

Château de Sours, Bordeaux (France)

La Fleur d'Amelie 2011

(\$15, Old Bridge Cellars)

Consumers seem to forget that Bordeaux makes white wines as well as red, which is too bad, since they can offer both a different expression of Sauvignon Blanc and great value. In addition to the refreshing pungency inherent to that grape, which makes up almost half the blend in this wine, the inclusion of Semillon adds depth and body. The blend results in a wine that will cut through the summer's humidity and stand up to highly flavored seafood dishes without breaking the bank.

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