

# Christopher Stewart

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# Wine ›

Selections



# Australian Selections



Sydney Opera House





Vinternational  
Wine Men of Gotham Shiraz 2013

## A Must Try Superstar Vintage

The nose is heady with loads of superb rich chocolate and savoury notes. The palate is rich and defined with rich flavours and great mouth feel. The palate progresses from chocolate, plums, spice, and toasty oak then to an elegant tannic finish. Lingering on for minutes. 20% of the wine has been fully barrel fermented and matured for 18 months in American oak. The balance was fermented in stainless steel.

## Retail Details

Price: \$13.99

Item #: 121368

Region: South Australia

Colour: Red

Varietals: Shiraz

Closure: Stelvin

Case Size: 12 x 750ml

UPC Code: 9341995000127

Listing Type: MBLL General List



Henry's Drive  
Morse Code Shiraz 2014

**Top 25 under \$25** — Vancouver Playhouse Wine Festival

Previous Vintage: **90 Points** — James Halliday, Australian Wine Companion (Mar 14, 2011)

This wine is fruit driven and made with minimal oak contact to allow the fruit flavors and regional characters to be at the forefront. With lifted floral lavender, spearmint, plum, cherry fruit, hints of spice and licorice this is a very aromatic wine. The palate is medium bodied and elegant, with fleshy plum fruit and cool-climate rose and lavender characters as well as hints of spearmint; finishing with a soft and smooth tannin structure.

## Retail Details

Price: \$

Item #: 740588

Region: Padthaway, Australia

Colour: Red

Varietals: Shiraz

Closure: Stelvin

Case Size: 12 x 750ml

UPC Code: 9327089000907

Listing Type: Consignment



Kaesler  
Stonehorse Shiraz 2011

**91(+?) Points** — Stephen Tanzer's

International Wine Cellar, Jul/Aug 13 By Josh Raynolds

(raised in three-year-old barrels): Bright purple. Deeply pitched blackberry, cherry and dark chocolate scents are lifted and sharpened by a peppery, spicy nuance. Fleshy and sweet on entry, then more taut in the mid-palate, offering bitter cherry and mocha flavors and a touch of licorice. Closes spicy and long, with very good focus and grip. This wine is still very young and in need of some time to unwind.

## Retail Details

Price: \$\$\$

Item #: 709090

Region: Barossa Valley, Australia

Colour: Red

Varietals: Shiraz

Closure: Stelvin

Case Size: 12 x 750ml

UPC Code:

Listing Type: Special Order



**Kaesler**  
**Stonehorse SGM 2010**

**91 Points** — Josh Reynolds, Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar, July/Aug 2013

Vivid ruby. Spice- and floral-accented aromas of black and blue fruits, violet and cola. Gently sweet and expansive on the palate, offering supple blueberry and cassis flavors of very good intensity and depth. Seamless in texture, with soft tannins shaping the persistent finish.

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$  
**Item #:** 709906

**Region:** Barossa Valley, Australia  
**Colour:** Red  
**Varietals:** Shiraz 63%, Grenache 24%, Mourvedre 13%  
**Closure:** Stelvin  
**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml  
**UPC Code:**  
**Listing Type:** Special Order



**Henry's Drive Vignerons**  
**Pillar Box Reserve Shiraz 2009**

**90 Points** — Wine Spectator, Issue: April 2013

"Firm, focused and juicy, with guava, currant and white pepper flavors, coming together smoothly against refined tannins on the lingering finish. Best from 2014 through 2019."

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$23.99  
**Item #:** 732837

**Region:** Padthaway  
**Colour:** Red  
**Varietals:** Shiraz  
**Closure:** Stelvin  
**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml  
**UPC Code:** 9327089000808  
**Listing Type:** MBLL Specialty-Core



**Fowles Wines**  
**Are You Game Chardonnay 2013**

This wine is bright straw in colour. Aromas of peach, papaya and apricot jump from the glass with subtle notes of oak in the wake. The palate is full bodied and fruity with great texture and a delightful creaminess as a result of four months on yeast lees.

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$  
**Item #:** 765939

**Region:** Victoria, Australia  
**Colour:** White  
**Varietals:** Chardonnay  
**Closure:** Stelvin  
**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml  
**UPC Code:**  
**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



Fowles Wines  
Are You Game Shiraz 2012

**91 Points**

**Top 100: Rank 66**

**Designation Smart Buys**

Wine Spectator Issue: Aug 31, 2014

"Vivid, peppery and appealing, with cherry and blueberry fruit, revealing black pepper overtones and a polished texture. Lingers easily on the refined finish. Lively and graceful. Drink now through 2018."

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$

**Item #:**

**Region:** Victoria, Australia

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Shiraz

**Closure:** Stelvin

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:**

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



Kaesler  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2011

Strong primary core with ruby rim. Very earthy Cabernet with olive leaf, cinnamon and layered with red stone fruit, Satsuma plums and blueberry. Elegant palate, soft, silky and very drinkable in its youth; partly due to the nature of the vintage, which has yielded some great wines despite a varied growing season. This wine has good medium term potential, ideal cellaring is 8-10 years.

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:** 709908

**Region:** Barossa Valley, Australia

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Cabernet Sauvignon

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:**

**Listing Type:** Special Order



Kaesler  
Old Vine Shiraz 2012

Kaesler Old Vine Shiraz has been consistently produced as an elegant wine, tight in its youth, a wine that is made to age. It represents a different style of Shiraz within the Kaesler portfolio, when compared to its bolder brothers, The Bogan and Old Bastard Shiraz. Crimson red in color and cherry, mixed dark fruits, spice and cedar notes. Full bodied mouth-filling tannins, lifted with bright acidity. Perfectly balanced and a long finish.

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:** 615393

**Region:** Barossa Valley, Australia

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Shiraz

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 6 x 750ml

**UPC Code:**

**Listing Type:** Special Order



Kaesler  
Old Bastard Shiraz 2010

**96+ Points** — Lisa Perrotti-Brown, Wine Advocate #205 Feb 2013

Deep garnet-purple colored, the 2010 Shiraz Old Bastard is a little closed with black fruit, licorice and chocolate box scents alongside some floral and cloves nuances. Full-bodied and concentrated with rich and seductive flavors, the vibrant acid frame persists through a long, spicy and layered finish. Drink it from 2015 to 2025+.

**95 Points** — Wine Spectator, April 30, 2013

Velvety, round and beautifully focused, lifting its blackberry, currant and delicate spice profile into the long, expressive finish. Powerful, but not weighty. Best from 2014 through 2020. 500 cases made. —HS

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:** 31047

**Region:** Barossa Valley, Australia

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Shiraz

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 6 x 750ml

**UPC Code:**

**Listing Type:** Special Order



# Austrian Selections

Hofburg Palace, Vienna





Göttsweig Stift Göttsweig  
"Messwein" Grüner Veltliner 2012

Previous Vintage: **89 Points** — Wine Spectator (May 2011)

Dry, fruity and light with classic – though subtle – Veltliner spice. Animated in the nose; multilayered with notes of citrus fruit, red apple and rosewood. Fresh and elegant on the palate; expressive, with good length.

## Retail Details

Price: \$\$\$

Item #: 740333

Region: Kremstal DAC

Colour: White

Varietals: Grüner Veltliner

Closure: Stelvin

Case Size: 12 x 750ml

UPC Code: 9008682100392

Listing Type: Consignment



Domäne Wachau  
Terraces Gruner Veltliner 2013

**"Top 100 Wineries of the World"** — Wine and Spirit Magazine 2012

Domäne Wachau's Terraces Gruner Veltliner is a crisp dry white wine with a wonderfully refreshing, apple and citrus laden palate. Delicately aromatic on the nose, the palate is rounded with hints of honey, mineral and just a little spice.

## Retail Details

Price: \$\$

Item #: 6299

Region: Wachau, Austria

Colour: White

Varietals: 100% Grüner Veltliner

Closure: Screwcap

Case Size: 12 x 750ml

UPC Code: 9007500050987

Listing Type: Specialty Wine Store



# Chilean Selections

Torres del Paine National Park, Southern Chilean Patagonia



Canepa  
Novisimo Sauvignon Blanc 2011

**Chilean Producer of Year** — IWSC 2010  
(International Wine & Spirit Competition)

Young and vibrant, this yellow-green hued Sauvignon Blanc displays citric fruit, white flowers and a dash of herbs. Satisfying acidity gives it a fresh palate and a long finish.

## Retail Details

Price: \$

Item #:

**Region:** Central Valley

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** Sauvignon Blanc

**Closure:** Stelvin

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 7804380002264

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



Canepa  
Novisimo Carmenere 2011

**Chilean Producer of Year** — IWSC 2010  
(International Wine & Spirit Competition)

The deep red Novisimo Carmenere shows off hints of black plums, pepper and soft toast in a smooth, ripe-tannined soft body. It is ideal for pairing with pastas, most meats and mature cheeses.

## Retail Details

Price: \$

Item #: 744398

**Region:** Central Valley

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Carmenere

**Closure:** Stelvin

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 7804380253529

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



Canepa  
Novisimo Cabernet Sauvignon 2013

**Chilean Producer of Year** — IWSC 2010  
(International Wine & Spirit Competition)

This bright ruby red Novisimo Cabernet Sauvignon shows red fruits, cassis, chocolate and dried plums aromas. It is well-balanced in the palate with a good body and a persistent finish. It is ideal to be consumed young, pairing with roasted red meats, pastas and mature creamy cheeses.

## Retail Details

Price: \$

Item #:

**Region:** Central Valley

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Cabernet Sauvignon

**Closure:** Stelvin

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 7804380002257

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



# French

## Selections



The Louvre, Paris



## Château De Valcombe Syrah-Grenache 2013

A delicious wine from Southern Rhone at a great value! Chateau de Valcombe is an ancient family estate located just outside a Nimes, where the Languedoc meets the Rhone Valley.

A beautiful 50/50 blend of Syrah and Grenache, with a essences a dried herbs, smoke and spice. Ripe and ready for immediate drinking at a very appealing price!

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$  
**Item #:** 857243

**Region:** Costières de Nîmes AOC  
**Colour:** Red  
**Varietals:** Syrah/Grenache  
**Closure:** Stelvin  
**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml  
**UPC Code:** 3760042790143  
**Listing Type:** Consignment



## Clos du Mont Olivet Font De Blanche Côtes Du Rhône 2010

**88-90 Points** — Stephen Tanzer's, International Wine Cellar, May 12

(60% grenache and 40% syrah): Opaque purple. Fresh blackberry and blueberry aromas and flavors are complicated by cracked pepper and violet, with a hint of smoke in the background. Very smooth and open-knit, finishing with impressive clarity and peppery length. Really shows the syrah right now.

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$  
**Item #:**

**Region:** Rhône Valley  
**Colour:** Red  
**Varietals:** Rhône Blend  
**Closure:** Natural Cork  
**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml  
**UPC Code:** 3760108000025  
**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



## Luc Belaire Sparkling Rose

Produced using the Charmat method, aged six months in steel tanks to achieve a fresh, fruit-forward taste with a soft mouthfeel and great drinkability. Blended with a 100% Syrah dosage to achieve a rich, vibrant pink color, dramatically different from other Rosés. Crafted by our 5th and 6th generation winemakers from the Piffaut family, whose Maison has been established since 1898. Rich red fruit bouquet with an elegant palate of strawberry and blackcurrant. Dry and refreshing with fine, delicate yet persistent bubbles. Elegant, smooth finish.

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$\$  
**Item #:** 325852

**Region:** Provence-Alps-Cote d'Azur  
**Colour:** Rose  
**Varietals:** Syrah, Grenache, Cinsault  
**Closure:** Cork  
**Case Size:** 6 x 750ml  
**UPC Code:** 813497005904  
**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store

### LARGE FORMAT SELECTIONS

Item #	Size	Price
766412	3L	\$\$\$\$
766411	6L	\$\$\$\$
766409	15L	\$\$\$\$

**Price Legend:**

\$ = \$14.99 and below

\$\$ = \$15-\$19.99

\$\$\$ = \$20-\$29.99

\$\$\$\$ = \$30 and above



## Luc Belaire Rosé Minis

Belaire Rosé is a unique sparkling Rosé from Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur – a region in the south of France known for producing the world's finest rosé wines. Belaire Rosé is crafted by 5th and 6th generation winemakers at a Maison established in 1898. In addition to its refreshing and highly drinkable taste, Belaire Rosé's striking black bottles have become instantly recognizable in the more than 55 countries where it can be found worldwide. Rich red fruit bouquet with an elegant palate of strawberry and blackcurrant. Dry and refreshing with fine, delicate yet persistent bubbles. Elegant, smooth finish.

### Retail Details

**Price:**

**Item #:**

**Region:** Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur, France

**Colour:** Rosé

**Varietals:** 90% Syrah, 5% Grenache, 5% Cinsault; 100% Syrah dosage

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 375ml

**UPC Code:**

**Listing Type:**



## Luc Belaire Brut

Produced in Burgundy, France from 100% Chardonnay grapes, Belaire Brut is the perfect complement to our smash-hit Rosé. It is crisp and refreshing with citrus notes, exquisite bubbles and a dry, clean finish. As for the packaging, Belaire Brut comes in our signature black bottle but stands out with striking gold accents. Fine and light, with a delicate mousse. Refreshing aromas of white flowers and a fruity flavor profile of citrus and stone fruits, such as peach, lemon and grapefruit. Dry with moderate acidity and a crisp finish.

### Retail Details

**Price:**

**Item #:**

**Region:** Burgundy, France

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** 100% Chardonnay

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 6 x 750ml

**UPC Code:**

**Listing Type:**



## Domaine Roger Sabon Cuvée Prestige 2003

**95 Points** — Wine Spectator Issue: Sep 30, 2005

"Dense raspberry, plum, licorice, tar and bacon notes are supported by thick, muscular tannins in this concentrated, showy red. A bit of a brute now (though floral and mineral hints chime in too) so cellar. If you do, you'll have a classic example of the vintage. Best from 2007 through 2025. 1,250 cases made." —JM

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:** 870287

**Region:** Chateaufort du Pape, France

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** 60% Grenache, 15% Syrah, 10% Mourvedre, Vaccarese, Muscardin, Cinsault, Terret Noir and Cunoise

**Closure:** Natural Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:**

**Listing Type:**





## Domaine Roger Sabon Cuvée Prestige 2009

**96 Points** — Wine Advocate #197 Oct 2011

"The monumental 2009 Châteauneuf du Pape Cuvée Prestige is a creative blend of 60% Grenache, 15% Syrah, 10% Mourvedre, and the rest grapes such as Vaccarese, Muscardin, Cinsault, Terret Noir and Counoise. Most of the fruit is aged in foudre, with the Syrah and Mourvedre components aged in new oak. The fabulous 2009 offers an opaque purple color along with a gorgeous nose of charcoal, burning embers, black currants, soy, Asian plum sauce, blackberries and kirsch. The wine's complexity is nearly off the charts. Moreover, once it hits the palate, the high glycerin, silky tannins, low acidity and luxurious concentration provide a compelling drinking experience. This spectacular Châteauneuf du Pape is one of the wine's of the vintage. It can be drunk now or cellared for 15+ years."

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:** 753896

**Region:** Châteauneuf du Pape, France

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** 60% Grenache, 15% Syrah, 10% Mourvedre, Vaccarese, Muscardin, Cinsault, Terret Noir and Counoise

**Closure:** Natural Cork

**Case Size:** 6 x 750ml

**UPC Code:**

**Listing Type:**



## Clos du Mont Olivet Châteauneuf-du-Pape Clos du Mont Olivet 2010

**90-92 Points** — Robert Parker, Wine Advocate

The 2010 Châteauneuf du Pape Tradition exhibits a deep ruby/purple color, silky tannins, good acidity, impressive precision as well as aromatic uplift. Similar to, but less evolved than the 2009, with deeper, more concentrated fruit, it should drink well for 10-15 years.

The Sabon family that owns Clos du Mont Olivet was one of the first to estate bottle Châteauneuf du Pape over 80 years ago. This is a highly respected source of traditional wines that age wonderfully. The family's habit of bottling as they sold the wine has been abandoned, and the result is far more consistent offerings than existed 15 or 20 years ago. The 2009s are beautiful wines, but the 2010s will ultimately eclipse them. Both vintages merit serious interest.

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:** 717462

**Region:** Châteauneuf-du-Pape

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Rhone Blend

**Closure:** Natural Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 3760108000032

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store

## Armand de Brignac Armand Trilogie

Trilogie is a limited-edition collectors' set of Armand de Brignac Champagne. One bottle each of the three celebrated cuvées – the Brut Gold, Rosé, and Blanc de Blancs – is found in this beautifully polished black wooded box lined in satin.

An Armand de Brignac "Ace of Spades" insignia rests atop the box with gold-plated details inside and out, completing a truly breathtaking package and a one-of-a-kind luxury gift for the true Champagne connoisseur.



### Retail Details

Price: \$1,599.99

Item #: 17812

Region: Champagne, France

Colour: White and Rosé

Varietals: Chardonnay,  
Pinot Noir, Pinot Meunier

Closure: Cork

Case Size: 1 x 3 x 750ml

UPC Code:

Listing Type: MBLL Specialty  
Fringe



Price Legend:

\$ = \$14.99 and below

\$\$ = \$15-\$19.99

\$\$\$ = \$20-\$29.99

\$\$\$\$ = \$30 and above





**Armand de Brignac**  
"Ace of Spades" Brut Gold Champagne

**Rated the #1 Champagne in the world!**

**98 Points** — José Peñín, Annual Peñín Guide to Spanish Wine

**96 Points** — Fine Champagne Magazine, Issue 4

In search for the 100 best champagnes for 2010, several blind-tasting sessions were conducted throughout the past year. Over 1,000 champagnes of all styles and price levels were critiqued, from non-vintage to prestige cuvees and sought-after collectors' items. The result: Armand de Brignac topped the list, ranking officially as the #1 champagne in the world.

"We witnessed in our glasses a fine, smooth and creamy champagne with underlying power and great mineral freshness. Classic, restrained and energetic in style, it has everything a truly great champagne can offer. It's accentuated fruit-forwardness is what makes it so irresistibly palatable today. Armand de Brignac's flashy golden bottle is eye-catching in the true meaning of the expression. It is always rewarding when the content of the bottle matches its price and reputation."

Also Available in large format bottles: \$749.99 | 1btl x 1.5L | 13349  
UPC Code: 813497005218 | Agent Stock

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$349.99

**Item #:** 740473

**Region:** Champagne AOC

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Pinot Meunier

**Closure:** Natural Cork

**Case Size:** 6 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 813497005256

**Listing Type:** MBLL

Specialty-Fringe



**Armand de Brignac**  
Blanc de Blancs Champagne

Armand de Brignac has earned international acclaim from the world's top wine critics. These include a rating of 98/100 points from world renowned critic José Peñín, a 4.9 out of 5 score from writer Kåre Halldén, and 9/10 points from critic Davor Butkovic.

Armand de Brignac Blanc de Blancs is a premier example of the sparkling style's most rare and enigmatic style, the 100% Chardonnay Blanc de Blancs. Grapes selected exclusively from Premier Cru and Grand Cru vineyards in the Le Marne region's Montagne de Reims and Côte des Blancs terroirs. Each Armand de Brignac cuvée includes a special 100% still wine dosage aged 9 months in oak casks from Burgundy.

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$549.99

**Item #:** 13427

**Region:** Champagne AOC

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** Chardonnay

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 6 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 813497005409

**Listing Type:** MBLL

Specialty-Allocation



**Armand de Brignac**  
Rosé Champagne

Armand de Brignac has earned international acclaim from the world's top wine critics. These include a rating of 98/100 points from world renowned critic José Peñín, a 4.9 out of 5 score from writer Kåre Halldén, and 9/10 points from critic Davor Butkovic.

Armand de Brignac Champagne Rosé is created by a complex process called assemblage, in which white wine is blended with 12% still red wine, produced from old vines of Pinot Noir grown in the Champagne region specifically to produce Rosé Champagne. Grapes selected exclusively from Premier Cru and Grand Cru vineyards in the Le Marne region's Montagne de Reims, Vallée de la Marne and Côte des Blancs terroirs. Only the top fraction of first wine pressing of our traditional Champenois Coquart press is used, for a high quality yield. Each Armand de Brignac cuvée includes a special 100% still wine dosage aged 9 months in oak casks from Burgundy.

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$549.99

**Item #:** 867291

**Region:** Champagne AOC

**Colour:** Rosé

**Varietals:** Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Pinot Meunier

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 6 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 813497005300

**Listing Type:** MBLL Specialty

Allocation



# Italian Selections

Roman Colosseum, Rome





**Bastianich**  
**FLOR Prosecco**

**2011 Top 25** — Cornucopia 2011 (Whistler, BC)

**91 Points/Top 100 of 2009** — Daenna Van Mulligen, The Wine Diva

Produced only in the highest quality area of the Valdobbiadene region in Italy, the Flor Prosecco releases wonderful aromas of ripe pear, melon, a hint of lilies and almonds. As the wine glides across the palate, senses heighten with flavours of golden delicious apples and peaches leaving behind a creamy mousse finish. FLOR Prosecco is the perfect way to begin any meal or as a compliment to any social gathering.

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:** 24147

**Region:** Conegliano-Valdobbiadene DOCG

**Colour:**

**Varietals:** Prosecco

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8032894420253

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



**Cantina Novelli**  
**Umbria Sangiovese 2013**

Red ruby colour, on the nose, fragrances of small red fruits: morello cherry and gooseberry. A fine, bright and zesty wine, its characteristics are immediately expressed. Soft on the palate and extremely drinkable.

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:** 764238

**Region:** Umbria

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** 100% Sangiovese

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8033373860638

**Listing Type:** Consignment



**La Mozza**  
**I Perazzi 2013**

**88 Points** — Wine Spectator Aug 2015

A bright, fruity version, offering black cherry, leather and tobacco flavors on a vibrant, mouthwatering profile. Finishes with black pepper accents. Drink now through 2020.

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$

**Item #:**

**Region:** Morellino di Scansano DOC

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Morellino, Alicante, Syrah

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8032894420116\*

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



## La Mozza Aragone 2010

Intense ruby red with reflections of violet. The sangiovese and Alicante contribute to the structure and complexity of the blend with spice and liquorice flavors. The Syrah and Carignan contribute a fresh dark berry component. The wine hints at a Southern Rhone style with black olive aromas, and ripe fruit.

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:**

**Region:** Maremma Toscana

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** 40% Sangiovese, 25% Alicante, 25% Syrah, 10% Carignano

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 6 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 08032894420215

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store





# New Zealand

## Selections

Harbour Bridge, Auckland



Astrolabe  
Province Sauvignon Blanc 2013

**'Smart Buys'**

**90 Points** — Wine Spectator Issue: June 15, 2014

Smooth and succulent with white peach, green tea, melon and lime zest notes, all in harmony with the juicy, defined finish. Offers a good balance of elegance and power.

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$\$

**Item #:** 138503

**Region:** Marlborough

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** Sauvignon Blanc

**Closure:** Stelvin

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 9421019370020

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



Astrolabe  
Province Pinot Gris 2014

**89 Points** — Wine Spectator (May 31, 2013)

"The floral aromatics give way to ripe pear, apricot and yellow apple flavors, with touches of chamomile and spice. Smooth, rich and pleasantly juicy, lingering on the finish. Drink now."

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$\$

**Item #:** 193375

**Region:** Marlborough

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** Pinot Gris

**Closure:** Stelvin

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 9421019370075

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



Astrolabe  
Province Pinot Noir 2011

**89 Points** — Wine Spectator, Issue: Jul 31, 2014

Appealing, with pure raspberry, cranberry and cherry flavors, showing details of black tea, orange zest, black licorice and baking spices. The tannins firm up on the finish. Drink now through 2025. 2,000 cases made. —MW

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:** 14784

**Region:** Marlborough,  
New Zealand

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Pinot Noir

**Closure:** Stelvin

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 9421019370228

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store

# South African Selections







**Stormhoek**  
**LOVE Sparkling White Moscato 2014**

The Sparkling Moscato has lifted fresh fruit aromas along with freshly crushed grapes and a sherbet perfume. The palate also shows these characters along with a tight citrus core that balances the fruitiness of this refreshing full sparkling wine. Serve well chilled and enjoy while young and vibrant.

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:**

**Region:** Western Cape,  
South Africa

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** 100% Muscat d'  
Alexandrie

**Closure:** Plastic Zork (Twist)

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:**

**Listing Type:** Special Order



**Stormhoek**  
**LOVE Sparkling Rosé Moscato 2014**

The wine shows a stunning deep pink colour with pleasant aromas of strawberry, peach and floral notes. The palate reflects these fruit characteristics and is nicely balance with a fresh acidity. Love may be enjoyed on its own or with your favourite dish. Best served chilled.

**Upcoming Marketing Support**

February 1-15: 4 Bonus Air Miles

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$14.99

**Item #:** 18008

**Region:** Western Cape,  
South Africa

**Colour:** Rosé

**Varietals:** 100% Muscat d'  
Alexandrie

**Closure:** Plastic Zork (Twist)

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 6009676516253

**Listing Type:** MBLL Specialty Core

# Spanish Selections

Park Guell, Barcelona



*“No.1 Sangria in the world”*

## Don Simon Sangria

- 100% Natural. Contains all natural fruit and cinnamon flavours without preservatives or colourants.
- Made with real Spanish wine from Tempranillo, Monastrell, and Bobal grapes from Jumilla.
- The preferred Sangria of Spaniards with an approximate market share of 90% in Spain. (AC Nielsen market share report 12/31/2006).
- Over 60 million litres sold per year in over 80 countries around the world.

### Available in 2 sizes

Magnum (1.5L) Plastic Bottle\* - 3L Bag in Box

### Tasting Notes

Deep ruby/cherry colour, with sweet impressions of blood orange and cinnamon accompanied by bright cherry aromas. Very consistent flavours on the palate, with sweet wildberry and cherry flavours, wonderful cinnamon spice and a medium-sweet finish. Pairs great with almost anything off the bbq...



Item #	Case Config	Price	Listing Type
+73501	6 x 1500mL	\$\$	Consignment
+164145	4 x 3000mL	\$\$\$	Specialty Wine Store

*Don Simon Sangria.....the ultimate summer drink.*

\* Display Stands Available Upon Request

Price Legend:

\$ = \$14.99 and below

\$\$ = \$15-\$19.99

\$\$\$ = \$20-\$29.99

\$\$\$\$ = \$30 and above





## Bodegas & Company Lolea No 2 White Sangria

Lolea No.2 is a premium, lightly sparkling white Sangria, made of the finest ingredients available. A blend of Mediterranean Muscat & Airen wine combined with natural orange and lemon juices, pure cane sugar, a touch of pure vanilla, and soft frizzante water.

Lolea No.2 is so elegant and delicious that it is impossible to resist. It boasts wonderful aromas and flavours of jasmine, apricot, and loquat, along with it's silky bubbles.

The simplest way to enjoy Lolea No.2 is to serve with ice, a slice of orange or lemon, and enjoy!

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$17.99

**Item #:** 765188

**Region:** D.O. Calatayud

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** Muscat and Airen

**Closure:** Flip Top Bottle Stopper

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8410577050414

**Listing Type:** MBLL Seasonal Listing - Coming Soon



## Bodegas & Company Lolea No 1 Red Sangria

Lolea No.1 is a premium, lightly sparkling Sangria, made of the finest ingredients available. A blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Tempranillo wine combined with natural orange and lemon juices, pure cane sugar, a touch of spice, and soft frizzante water.

Lolea No.1 has wonderful aromas of cherry, orange peel, lemon drops, cinnamon and sour strawberry. Full-bodied and scrumptious on the palate, it has a wide array of ripe red berries and blue flowers along with its silky bubbles.

The simplest way to enjoy Lolea No.1 is to serve with ice, a slice of orange or lemon, and enjoy!

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$17.99

**Item #:** 765190

**Region:** D.O. Calatayud

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Tempranillo

**Closure:** Flip Top Bottle Stopper

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8410577050407

**Listing Type:** MBLL Seasonal Listing - Coming Soon



## J.G. Carrión Belle Grove Chardonnay

Rich melon and peach aromas with hints of pineapple and a fresh, fruity finish. This is a fresh aromatic wine suitable to enjoy on any occasion.

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$

**Item #:** 774670

**Region:**

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** Chardonnay

**Closure:** Stelvin

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:**

**Listing Type:** Consignment



J.G. Carrión

Belle Grove Shiraz **Now Available!**

Ripe Shiraz grapes from sun drenched traditional Spanish hillside vineyards have been carefully fermented in their modern, temperature controlled tanks to produce a rich, fruity wine that is soft and drinkable at any occasion. Deep and bright in color, this red is very fruity on the nose. Ripe cherry and blackcurrant and combined with hints of black pepper. On the palate, the Shiraz is fruity, jammy and full of flavour, with a good backbone to support the lingering finish. Pair well with richly flavored red meats, beef stew and meat lover's pizza.

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$

**Item #:** 774664

**Region:**

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Shiraz

**Closure:** Stelvin

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:**

**Listing Type:** Consignment



Dominio de Eguen

Protocolo Blanco 2010

Vineyards which are cultivated with Airén and Macebeo varieties, in the area of La Mota. The colour is a very brilliant yellow with greenish hues. Has aromas of fresh fruit, banana apple and peach and shows fresh fruity, silky notes with bright acidity, followed by a fruity, strong finish on the palate.

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$

**Item #:** 710967

**Region:** Vino de la Tierra de Castilla

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** 70% Airén, 30% Macebeo

**Closure:** Stelvin

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 641857169030

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



Dominio de Eguen

Protocolo Tinto 2012

Previous Vintage, **#2 Top 100 Best Buys** — Wine Enthusiast Buying Guide (November 2011)

100% Tempranillo aged for 3 months in seasoned American oak. Purple- coloured, it displays a nose reminiscent of Beaujolais. Fruity and fresh on the palate, the finish has no hard edges. Drink it over the next 2 years.

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$

**Item #:** 727179

**Region:** Vino de la Tierra

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Tempranillo

**Closure:** Stelvin

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8437000038023

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



J.G. Carrión  
Jaume Serra Cava Brut Nature

**88 Points** — Daenna Van Mulligan, winescores.ca

This Brut Nature Cava Jaume Serra is a pale yellow with shades of green, crystal clear and integrated with fine bubbles. The nose is aromatic with good intensity, fresh and fruity but with notes of aging. Well structured, smooth and balanced. Made with Parellada, Macabeo and Xarel-lo grapes.

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$

**Item #:** 747172

**Region:** Cava DO

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** Parellada, Macabeo, Xarel-lo

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8411277063049

**Listing Type:** Consignment



Bodegas Volver  
Venta Morales 2011

**88 Points** — Stephen Tanzer's, International Wine Cellar, Sep 12

(all stainless steel): Bright purple. Pungent aromas of cherry, blackcurrant and dark chocolate. Supple and juicy in the mouth, with spice-accented cherry and fresh herb flavors. Finishes on a tangy note, with good cut and length. 88 points

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:** 14165

**Region:** La Mancha, Spain

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Tempranillo

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 853891002000

**Listing Type:** Consignment



Bodegas Olivares  
Rosado 2014

Hand harvested, this 70% Monastrell and 30% Syrah blend gives richness and structure to this fresh, fruity rosé. Aromatic floral notes and enticing hints of strawberry on the nose, this blend is naturally fresh, fruity and easy on the palate. Complex and absolutely gorgeous- a perfect example of a fine Spanish rosé from Jumilla.

## Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:** 803841

**Region:** Jumilla DO

**Colour:** Rosé

**Varietals:** Monastrell, Syrah

**Closure:** Stelvin

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8437001433148

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store





Beso de Vino  
Old Vine Garnacha 2011

**90 Points** — Josh Reynolds, Stephen Tanzer's  
International Wine Cellar, Sep 12

(Aged for four months in used French oak): Vivid ruby. A sexy, highly perfumed bouquet offers scents of candied dark berries, plum and potpourri. Deeply pitched dark berry flavors show impressive clarity enlivened by notes of white pepper and floral pastilles. Finishes sweet and long, with subtle tannins and lingering spiciness. This wine delivers serious bang for the buck.

### Upcoming Marketing Support

February 1-15: 4 Bonus Air Miles  
March 14-27: LTO, Retail \$12.34

### Retail Details

Price: \$12.99

Item #: 834846

Region: Carinena DO

Colour: Red

Varietals: Garnacha

Closure: Stelvin

Case Size: 12 x 750ml

UPC Code: 814095001077

Listing Type: MBLL General List



J.G. Carrión  
Antaño Crianza Rioja 2012

### SPAIN'S #1 SELLING RIOJA

"tasting like something around the \$30 mark...Dare I say this is the best value red on liquor store shelves today?"

This unique blend of Tempranillo, Garnacha, Mazuelo and Graciano is aged 18 months in French and American oak. Rich cherry red in colour with clear and brilliant violet tones. A complex nose displaying enticing aromas of raspberry and blackberry with just a hint of spice. Full-bodied with a lingering finish. Rioja at its finest!

### Upcoming Marketing Support

February 1-15: 4 Bonus Air Miles  
March 14-27: LTO, Retail \$13.29

### Retail Details

Price: \$13.99

Item #: 740369

Region: Rioja DOCa

Colour: Red

Varietals: Tempranillo, Garnacha, Mazuelo, Graciano

Closure: Cork

Case Size: 12 x 750ml

UPC Code: 8410261147208

Listing Type: MBLL General List



J.G. Carrión  
Antaño Reserva 2009

**91 Points, Designation Best Values** — Wine Spectator, Issue: Feb 28, 2015

"This polished red offers cedar, tobacco, mineral and orange peel flavors that frame a core of dried cherry and black tea. Light, firm tannins and crisp acidity impart focus. An elegant, traditional style. Drink now through 2019."

### Retail Details

Price: \$\$

Item #:

Region: D.O.C.a Rioja

Colour: Red

Varietals: 85% Tempranillo, 5% Garnacha, 5% Mazuelo, 5% Graciano

Closure: Cork

Case Size: 6 x 750ml

UPC Code: 8410261148205

Listing Type: Special Order



**Bodegas Olivares**  
**Altos De La Hoya 2009**

**90 Points** — Josh Reynolds, Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar, Nov/Dec 10

(\$13; includes 8% garnacha; raised in demi-muids and barriques ranging from new to three years old) Bright violet. Spicy, floral-accented aromas of black raspberry, sassafras, dried flowers and allspice, enhanced by a subtle mineral overtone. Lively and precise, with sweet red and dark berry flavors and a nervy mineral spine. Shows very good energy on the finish, leaving tangy red fruit and spice notes. This is quite unlike most wines from Jumilla, which can show more richness than balance. Some of these vines date back to 1872.

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$  
**Item #:** 716970

**Region:** Jumilla DO  
**Colour:** Red  
**Varietals:** Monastrell  
**Closure:** Natural Cork  
**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml  
**UPC Code:** 8437001433018  
**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



**Bodegas Terra Sigilata**  
**Filon 2012**

**90 Points** — Wine Advocate June 2011

"The 2010 Filon was sourced from 30-to 40-year-old vineyards. It offers up notes of smoke, mineral, and wild cherry that mingle with layers of ripe cherry fruit on the palate. A bit more elegant than the Retorno bottling but no less pleasurable, this savory offering over-delivers in a big way. Drink it over the next 3-4 years "

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$\$  
**Item #:**

**Region:** Calatayud DO  
**Colour:** Red  
**Varietals:** Garnacha  
**Closure:** Natural Cork  
**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml  
**UPC Code:** 8437005068728  
**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



**Sierra Cantabria**  
**Codice 2012**

**Previous Vintage: 90 points** — Stephen Tanzer's, International Wine Cellar, Sep/Oct 13

(100% tempranillo; aged for six months in tank followed by six months in French and American oak): Brilliant ruby. Sexy, oak-spiced aromas of black and blue fruit preserves, potpourri and woodsmoke. Silky and open-knit, offering juicy dark berry and violet pastille flavors and a touch of mocha. The floral note carries through on the finish, which features soft tannins and slow-building spiciness. As usual, this is a fantastic value.

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$  
**Item #:** 727182

**Region:** Vino de la Tierra de Castilla  
**Colour:** Red  
**Varietals:** Tempranillo  
**Closure:** Stelvin  
**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml  
**UPC Code:** 8437000038160  
**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



**Bodegas Volver**  
**Venta Morales Organic 2011**

**89 Points** — Stephen Tanzer's, International Wine Cellar, Sep 12

Bright violet color. Pungent scents of fresh raspberry, cherry, rose and cinnamon. Firm and bracing on the palate, offering juicy, sharply focused red and dark berry flavors. The bright fruit notes expand with air and carry through a silky, floral-accented and nicely persistent finish.

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:** 14166

**Region:** La Mancha, Spain

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Tempranillo

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 853891002178

**Listing Type:** Consignment



**Bodegas Volver**  
**Wrongo Dongo 2010**

**87 Points** — Jay Miller, Wine Advocate #195 (Jun 2011)

"The 2010 Wrongo Dongo, (a phrase made famous by the legendary Diamond Jim Arseneault), is a 100% Monastrell cuvee made from Jumilla grapes. Fermented and aged in stainless steel, it offers up a fruity nose with plenty of spice and floral notes. Ripe and savory on the palate, it has enough structure to provide pleasure for another 3-4 years."

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:** 746354

**Region:** Jumilla DO

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Monastrell

**Closure:** Synthetic Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8437005068049

**Listing Type:** Consignment



**J.G. Carrión**  
**Cristalino Cava Brut NV**

**SPAIN'S #1 SELLING CAVA**

"Cristalino is always a solid go-to Cava. This brut is round, slightly yeasty and shows citrus aromas that veer toward lemon-lime. The palate is healthy and clean, with a narrow set of citrus and apple flavors. Fairly full and long on the finish, which makes the whole package more than worthwhile give the cost."

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:**

**Region:** Cava DO

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** Parellada, Macabeo, Xarel-lo

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8411277400417

**Listing Type:** Banville & Jones Exclusive





J.G. Carrión  
Cristalino Cava Brut NV 200ml

## SPAIN'S #1 SELLING CAVA

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## Retail Details

Price: \$

Item #:

Region: Cava DO

Colour: White

Varietals: Parellada, Macabeo, Xarel-lo

Closure: Screw Cap

Case Size: 24 x 200ml

UPC Code: 00745639555001

Listing Type: Banville & Jones Exclusive



J.G. Carrión  
Cristalino Reserva Cava

This Brut Nature Reserva Cava has been aging in the cellar for a minimum of 15 months and its quality is the result of blending a fine selection of Chardonnay, Parellada and Macebeo grapes. This cava is clean, bright, well-balanced, with good texture, structure and lively bubbles. Delicate on the plate with a lovely aroma of toast, lime and apple pie notes with a long and zippy finish. Enjoy this sophisticated cava with just about any meal as well as your next celebration.

## Retail Details

Price: \$\$

Item #:

Region: Cava DO

Colour: White

Varietals: Chardonnay, Parellada, Macabeo

Closure: Cork

Case Size: 12 x 750ml

UPC Code: 08411277205371

Listing Type: Specialty Wine Store



Grandes Vinos y Vinedos  
Monasterio de las Vinas Reserva 2006

## 90 Points — Robert Parker's, The Wine Advocate, Issue 195

"The 2006 Reserva is a blend of 70% Garnacha, 20% Tempranillo, and 10% Carinena aged in barrel for 12 months. Spice box, pepper, violets, mineral, black cherry, and plum aromas are followed by a ripe, plush, pleasure-bent red that has enough structure to evolve for 1-2 years. Drink this outstanding value over the next 6-7 years. "

## Upcoming Marketing Support

February 1-15: 4 Bonus Air Miles

## Retail Details

Price: \$14.99

Item #: 16037

Region: Carinena D.O

Colour: Red

Varietals: 70% Garnacha, 20% Tempranillo, & 10% Carinena

Closure: Cork

Case Size: 12 x 750ml

UPC Code: 814095009271

Listing Type: MBLL General List



**Grandes Vinos y Vinedos**  
**Monasterio Gran Reserva 2005**

**91 Points** — Wine Advocate #195 Jun 2011

The 2005 Gran Reserva is made up of 60% Garnacha, 30% Tempranillo, and 10% Carinena aged in barrel for 24 months and kept in bottle for 36 months prior to release. A glass-coating opaque purple color, it has greater density and grip than the Reserva cuvee as well as layers of ripe, sweet fruit. Give this nicely balanced wine another 1-2 years of cellaring and drink it from 2013 to 2017.

**Upcoming Marketing Support**

February 1-15: 5 Bonus Air Miles

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$19.99

**Item #:** 16039

**Region:** Carinena DO, Spain

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** 60% Garnacha, 30% Tempranillo, and 10% Carinena

**Closure:** Natural Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:**

**Listing Type:** MBLL Specialty-Core



**Bodegas Breca**  
**Garnacha de Fuego 2012**

**89 Points** — Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar, Sep/Oct 13

Bright purple. Ripe dark berries and cracked pepper on the nose. Smooth and broad on entry, then tighter in the mid-palate, offering tangy blackberry and bitter cherry flavors and a hint of licorice. Sweeter on the finish, with the cherry and licorice notes echoing. This is an amazing value.

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:** 724614

**Region:** Calatayud DO

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Garnacha

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8437005068131

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



**Bodegas Muga**  
**Rosado 2013**

Previous Vintage: **88 Points** — Josh Reynolds, Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar, Jul 13

Pale orange-pink. Aromas of strawberry, white peach and rose, with a hint of cherry pit adding depth. Juicy and light on its feet, offering tangy red berry flavors and a touch of bitter fruit pit. Bracing and refreshingly dry, finishing with good clarity and cut.

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:**

**Region:** Rioja, Spain

**Colour:** Rose

**Varietals:** Garnacha, Viura, Tempranillo

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 00615503050126

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



## Sierra Cantabria Selección 2009

**88 Points** — Wine Advocate #195, June 2011

Sierra Cantabria's entry-level red, the 2009 Tinto was aged for 6 months in tank followed by 6 months in seasoned oak. Spice box, cedar, incense, violets, and black fruits inform the nose of this savory, easygoing, friendly wine. Nicely proportioned and surprisingly long in the finish, this is an excellent value meant for drinking over the next 4-5 years.

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:**

**Region:** Rioja DOCa

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Tempranillo

**Closure:** Natural Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8414581600009

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



## Bodegas Naia Las Brisas 2011

**89 Points** — Jay Miller Wine Advocate # 195 Jun 2011

"Bodegas Naia's 2010 Las Brisas (a perennial Best Buy in these pages) is once again a great value in aromatic white wine. It proffers a complex perfume (particularly for its humble price) of fresh herbs, peach, melon, and nutmeg. Crisp, savory, and concentrated on the palate."

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:** 745462

**Region:** Rueda DO

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** Verdejo

**Closure:** Synthetic Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 858669000714

**Listing Type:** Consignment



## Bodegas Bula Bula 2011

**90 Points** — Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar (Sept 2012)

(50% carinena, 30% garnacha and 20% syrah, fermented in stainless steel and then aged for four months in French and American oak): Bright violet color. Musky blueberry, cassis and lavender on the nose, with complicating mineral and white pepper nuances. Supple, sweet and smooth, with very good energy and lift to its dark fruit and spice flavors. Finishes with supple tannins and bright, tangy persistence.

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$

**Item #:** 64766

**Region:** D.O. Montsant, Spain

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** 50% Carinena,  
30% Garnacha, 20% Syrah

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 851115002164

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



**Bodegas Naia**  
**Naia Verdejo 2011**

**91 Points** — Josh Reynolds, Steve Tanzer's International Wine Cellars

"Light gold. Tightly wound citrus and mineral aromas are complemented by chalky minerals and white flowers. Sharply defined lime and orange zest flavors gain heft with air, taking a turn to pear and nectarine while retaining focus. Finishes refreshingly brisk and long, with resonating spice and mineral notes."

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$\$

**Item #:** 745460

**Region:** Rueda DO

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** Verdejo

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8437004016102

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



**Bodegas Mano a Mano**  
**Venta La Ossa 2009**

**90 Points** — Jay Miller, Wine Advocate # 195 Jun 2011

"The 2008 Venta La Ossa is 95% Tempranillo and 5% Syrah aged in new French oak for 12 months. This full-bodied effort exhibits aromas and flavors of wood smoke, mineral, violets, and blackberry. The wine opens in the glass to reveal spice notes (pepper, clove, sage) and plenty of savory fruit. This well-balanced, lengthy Tempranillo will evolve for 2-3 years and drink well through 2023."

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$\$

**Item #:** 729033

**Region:** La Mancha

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Tempranillo, Syrah

**Closure:** Natural Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8437005637603

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



**Bodegas Viña Nora**  
**Nora 2010**

**90 Points** — Jay Miller Wine Advocate # 195 Jun 2011

"The 2010 Nora (100% Albarino) saw 10% of the wine fermented and aged sur lie in French oak. It displays a similar aromatic and flavor profile as the Peitan but with a creamier texture, and greater depth, concentration, and length. It is an outstanding value for drinking over the next 3 years."

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:** 745461

**Region:** Riax Biaxis

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** 100% Albarino

**Closure:** Synthetic Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8426214001008

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store





## Sierra Cantabria Crianza 2007

**90 Points** — Robert Parker's The Wine Advocate, # 195 (June 2011)

The 2007 Crianza was aged in seasoned French and American oak for 15 months before bottling without filtration. Smoke, leather, cinnamon, incense, and blackberry are some of the elements jumping from the glass of this smooth-textured, generously stuffed, savory offering. Excellent volume and length suggest that this exceptional value will provide enjoyment through 2019.

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$

**Item #:**

**Region:** Rioja DOCa

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Tempranillo

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 8414581104002

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



## Bodegas Muga Muga Blanco 2011

**91 Points** — Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar, Sep 12

90% viura and 10% malvasia. Fermented in new French oak and aged for three months on its fine lees. Pale gold. Suave, floral-accented aromas of candied orchard fruits, orange zest, white flowers and brioche. Pliant and broad on entry, then tighter in the middle, offering gently sweet pear and citrus fruit flavors and a touch of vanilla. Finishes sappy and very long, with lingering spiciness and a hint of anise. This wine delivers outstanding value.

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$

**Item #:** 722570

**Region:** Rioja DOCa

**Colour:** White

**Varietals:** 90% Viura, 10% Malvasia

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 615503040059

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



## Bodegas Breca Breca 2011

**91 Points** — Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar, Oct 2013

(made from garnacha vines that were reportedly planted between 1925 and 1945; aged for 21 months in small French oak): Opaque ruby. Ripe blackberry and boysenberry aromas are complemented by deeper-pitched notes of mocha and licorice. At once rich and lively, offering vibrant dark fruit preserve flavors and a kick of peppery spices. Smooth, seamless and sweet on the very persistent finish, which leaves notes of blueberry and espresso behind.

### Retail Details

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:** 672253

**Region:** D.O. Calatayud, Spain

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Garnacha

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 08437012538023

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



**Bodegas Muga**  
**Muga Reserva 2010**

**92 Points** — Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar, Sep/Oct 14

(70% tempranillo, 20% garnacha, 7% mazuelo and 3% graciano; fermented in large oak vats and aged for 24 months in oak casks of varying size): Opaque ruby. Musky, deeply pitched aromas of ripe red fruit, game, lavender and roasted coffee. Shows very good spicy lift in the mouth, offering sweet raspberry and cherry flavors and an undercurrent of smoky minerals. Finishes with excellent focus and thrust; the slowly building tannins meld smoothly with the wine's dense fruit. Age this wine for at least another five years, with confidence.

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:** 729852

**Region:** Rioja DOCa

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** Tempranillo, Garnacha, Mazuelo, Graciano

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 615503100043

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



**Bodegas Muga**  
**Seleccion Especial 2009**

**95 Points** — Wine Spectator Sep 30, 2013

Powerful yet harmonious, this rich red delivers black cherry, licorice, fresh herb, smoke and mineral flavors that mingle seamlessly over firm, well-integrated tannins, while balsamic-tinged acidity drives the flavors through the long, spicy finish. Drink now through 2025. 4,000 cases made. —TM

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:** 732322

**Region:** Rioja, Spain

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** 70 % Tempranillo, 20 % Garnacha, 7 % Mazuelo and 3% Graciano

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 08414542150093

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



**Bodegas Muga**  
**Prado Enea Gran Reserva 2005**

**95 Points** — Wine Advocate, #202 Aug 2012

The 2005 Prado Enea Gran Reserva spends 36-months in oak, nine months in new oak after which it is racked into American oak that is "semi-new" (i.e. a new barrel that is "broken in" with a wine beforehand). It has an unashamedly opulent bouquet of primal, ripe, boysenberry, mulberry, dark chocolate and crushed violets that blossom with aeration. The palate is full-bodied with crisp acidity cutting through the pure blackberry and cassis fruit. It has wonderful focus and intensity, though the finish demonstrates convincing composure. This is an outstanding Gran Reserva whose silky texture will instantly win you over. Drink 2013-2030+

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:** 722574

**Region:** Rioja, Spain

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** 80% Tempranillo, 20% Garnacha, Mazuelo, and Graciano

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 6 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 615503020952

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store

# United States

## Selections



Golden Gate Bridge, San Francisco



Juslyn Vineyards  
Perry's Blend 2007

**93 Points** — Robert Parker, Wine Advocate #192, Dec 2010

"The 2007 Perry's Blend (42% Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% Merlot and the rest Cabernet Franc and Petit Verdot, all from the estate vineyards on Spring Mountain) exhibits tremendous aromas of flowers, blue, red and black fruits, graphite and forest floor. Elegant yet powerful, rich, concentrated, pure and impeccably well-balanced, it reminds me of a hypothetical blend of a Bordeaux and a cool climate, Cabernet-based red from Napa. Drink it over the next 15+ years."

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:**

**Region:** Spring Mountain District,  
Napa Valley California

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** 42% Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% Merlot, 20% Cabernet Franc, 5% Petit Verdot

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 626990065906

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



Juslyn Vineyards  
Spring Mountain Cabernet Sauvignon 2007

**95 Points** — Robert Parker, Wine Advocate #192, Dec 2010

"The fabulous, dense ruby/purple-tinged 2007 Cabernet Sauvignon Spring Mountain Estate offers up scents of cedarwood, creme de cassis, graphite and fruitcake. Again, elegance combined with power, a glorious, multilayered texture and a stunning finish result in a brilliant Cabernet that should drink beautifully for 15-20+ years."

**Retail Details**

**Price:** \$\$\$\$

**Item #:**

**Region:** Spring Mountain District,  
Napa Valley California

**Colour:** Red

**Varietals:** 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

**Closure:** Cork

**Case Size:** 12 x 750ml

**UPC Code:** 626990065920

**Listing Type:** Specialty Wine Store



# Spirits ›

Selections





## The Original Icelandic Spirit

Olgerdin Egill Skallagrimsson

### Brennivin Aquavit

Brennivin is a caraway flavoured aquavit (un-sweetened schnapps) and is the country's signature spirit. Introduced in 1935, Brennivin is made from the extraordinarily pure Icelandic water imparting it with a deliciously sweet taste and a soft finish. Have no doubts however this is an aquavit, and Brennivin has the right level of intensity with notes of caraway seeds. Best enjoyed on its own ice cold or use its unique taste to experiment in cocktails.

#### Vital Statistics

Region:	Borgarnes, Iceland
Raw Materials:	Potatoes, caraway seeds, cumin, angelica and other native botanicals
Distillation Process:	Fermented potato mash, steeped with local herbs
Colour:	Clear
Alcohol:	40%

#### Retail Details

Closure:	Stelvin
Item #:	767374
UPC:	5690772000701
Case Size:	12 x 700ml
Display Price:	\$34.99
Listing Type:	MBLL Specialty-Fringe





## Global Premium Brands

# Gin Mare

### The Reviews

## 94 Points

Rated “Exceptional” & Gold Medal Awarded  
Beverage Testing Institute, March 26, 2014

## Gold Medal & Best In Class

International Wine & Spirit Competition

“Colourless. Very distinctive and attractive nose filled with all sorts of different aromatics. Rosemary is distinctive while olive and thyme make a statement. Hints of ginger, citrus and coriander. Beautiful, big flavoured mouth where the flavours are distinctly Mediterranean: rosemary, thyme, olive and citrus. Long, aromatic finish. Great innovation...” - Gold Medal (Best in Class) IWSC 2010.

### Vital Statistics

<b>Region:</b>	Costa Daurada, Spain
<b>Botanicals:</b>	Arbequina olives, rosemary, thyme, basil, citrus fruit, Juniper berries, coriander, green cardamom
<b>Distillation Process:</b>	Distilled in a 200L Florentine copper still. All the botanicals are macerated and distilled separately for about 36 hours except the citrus maceration that is macerated for an amazing 365 days.
<b>Colour:</b>	Clear
<b>Alcohol:</b>	42.7%

### Retail Details

<b>Closure:</b>	Capsule (also acts as a 50ml pourer)
<b>Item #:</b>	15362
<b>UPC:</b>	08411640000459
<b>Case Size:</b>	6 x 700ml
<b>Display Price:</b>	\$55.99
<b>Listing Type:</b>	MBLL Specialty-Fringe

Price Legend:

\$ = \$14.99 and below

\$\$ = \$15-\$19.99

\$\$\$ = \$20-\$29.99

\$\$\$\$ = \$30 and above

# Sake ›

Selections







Obata Shuzo

## Manotsuru "Bulzai" Ginjo

### The Reviews

**92 Points**

Wilfred Wong Bevmo!

**Best Buy**

Beverage Testing Institute, June 14, 2013

Bulzai a Nama-chozo sake, which means it is left un-pasteurized until the bottling stage; this adds zestiness to the mouthfeel and preserves of the flavours normally lost to the full pasteurization process. Refreshing aromas of bananas and tropical fruit. The finish offers hints of licorice and white pepper over stonedriven mineral notes. Best served chilled. Bulzai "hits the mark" with a wide range of appetizers and fish dishes.

### Vital Statistics

<b>Region:</b>	Sado Island, Niigata
<b>Grade:</b>	Ginjo (premium quality sake) Nama-chozo (pasteurized once after maturation)
<b>Rice:</b>	Gohyaku-Mangoku
<b>Seimaibuai:</b>	55% (45% rice polished away)
<b>Yeast:</b>	k1701
<b>Alcohol:</b>	15.5%
<b>Acidity:</b>	1.3
<b>Nihonshu-do (sweetness):</b>	6-8 (dry)

### Retail Details

<b>Closure:</b>	Stelvin
<b>Case Size:</b>	12 x 300ml
<b>Item #:</b>	759220
<b>UPC:</b>	852282002544
<b>Display Price:</b>	\$13.99
<b>Listing Type:</b>	MBLL Specialty-Core

**Price Legend:**

\$ = \$14.99 and below

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Obata Shuzo

## Manotsuru “Demon Slayer” Tokubetsu Honjozo

### The Reviews

### 90 Points & Best Buy Beverage Testing Institute

This is an Onikoroshi (“Demon Slayer”) sake, which means it is very dry. Medium-bodied sake with tantalizing fruit flavors and a pleasant nuttiness on the mid-palate. Hints of mineral on the very dry finish. Best served slightly chilled and is wonderful with all types of meat.

### Vital Statistics

Region:	Sado Island, Niigata
Grade:	Tokubetsu Honjozo (special quality sake)
Rice:	Gohyakumangoku & Koshiibuki
Seimaibuai:	60% (40% of the rice milled away)
Yeast:	k701
Alcohol:	15.5%
Acidity:	1.2
Nihonshu-do:	Over +15 (very dry)

### Retail Details

Closure:	Stelvin
Case Size:	12 x 300ml
Item #:	17794
UPC:	852282002599
Display Price:	\$14.99
Listing Type:	MBLL Specialty-Core

Price Legend:

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# Beer ›

Selections





## Ölgerðin Egill Skallagrímsson Gull

### The Reviews

### The World's Best Standard Lager 2011 World Beer Awards



Egils Gull offers you the classic crisp lager experience: Golden colour, small white head, light toasted malt nose, grainy aroma and fresh lemony hops in the mouth. No wonder Gull has received a number of prizes, including the "World's Best Standard Lager" at the World Beer Awards 2011.

Gull is one of Iceland's best known brands and has been enjoyed by Icelanders since March 1989, when the 70 year beer prohibition in Iceland was lifted. It is brewed in accordance with the Munchener helles method from locally grown barley and the pure Icelandic water. Gull is our pride. The racehorse we entrust to lead the way for our ambitious line of beers.

Also Available in 20L Key Kegs: + 767060

### Vital Statistics

Region:	Reykjavik, Iceland
Beer Style:	Munchener Helles
Colour:	Golden
Malts:	Pilsen Malt, Icelandic Barley
Hops:	Hallertauer Magnum and Hallertauer Perle
Alcohol:	5.0%
IBU'S:	19

### Retail Details

Closure:	Pull Tab
Case Size:	24x 500ml
Item #:	852715
UPC:	5690541001786
Display Price:	\$2.65
Listing Type:	MBLL Specialty-Core



Price Legend:

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\$\$\$ = \$20-\$29.99

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Ölgerðin Egill Skallagrímsson

## Brio

### The Reviews

## Gold Medal Best German Style Pilsner

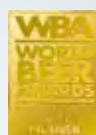
2012 World Beer Cup

## World's Best Pilsner

2012 World Beer Awards

## Europe's Best Pilsner

2012 World Beer Awards



Brio is a German-style pilsner and the Bavarian Mittelfruher hops give the beer its unique taste and aroma. Driven by passion and aiming for quality and perfection, Ölgerðin brew masters developed Brio in close collaboration with the reknown Reykjavik pub owner duet, Kormakur and Skjoldur at Olstofan pub.

Brio won gold at the prestigious 2012 World Beer Cup as the best German-style Pilsner and named the World's Best Pilsner in the 2012 World Beer Awards. Brio is the passionate pioneer of the group, always ready for an adventure!

Also Available in 20L Key Kegs: + 643353

### Vital Statistics

Region:	Reykjavik, Iceland
Beer Style:	German Pilsner
Colour:	Straw Golden
Malts:	Pilsen Malt
Hops:	Hallertauer Mittelfruher
Alcohol:	4.8%
IBU'S:	32

### Retail Details

Closure:	Pull Tab
Case Size:	24x 500ml
Item #:	758084
UPC:	5690541017510
Display Price:	\$2.99
Listing Type:	MBLL Special Order

Price Legend:

\$ = \$14.99 and below

\$\$ = \$15-\$19.99

\$\$\$ = \$20-\$29.99

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Borg Brugghús

## Garun Icelandic Stout

### The Reviews

**98 Points**

RateBeer.com

**93 Points**

Beer Advocate

"Garún is named for the strong and brave heroine of one of Iceland's most popular folktales "The deacon of Dark River (Myrká)." A tale of ghosts, undying love, and life triumphing over death told against the backdrop of elements essential to Iceland's character: ice, snow, and flooding waters whirling dark and mysterious. The same elements that inspire this rich, intense, bold and swirlingly varied Icelandic stout. Garún is a dark aura of intense richness and haunting aroma with notes of chocolate, licorice and coffee. Skál!"

**Also Available in 20L kegs**

### Vital Statistics

Region:	Iceland
Beer Style:	Imperial Stout
Colour:	Dark
Malts:	Pilsner malt, Caraaroma, Carafa Special III, Chocolat rug malt, Black malt
Hops:	Perle and Magnum
Alcohol:	11.5%
IBU'S:	

### Retail Details

Closure:	Crown Cap
Case Size:	24 x 330ml
Item #:	18292
UPC:	5690542000023
Display Price:	\$4.98
Listing Type:	MBLL Specialty Core

**Price Legend:**

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