit flavours, a touch of honey balanced by fresh acidity, and a creamy texture
33. *Casa Silva Reserva Sauvignon Blanc Curico Valley* 2008 £24.50
Pale yellow with green hues. On the nose, fresh and powerful, with notes of gooseberry. On the palate, citric, with excellent acidity and notes of bananas. Long, agreeable finish.

Argentina

34. *Cristobal 1492 Chardonnay, Mendoza* 2008 £23.00
An elegant and crisp bouquet with notes of exotic fruit is combined with a balance that is harmonious and an aftertaste that is delicate.

South Africa

35. *Foot of Africa, Estate Chenin Kleine Zalze Estate, Stellenbosch* 2008 £21.25
This wine has strong lime and tropical pineapple aromas that are complimented with a long clean crisp finish.

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Rosé

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| 36. | <i>Pinot Grigio Rosato IGT Orizzonti</i> | 2008 | £18.50 |
| | <i>A classic light Italian Rose, with a clean fresh finish</i> | | |
| 37. | <i>Marques de Caceres Rosé (Spain)</i> | 2009 | £18.50 |
| | <i>Fragrant, dry and quite delicious</i> | | |

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VIN DU PATRON

RED

38. *Vanel Merlot, Vin de Pays D'OC* 2008 £15.75
*Purplish crimson in colour, a fruity and peppery bouquet, with a supple
aroma of blackcurrants and raspberries*
39. *Lauca Cabernet Sauvignon Maule Valley* 2007 £19.75
*A youthful and aromatic ruby red wine, this Cabernet Sauvignon is well rounded
and soft balance tannins*

WHITE

40. *Pinot Grigio IGT Orizzonti* 2009 £16.60
A well rounded wine with hints of apple.
41. *Honoré de Berticot Sauvignon Blanc, AC* 2009 £16.95
*Intense mineral and elderflower aromas, good fruit on the palate and a
crisp, dry finish*
42. *Niersteiner Gutes Domtal, QbA* 2008 £15.50
Medium bodied, with rich tropical fruit, lemon and mineral flavours, and a fresh finish

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PUDDING WINE

43. *Deen Vat 5 Botrytis Semillon* *Half Bottle* 2006 £18.00

*Of outstanding character, honeyed fruit, candied citrus, smoothly lush texture and
A tangy finish*

PORTS

Grahams 10 year old Tawny
Cockburns 1991 Vintage

£45.00 a bottle
£65.00 a bottle

SPARKLING WINE

44. *Perelada Cava Brut Reserva (Spain)* *NV* £20.75

*An unmistakable toasty aroma, a firm mousse and a clean, fresh palate of
distinctive fruit*

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CHAMPAGNE

45. *Bernard Gaucher Brut* N.V £39.95

*Made from 100% Pinot Noir, this Champagne is dry, medium bodied,
well balanced and full of flavour*

46. *Bernard Gaucher Rosé* N.V £42.00

*A superb Champagne having an elegant perfumed nose, stylish fruit structure and fine
mousse. There is complexity and firmness on the finish*

47. *Louis Roederer Brut Premier* N.V £64.00

*Brut Premier is the embodiment of Louis Roederer style, combining all the fruitiness
And freshness of youth with the vinosity of a fully mature wine. This is a structured
And elegantly mature wine, with a lively attack and a smooth palate.*

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HALF BOTTLES

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- 1h. *Côtes du Rhone,
'Vieux Manoir du Frigoulas' AC, Robert Alain* 2006 £11.65
A light, easy-drinking wine, with soft, cherry fruit on the palate

White

- 2h. *Montes Sauvignon Blanc Curico Valley* 2007 £11.95
Aromas of tropical fruits, full, rich, though refreshing palate, with bursting flavours of ripe fruit

Champagne

- 3h. *Bernard Gaucher Brut* NV £23.00
*Made from 100% Pinot Noir, this Champagne is dry, medium bodied,
well balanced and full of flavour*

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Wines by the Glass

175ml 250ml

Red

<i>Vanel Merlot VDP D'OC</i>	£3.95	£5.20
<i>Cornellana Merlot, Rapel Valley</i>	£4.75	£6.45
<i>Hayes Ranch Shiraz, Wente Livermore Valley</i>	£5.75	£8.00

White

<i>Pinot Grigio IGT Orizzonti</i>	£4.15	£5.50
<i>Honore de Berticot Sauvignon, AC Cotes de Duras</i>	£4.25	£5.75
<i>Macon Lugny 'les Genievres' AC latour</i>	£5.75	£8.00

Rose

<i>Pinot Grigio Rosato IGT Orizzonti</i>	£4.50	£6.00
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Champagne

<i>Bernard Gaucher Brut NV</i>	£7.50 By the Glass
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