



Wine List

WINES BY THE GLASS

WHITES

- Sauvignon Blanc, Decoy by Duckhorn** 8 32
Citrus, grass and honey with a light smooth texture and long, refreshing finish.
- Pinot Gris, A to Z, Oregon**..... 8 32
Pear, ginger, almond and vanilla aromas. Juicy, bright and succulent on the attack, with flavors of tangerine, melon, pineapple and wet stone.
- Chardonnay, Charles Smith “Eve”, Columbia Vly, WA** 7 28
Made in a crisp, lean style, an underlying mineral rich nose with shell or chalk and veiled by more floral aromatics reminiscent of apple and apple blossoms.
- Chardonnay, Morgan, Santa Barbara, CA** 10 40
Aromas of tropical fruit, ripe pear, crème brulee, and hazelnuts. Rich fruit flavors are complemented by a light touch of butterscotch and refreshing minerality and bright acidity.
- Cava, Cristallino, Spain (187 ml)** 7
Pleasing aromas of green apples, peaches, toast, flowers and cinnamon

REDS

- Pinot Noir, Sean Minor “4 Bears”, Carneros, CA**..... 10 40
Medium-bodied with cherry, strawberry and plum; surrounded by light toast flavors.
- Merlot, Steele, Lake County, CA** 9 36
This wine is a mouthful of pleasure: lots of fruit, medium tannins and a long lingering finish.
- Syrah/Grenache, Chateau Delas, Cotes du Rhone** 8 32
A front-end loaded, fruity wine that is seductive, sensual, and boasts loads of peppery black cherry fruit with some hints of damp earth and spice.
- Malbec, Don Miguel Gascon, Mendoza, Argentina** 8 32
A full bodied wine with a deep violet color, showcasing flavors and aromas of blackberry, blueberry, plum, dark cherry, and a hint of mocha.
- Zinfandel, Klinker Brick, Napa, CA** 9 36
Aromas of black cherries and fresh strawberries and toasty oak. On the palate, there are layers of dark fruit intermingled with sweet vanilla and spice.
- Cabernet, Line 39, Lake County, CA** 7 28
Aromas of bright red fruits, blackberry, tobacco and cedar. This elegant wine offers chewy black fruit flavors with subtle tannins on the finish
- Cabernet, Rock Horse Ranch, Columbia Valley, WA** 12 48
Rich and full-bodied, with lush aromas of blackberries and bing cherries. The palate shows dark berry and cherry fruit with a hint of eucalyptus emerging on the finish.

HALF BOTTLES

1. **PINOT NOIR, RAPTOR RIDGE “RESERVE”**
Willamette Valley ‘08 29
Supple and appealing for the mineral notes that harmonize with the cherry and spice flavors, lingering nicely.
2. **PINOT NOIR, STEELE**
Carneros ‘08 22
Complex, with a medley of cola, black cherry, herb and olive notes. Smooth, with a persistent aftertaste and a touch of fresh earth and cedar.
3. **ZINFANDEL, RIDGE “LYTTON SPRINGS”**
California 2007 35
Zesty and briary, with dried cherry and fennel aromas and concentrated plum, licorice and cracked pepper flavors, finishing with earthy tannins.
4. **MERLOT, L’ECOLE No. 41**
Columbia Valley 2007 29
Firm in texture, with chewy tannins around a lean core of ripe black cherry and black pepper flavors, remaining firm on the lively finish.
5. **MERLOT, DUCKHORN**
Napa 2007 48
Sleek and complex, with appealing aromas of red currant and spicy tomato leaf and layered flavors of black cherry and mocha.
7. **RHÔNE, E. GUIGAL**
Gigondas 2007 32
Perfumed, with nicely integrated grip that focuses the lovely mulled plum, black currant, licorice snap and black tea notes.
8. **SAUVIGNON BLANC, HONIG**
Napa 2010 20
Fragrant, with perfumed notes to the pea blossom, passion fruit and gooseberry flavors, which are lively and spicy, with good intensity and an almond skin finish.
9. **CHARDONNAY, J. LOHR ESTATES “RIVERSTONE”**
Arroyo Seco 2006 15
The flavors are very clean, with peach, nectarine and citrus with subtle butter and vanilla toastiness, producing layers of complexity with an excellent balance of fresh fruit acidity and palate weight.
11. **CHARDONNAY, STEELE “STEELE CUVEE”**
Santa Barbara 2006 22
A blend of seven pedigreed vineyards in four of California’s best appellations. The flavors are classic Chardonnay with tropical pineapple and nectarine from Santa Barbara, lemony citrus and spice from Carneros and Sonoma and an underlying earthiness and minerality from Mendocino.
12. **BURGUNDY, MACON-LUGNY “LES CHARMES”**
Macon-Lugny ‘03 14
Medium-bodied, fresh and clean. Notes of apple, pear and citrus on the nose, with a crisp and light texture.

SPARKLING WINE

- 20. BRUT SPARKLING WINE, KORBEL**
Sonoma NV35
Shows attractive citrus and hazelnut flavors but the finish is a bit short, with a trace of sweetness. A fine quaffer.
- 21. BRUT SPARKLING WINE, DOMAINE CARNEROS**
Carneros 200651
Toasty and bright, this lemony bubbly packs a refreshing mix of citrus and herb flavors. On the finish, it's a touch bitter though quite enjoyable.
- 22. BRUT SPARKLING WINE, ROEDERER ESTATE**
Alexander Valley NV.....40
A delicious California sparkler with rich and toasty aromas up front, and a follow-up that features focused and complex lemon, grapefruit, herb, green apple and pear flavors. It's bright and clean on the finish, quite refreshing.
- 23. BRUT ROSE, SCHRAMSBERG**
North Coast 200770
Fresh rose petal and cherry aromas lead to crisp, creamy raspberry, white chocolate and mineral flavors that build intensity and finesse on the finish.
- 24. BRUT SPARKLING WINE, ARGYLE "EXTENDED TIRAGE"**
Willamette Valley '9795
A stunner. Pear, apple and orange marmalade flavors weave through a delicate structure and a flavor profile with distinct toastiness. It's the freshness that makes this elegant sparkler special.
- 25. CHAMPAGNE, VEUVE CLICQUOT PONSARDIN**
Reims NV.....105
Straightforward and sweet, this has sugary flavors, a soft mousse and a honeyed finish. Enjoyable and uncomplicated in character.
- 26. CHAMPAGNE, BOLLINGER "SPECIAL CUVÉE"**
Champagne NV119
A combination of freshness and maturity highlight this medium-bodied bubbly. The flavors evoke toast, nuts and citrus, while the vivid acidity keeps it all focused.
- 27. CHAMPAGNE, LOUIS ROEDERER "CRISTAL"**
Champagne '02375
A suave customer, with hints of citrus, berry and coffee. Harmonious and refined, with freshness and a bright structure. The finish shows a lot of potential, with a mouthwatering aftertaste.
- 28. BRUT SPARKLING WINE, FREIXENET "CORDON NEGRO"**
Spain NV29
Spicy flavors and a crisp texture, seasoned with ginger and pepper.
- 29. PROSECCO, CA VITTORIO**
'NV36
The nose suggests clementine and touches of fresh cherries, an impressively complex and invigorating perfume. Fruity and fresh, medium-bodied and zesty on the tongue. The finish offers a hint of spice; pure, fetching and very refreshing.

LIGHT, CRISP WHITES

- 40. SAUVIGNON BLANC, MERCER**
Columbia Valley 2008.....29
Bright and lively, with pretty pear and herb aromas and flavors, hinting at peach on the finish. Partial barrel fermentation leads to a nice roundness while maintaining bright acidity.
- 41. SAUVIGNON BLANC, LONG BOAT**
Marlborough, NZ 200929
Light and floral, with a perfume feel to the peach and lime blossom aromas and flavors, finishing with green apple.
- 42. SAUVIGNON BLANC, HONIG**
Napa 201029
Orange blossom notes detail this wine, with lemon, melon, peach and nectarine flavors that are ripe, juicy and refreshing.
- 43. SAUVIGNON BLANC, WHITE OAK**
Russian River 200929
Peach, citrus and yellow apple flavors have a pleasant musky quality, with a ripe, full body, plenty of tangy acidity and good persistence on the finish.
- 45. SANCERRE, DOMAINE HIPPOLYTE REVERDY**
Loire 201038
Mouthwatering from start to finish, boasting bright floral and lemon zest notes up front, followed by pink grapefruit, quince and salted butter notes that extend through the finish. Ripe, but bright and lacy, with lovely detail.
- 46. CHÂTEAU CARBONNIEUX “PESSAC-LEOGNAN”**
Pessac-Leognan (1^{er} Cru) 200440
Lots of toasty fruit on the nose, with beautiful aromas of quince, fig, tangerine and coconut. Full-bodied and immediately complex with notes of green apple, lemon, vanilla and toasty spice.
- 47. TORRONTES, CRIOS DE SUSANA BALBO**
Valle de Cafayate (Argentina) 200629
Shows the spice and orange hints of the variety, with nice richness and a clean, spicy finish.
- 48. CHABLIS, OLIVIER LEFLAIVE “LES DEUX RIVES”**
Chablis 200845
Lean and bracing, with plenty of mineral, Granny Smith apple and lemon aromas and flavors. Shows balance and moderate length.
- 49. JOSEPH DROUHIN**
Meursault 200859
A refined wine, with beautiful golden color and a great aromatic palette: honey, hazelnut butter, sometimes even chamomile or hawthorn. On the palate, a silky roundness. Long on the aftertaste, with flavors of yellow plum and gingerbread

DOMESTIC CHARDONNAY

- 50. STEELE “STEELE CUVEE”**
California 200934
A blend of seven pedigreed vineyards in four of California’s best appellations. The flavors are classic Chardonnay with tropical pineapple and nectarine from Santa Barbara, lemony citrus and spice from Carneros and Sonoma and an underlying earthiness and minerality from Mendocino.
- 51. OJAI “BIEN NACIDO VINEYARD”**
Santa Maria Valley 2008.....45
Gorgeous, vivid and creamy in the glass, but never loses sight of its essential minerality. The wine blossoms beautifully, with layers of citrus, white peaches and flowers. A vibrant finish rounds things out nicely.
- 52. J. LOHR “RIVERSTONE”**
Monterey 200929
The flavors are very clean, with peach, nectarine and citrus with subtle butter and vanilla toastiness, producing layers of complexity with an excellent balance of fresh fruit acidity and palate weight.
- 53. SONOMA CUTRER “RUSSIAN RIVER RANCHES”**
Sonoma Coast 201039
Intense and leesy, showing spicy citrus flavors that are full-bodied, ending with a flinty, minerally aftertaste.
- 54. JORDAN**
Alexander Valley 200959
Aromas of freshly cut green apples and honeysuckle with a hint of kiwi and lemon zest. Bright, fresh, apple flavors expand on the palate, framed by lively acidity and a touch of vanilla.
- 55. LANDMARK “OVERLOOK”**
Sonoma-Monterey-Santa Barbara 200849
Green apple, floral, lime and citrus blossom scents give this full-bodied Chardonnay a distinctive edge. Crisp and flinty, ending with wet stone.
- 56. HANZELL**
Sonoma 200485
Shows terrific aromas, serving up a beam of citrus-infused pear, apple and melon fruit, enlivened by firm acidity. The finish sails on, revealing a tight band of fruit. Very impressive.
- 57. ACACIA**
Carneros 200941
Fresh and lively, with tasty ripe pear, citrus, tangerine and nectarine flavors that keep the focus on the fruit.
- 58. KISTLER “LES NOISETIERS”**
Sonoma 200989
Rich, complex smoky aroma of perfect ripe fruit with a delicious noisette note, in a pleasing, Meursault-like style. In the mouth the wine is very delicious, displaying intense, fruit flavors underpinned with toasty oak and smoky flavors.
- 59. MIGRATION BY DUCKHORN**
Russian River 200955
Full-bodied and intense, this is lively in texture, with ripe pear, spice, apple and white peach flavors.

FULL-BODIED WHITES

- 60. PINOT GRIS, WILLAKENZIE**
Willamette Valley 200936
Lean, with modest pear and rhubarb flavors lurking under the citrusy freshness.
- 61. PINOT GRIS, AU BON CLIMAT**
Central Coast 200535
Captivating aromas of lemon, apple, oatmeal, orange oil and spices, complicated by floral, mineral and fresh herbal qualities. Lively acids framing the flavors of peach, pineapple, orange and grapefruit.
- 62. PINOT GRIS, ELK COVE**
Willamette Valley 201030
Easygoing, light and fragrant, this is juicy with pear, apple and lime flavors, hinting at almond flowers on the finish.
- 63. VIOGNIER, MELVILLE “VERNA’S ESTATE”**
Santa Barbara 201044
Exotic aromas of grilled pineapple, macadamia, honeycomb and prickly pear mix with intriguing notes of ginger, sage, tuberose and yellow blossom. A rich mouthfeel is balanced by a crisp acidity.
- 65. WHITE TABLE WINE, CONUNDRUM**
California 201039
Floral and aromatic, with peach, nectarine and spicy melon flavors that are intense and vivid, lingering on the finish. Has a fleshy texture and refreshing acidity. Sauvignon Blanc, Muscat Canelli, Chardonnay and Viognier.
- 67. RIESLING, CHATEAU STE MICHELLE & DR. LOOSEN “EROICA”**
Washington 200635
Light, bright, tangy and appealing for its delicate green apple, peach, floral and lime flavors, lingering nicely and hinting at mineral on the polished finish.
- 68. RIESLING KABINETT, DR. LOOSEN “BLUE SLATE”**
Mosel 200745
There’s a spicy, tangy quality to this white, along with quince and anise. It’s all underscored by a mineral element and a vibrant structure, with a fine, lingering aftertaste of stone and anise.
- 70. GEWURZTRAMINER, TRIMBACH**
Alsace 200732
Gold color with a perfumed nose of lychee fruits and spices. The wine is rich, intense, and luscious. The finish is dry and spicy. Textbook, ripe and unctuous, yet dry.
- 71. TOKAJI (500 ML), ROYAL TOKAJI “ASZU 5 PUTTONYOS”**
Hungary 200570
Slight oxidation adds nutty accents and an iodine note to this sinewy dessert white. There’s not a lot of flesh, yet this is intense and complex, with apricot, honey, smoke, spice and mineral flavors that won’t quit. Ranked #44 on Wine Spectator’s Top 100 Wines for 2009.

DOMESTIC PINOT NOIR

California

- 80. STEELE “BIEN NACIDO VINEYARD-BLOCK N”**
Santa Barbara 200865
A light-bodied, spice-driven red, with clove, anise and cigar box flavors accenting the raspberry and sour cherry fruit notes. Tangy acidity leaves a mouthwatering impression on the finish.
- 81. AU BON CLIMAT**
Santa Barbara 200942
Floral, perfumed and peppery berry aromas are medium-weight, delicate and easy-drinking, turning simpler on the finish.
- 82. ACACIA**
Carneros 201047
A lovely ruby red in color, offers deep, fragrant aromas of violets, black cherries, toasty oak and earth. Rich flavors of plum and minerals enhanced by a touch of oak.
- 83. MACROSTIE**
Carneros 200755
Very dark garnet in color, this Pinot is a positive explosion of big ripe black cherry fruit. The aromas are enhanced by hints of cinnamon and clove. In the mouth the wine is full and luscious, soft and round, but with lots of impact.
- 84. STRAIGHT LINE**
Anderson Valley 200853
Straight Line is a production of Jon Grant, Assistant Winemaker for Turley Wines. Jon’s Pinot is Burgundian in style, with fresh cherry and dried fruit notes, giving way to earth, mushroom and leather on the finish.
- 85. KETCHAM ESTATE**
Russian River 200765
Full-bodied and rich, offering savory herb, dried berry, sage, dried currant and spicy floral scents. Balanced, focused and persistent.
- 86. WRITER’S BLOCK**
Mendocino 2008.....32
Medium-bodied, with good complexity of aromatics and a supple mouth-feel, while bright acidity finishes dry. Red cherry fruit is very youthful and bright, complex aromatics linger.
- 87. SIDURI “KEEFER RANCH VINEYARD”**
Russian River 200980
Smooth and silky, with layers of ripe, rich black cherry and blackberry flavors that are full-bodied yet turn supple and subtle, finishing with a pretty burst of ripe berry, tea and floral scents.

Oregon

- 90. KEN WRIGHT “SAVOYA VINEYARD”**
Yamhill-Carlton District 2009105
Bright and tangy, this lively wine offers juicy raspberry, cherry and lime flavors that linger on the finish.
- 91. ARCHERY SUMMIT “PREMIERE CUVÉE”**
Oregon 200888
Firm, tight and focused, this is a bit green around the edges, yet the pretty raspberry and wet earth aromas and flavors prevail on the crisp finish.
- 92. WILLAMETTE VALLEY VINEYARDS**
Willamette Valley 201037
Bright, with a silky feel to the red berry and raspberry flavors, which linger against a touch of lime on the lively finish.
- 94. DOMAINE DROUHIN**
Willamette Valley 200985
Firm in texture, this is chewy with tannins against pleasant blackberry and currant fruit. Tobacco and spice flavors weave through the finish.
- 95. NATALIE’S ESTATE “ESTATE VINEYARD”**
Chehalem Mountains 200850
Intermingled raspberry, and spice on the nose. Very berry - you taste red raspberry, loganberry, and sweet spice. Every once in a while, a hint of cedar incense appears.
- 96. BEAUX FRERES**
Willamette Valley 200990
Polished, silky and seamless, weaving pretty rose petal and sassafras notes through the plum and blueberry fruit. Lingers harmoniously on the extended finish.

BURGUNDY

- 100. BEAUJOLAIS, CHÂTEAU THIVIN**
Brouilly 200937
A light-bodied, spice-driven red, with clove, anise and cigar box flavors accenting the raspberry and sour cherry fruit notes. Tangy acidity leaves a mouthwatering impression on the finish.
- 101. DOMAINE GACHOT MONOT**
Cote du Nuits Villages 200955
Very pretty reddish pink tint. On the nose, aromas of cherry, herb, lavender and roses. In the mouth more cherry, mineral, strawberry and a really distinct sandalwood, rose water, perfumed finish.
- 102. DOMAINE GABRIEL BILLARD**
Bourgogne 200735
Supple, aromatic, rich, full bodied Pinot Noir with terrific depth of ripe fruit, great length and perfect underpin of oak.
- 103. JOSEPH DROUHIN “CLOS DES MOUCHES”**
Beaune (Premiere Cru) 2007125
There’s spice from oak on the nose, which leads to a core of concentrated cherry flavor. Very refined and elegant, with the purity and ripe fruit of 2005.
- 104. DOMAINE BERTHELEMOT**
Côtes du Beaune 200955
Supple and spicy, with loads of fresh blackberry and cherry fruit, medium acidity and turns toward a slightly earthy finish.
- 105. BERTRAND AMBROISE**
Côtes de Nuits 200855
Rich and smooth, offering cherry, spice and tobacco notes on an elegant frame. The tannins are fine, with just a hint of dryness on the finish.
- 106. NICOLAS POTEL “MAISON DIEU VIEILLES VIGNES”**
Bourgogne 200740
Intense nose, with chocolate covered cherry and fresh earth. Round and juicy, firm acidity and medium weight. Finish turns nicely peppery.
- 107. DOMAINE DE LA ROMANEE-CONTI “ECHEZAUX”**
Romanee-Conti 2003650
Explodes from the glass with candied raspberries, violet, and red cherries. Stunningly marrying elegance with richness and density, this medium to full-bodied wine is ample, pure, and velvety-textured. Loads of sweet red fruits are found in its persistent, sensual character.
- 108. DOMAINE DE LA ROMANEE-CONTI “LA TACHE”**
Romanee-Conti 20031490
Reveals aromas of milk chocolate, violets, roses, and dark cherries. Suave, displaying massive amplitude and a full-bodied, velvety-textured character, this behemoth’s flavor profile brings to mind chocolate-covered black cherries. Immensely powerful and noble, it offers an interminable finish that is packed with flawlessly ripe, sweet tannin.
- 109. DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE-CONTI “ROMANEE ST. VIVANT”**
Romanée-Conti (Grand Cru, Monopole) 2004.....1495
Aromas of red cherries and Oriental spices, with a liqueur-like aspect. Sweet, aromatic and penetrating, with lovely acidity giving shape and life to the silky, slowly mounting flavors. Finishes long, with dusty tannins.

ZINFANDEL

- 120. PEACHY CANYON “INCREDIBLE RED”**
Paso Robles 200730
Tangy and intense, with an intriguing medley of dried raspberry, mineral, tart cherry and floral tones. Ends on the dry side, with a cedary oak edge.
- 121. TURLEY UEBERROTH “UEBERROTH VINEYARD”**
Paso Robles 200895
Perhaps the finest example yet made from Paso Robles, the Ueberroth Vineyard (a site planted in 1885) tastes like a Chapoutier Ermitage because of its liqueur of minerality. Black cherry, black currant, and crushed chalky notes along with terrific acidity and sensational concentration and depth are all present in this beauty.
- 122. KULETO**
Napa 200660
Loaded with jammy black raspberry, roasted coffee and bay leaf aromas followed by rich flavors that take on focus and firmness on the finish.
- 123. GREEN & RED “CHILES MILL VINEYARD”**
Napa 200849
Sleek and elegant, with a hint of backwoods briar. Aromas of wild strawberry and cracked pepper with supple black cherry, smoky sage and licorice flavors.
- 124. ROBERT BIALE “THE BLACK CHICKEN”**
Napa 200975
Dense yet sleek, with blackberry and cracked pepper aromas and complex, layered flavors of plum, licorice and roasted sage, finishing with firm, loamy tannins.
- 125. ST. FRANCIS “OLD VINES”**
Sonoma 200738
Dominated by cedar, coconut and vanilla flavors from toasty oak, with raspberry, black pepper and plum tones that finish with firm tannins.
- 126. ROSENBLUM “MONTE ROSSO”**
Sonoma 200580
An ultraripe, exotic style. Bold blueberry, prune and spice aromas lead to sleek, polished wild berry and licorice flavors that have balsamic undertones.
- 127. SEGHEISIO “ROCKPILE VINEYARD”**
Sonoma 200865
Focused like a razor, with bright raspberry, cinnamon and licorice aromas and complex, zesty cherry, toasty sage and peppered beef flavors that linger toward ripe but firm tannins.
- 128. STEELE “PACINI VINEYARD”**
Mendocino 200735
A supple claret style of with appealing boysenberry and white pepper aromas and juicy cherry, roasted sage and toast flavors.
- 129. PREDATOR “OLD VINE ZIN”**
Lodi 200830
Vibrant aromas of bing cherry, blackberry jam, French vanilla and white pepper. Lush flavors of cranberry, blackberry and spice.

MERLOT

- 140. BENZIGER**
Sonoma 200535
Marked by aromas of bright cherry, red fruit and black plum with notes of vanillin spice which are confirmed on the palate with flavors of blackberry, chocolate and dried herb. Brimming with bright, well-developed fruit, the wine shows a rich, full-bodied middle mouthfeel, fine grained, well-integrated tannins and a long, spice and cream finish
- 141. CHATEAU ST. JEAN**
Sonoma 200845
Appealing black cherry and spice notes lead to soft, elegant plum and cedar flavors that end on a dry, dusty note.
- 142. MARKHAM**
Napa 200742
Sleek and well-focused, with appealing cherry and tomato leaf aromas and nicely layered red currant, herb and spicy caramel flavors that linger toward ripe tannins.
- 143. SHAFER**
Napa 200799
Dark and muscular, with blackberry and graphite aromas and youthful, concentrated black cherry and mocha fruit that show notes of roasted herb, with a hint of game.
- 144. DUCKHORN**
Napa 200890
Sleek and complex, with appealing aromas of red currant and spicy tomato leaf and layered flavors of black cherry and mocha. Turns slightly firm and leathery on the finish.
- 145. WHITEHALL LANE**
Napa 200650
Ripe, rich currant, plum and blackberry aromas lead to a tight, intense core of flavors, shaded by intense yet integrated tannins. Hints of mineral, sage and dusty berry show on the finish.
- 146. TWOMEY**
Napa 200465
Boasts a big, chocolatey cocoa perfume with jammy blackberries and cherries in the background. Full-bodied, dense, broad and smoky. Another label of Silver Oak Vineyards.
- 147. CHATEAU SOUVERAIN**
Alexander Valley 200638
Sleek and well-structured, with red currant and spice aromas and appealing black cherry, toasty sage and espresso flavors. The tannins firm up the finish.
- 148. HOGUE “GENESIS”**
Columbia Valley 200630
Velvety, with a nice savory edge to the blueberry and dark plum flavors, which shine through fine tannins on the refined finish.
- 149. CANOE RIDGE**
Columbia Valley 200636
Lithe and appealing for its lively texture and smoky blueberry flavors, hinting at coffee as the finish lingers. Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon.
- 150. DUNHAM “LEWIS VINEYARD”**
Columbia Valley 200565
Sweet hints of minty black cherry, lavender, anise and blackberry cobbler, with a rich, full mouth and fine tannins rounding out and lending guidance to this unique merlot’s structure.

DOMESTIC SYRAH

California

- 160. EBERLE “STEINBECK VINEYARD”**
Paso Robles 2009 37
Edges past the ordinary into true elegant complexity with the smooth tannins and perfectly ripened flavors of black currants, oatmeal cookie, dark chocolate and crushed black pepper.
- 161. SHOOTING STAR**
Lake County 2008 29
A ripe, softly textured, lightly oaked with good depth of flavor and a medium long finish. It tastes of black plum, cedar, and spicy oak.
- 162. STEELE “STYMIE”**
Lake County 2006 49
Shows wonderful flavors of berry and cherry with a touch of nutmeg and cinnamon. The rich, full-bodied palate has subtle fruit with medium tannins and well-integrated oak.

Washington

- 163. HOGUE “GENESIS”**
Columbia Valley 2008 30
Smooth and velvety, delivering a warm, inviting mouthful of blueberry, plum, coffee and spice flavors that linger against refined tannins.
- 164. L’ECOLE NO. 41 “SEVEN HILLS VINEYARD”**
Walla Walla 2008 56
Lithe and easy-drinking, delivering a smooth-textured mouthful of blueberry and spice razzle-dazzle, showing its class by not going away easily on the finish.
- 165. K VINTNER’S “THE CREATOR”**
Walla Walla 2009 100
Black and red currant, game, iron, tobacco, cedar, anise, dried herb. Truly the iron fist in the velvet glove. Cabernet-Syrah.
- 166. DUSSEK FAMILY CELLARS**
Rattlesnake Hills 2008 38
Beautiful dark color, big yet refined and laced with licorice, crushed plum, dark raspberry, blackberry and entwined with dense spice box, anis and mineral notes. The finish is decadent with muscular flavors of espresso and dark chocolate.

RHÔNE VALLEY

- 170. CHÂTEAUNEUF DU PAPE, VIEUX TÉLÉGRAPHE “LA CRAU”**
Southern Rhône 2006135
A very grippy style, with lots of sweet tapenade, tobacco, hot stone and braised chestnut notes weaving through a core of dark currant and fig fruit. There’s a nice twinge of lavender on the structured finish.
- 171. 2007**140
Packed, in a brawny, muscular style atypical for this lush vintage, with a gravelly undertow to the currant paste, braised fig and dark licorice notes. Picks up even more steam on the finish, with grilled mesquite, mineral and garrigue notes and a long, hot stone-filled finish.
- 172. CHÂTEAUNEUF DU PAPE, TÉLÉGRAMME**
Southern Rhône 200675
Revealing structure and tannin, this wine is deep and complex and offers up beefy black raspberry and cherry notes with some Provençale spiciness in the background. Second label of Vieux Telegraphe.
- 173. COTES DU RHÔNE, ANDRE BRUNEL**
Southern Rhône 200829
Very direct, with a beam of raspberry and black cherry fruit that mingles with lively spice and fruitcake notes. Stays fresh enough on the light raisiny finish.
- 174. COTES DU RHÔNE, DOMAINE “LA GARRIGUE” “CUVEE ROMAINE”**
Southern Rhône 200936
Boasts a dense purple color along with a big, sweet bouquet of kirsch liqueur, licorice, and lavender. Full-bodied with stunning depth and richness as well as a long finish.
- 175. GIGONDAS, DOMAINE LES PALLIERES “LES RACINES”**
Southern Rhône 200765
Very lush, with velvety-textured fig, currant paste and melted red licorice notes that glide along, while hints of Black Forest cake and hoisin sauce weave in and out.
- 176. CORNAS, AUGUSTE CLAPE**
Northern Rhône 2007125
Beautiful notes of earth and fruit on the nose, with extremely balanced blackberry, cherry and pepper flavors winding their way to a long satisfying finish.

AUSTRALIA

- 177. CABERNET-SHIRAZ, PENFOLD’S “BIN 389”**
South Australia 200663
Ripe in flavor, upright in style, with savory tobacco and black olive nuances edging into the dark berry and smoke flavors, narrowing a bit on the finish with firm tannins.
- 178. SHIRAZ, 2 HANDS “ANGEL’S SHARE”**
McLaren Vale 201063
Big, bold and expressive, with some unexpected transparency to the black cherry, raspberry, red plum and Asian spice aromas and flavors, lingering on the open-textured finish. The aftertaste just keeps coming.
- 179. SHIRAZ, D’ARENBERG “THE STUMP JUMP”**
South Australia 200830
Ripe and open-textured, this is impressive for the way it packs in the cherry, blackberry and raspberry flavors and keeps its foot on the gas pedal through the mineral-inflected finish.
- 180. SHIRAZ, SCHILD**
Barossa Valley 200750
Polished and generous, offering a racy mouthful of tobacco-accented cherry and black currant fruit that finishes with an edge of dried sage, licorice and fresh cream. This lingers impressively, showing amazing depth.
- 181. 2008**55
This big, smooth wine is polished, ripe and complex, offering roasted meat and walnut accents to its black cherry, blackberry, tobacco and licorice aromas and flavors. Lingers appealingly on the expansive finish. #7 on Wine Spectator’s Top 100 for 2010.

RED BLENDS

- 190. MERITAGE, SOOS CREEK “ARTIST SERIES #7”**
Red Mountain, WA 2007.....59
Rich in texture, complex and harmonious in flavor, offering a powerful mouthful of ripe blueberry, plum, savory spice and creamy oak flavors that harmonize right through the expressive finish.
- 191. MERITAGE, L’ECOLE No. 41 “RECESS RED”**
Washington 2008.....33
A fun, drink-me now table wine with dark fruit aromas of cherry, plum, and spice. The earthy tobacco flavors and nice tannins of this great food wine will have you reaching for a second glass.
- 192. MERITAGE, HELIX BY REININGER “POMATIA”**
Columbia Valley 2006.....35
A monster wine known as “Jack the Gripper,” armed with cutting tannins dripping with deep garnet red. Jammy-grape, cassis, plum and coffee grinds slash at your palate then linger like a cigar to be soothed by a salve of dried, dark fruit and coconut.
- 193. RED TABLE WINE, COPPOLA “CLARET”**
Napa 200930
Offers broad aromas of sandalwood, spice, and red currants followed by layers of engaging black currant, berry, and dark chocolate flavors. Hints of sweet vanilla framed by luxurious, elegant tannins highlight the wine’s lengthy finish.
- 194. MERITAGE, ROCK HORSE RANCH “STABLE 39”**
Columbia Valley 2008.....39
Dark cherry with hints of mineral and spice on the nose. Rich dark red fruits on the palate with nice structure along with balance of tannins and acidity with a lingering finish.
- 195. MERITAGE, FIDELITAS “OPTU”**
Columbia Valley 2007.....70
Supple, showing a mild grip of tannins to the sweet raspberry, cherry, eucalyptus leaf and spice flavors, swirling effortlessly as the finish lingers. Graceful and complex. Cabernet, Merlot, Malbec and Petit Verdot.
- 196. TUSCAN-STYLE BLEND, STELLEKAYA “HERCULES”**
Stellenbosch, South Africa 200642
Modeled after Italy’s “Super Tuscans”, this shows earthy black currant, cedar, dark cherry and cola. Medium-bodied with a nice long finish. Sangiovese, Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon.
- 197. MERITAGE, SEVEN HILLS “PENTAD”**
Walla Walla 200690
Rich, ripe and complex, this has a delicious tug-of-war going in the mouth, playing generous blueberry and currant fruit against hints of crème brûlée, sage and white pepper. A hint of roasted meat adds interest to the long finish.
- 198. RED TABLE WINE, MARIETTA “ANGELI CUVÉE”**
Alexander Valley 200760
Created from old vines zinfandel with small amounts of petite sirah and carignane, this cuvée is full of rich, velvety, intense fruit. Gorgeous scents of ripe berry fruits, spice, licorice and black pepper form the complex nose, giving way to lush and ripe fruit and berry flavors and a long, satisfying finish.

DOMESTIC CABERNET

California

- 200. LEESE-FITCH**
California 200930
Dark garnet in color with aromas of roasted hazelnuts, espresso, cherry liqueur and black currants. The palate exudes deep blackberry notes with toffee, dark cherry, Dutch cocoa and black raspberry.
- 201. HERON**
California 200929
This luscious wine captures the full, sensuous features of Cabernet Sauvignon. It has a bright ruby color and is intensely fruity on the nose with ripe cherry, cassis and blackberry flavors.
- 202. HONIG**
Napa 200867
Strikes a nice balance between dusty herb, sage, dried currant, green olive, black cherry and wild berry flavors. Focused and persistent, gaining momentum. Finishes with drying, integrated tannins.
- 203. CLOS DU VAL**
Napa 200857
Focused, concentrated black cherry and blackberry are laced with aromatic fresh tobacco, mint and toasty oak. Appealing, smooth mouthfeel.
- 204. MT. VEEDER**
Napa 200862
Offers an appealing mix of red plum and cherry fruit that's elegant and delicate, with a hint of sage and vanilla. Finishes with firm, crisp tannins.
- 205. CROSSBARN BY PAUL HOBBS**
Napa 200869
Marked by herbal, dusty cedar and loamy earth and leather scents, this full-bodied Cab exhibits flavors of dried currant, black licorice, sage and roasted herb on the palate.
- 206. BUEHLER**
Napa 200955
The wine is brimming with fruit aromas and flavors biased to the black fruit end of the cabernet spectrum: plums, blackberry, black currant. Rich and full-bodied on the palate.
- 207. GROTH**
Oakville 2007100
Rustic, displaying a loamy, earthy streak that runs through a tight mix of graphite, dried currant and herbal sage notes. Full-bodied, ending with drying tannins.
- 208. MONTAGNA "TRES VIGNETTI"**
Napa 200792
Intense and vibrant, with a complex array of dried currant, mineral, sage, cedar, mocha, espresso and dusty oak. Full-bodied, a restrained and refined style that's well-balanced and well-proportioned, complex without being heavy.
- 209. SHAFER 1.5 "ONE POINT FIVE"**
Stag's Leap District 2007150
Intense and rustic, raw and concentrated, with chewy dried currant, wild berry, anise, sage and mineral, offering all the ingredients of flavor and structure.
- 210. CHAPPELLET "SIGNATURE"**
Napa 200889
Rich and extracted, supple and polished, with layers of espresso bean, dried currant, herb, sage and cedary oak flavors.
- 211. JOSEPH PHELPS**
Napa 2008100
Concentrated herb, dried currant, sage and savory, earthy notes. Rich and balanced, with good depth and structure.
- 212. ANDERSON'S CONN VALLEY "ANDERSON'S ESTATE"**
Napa 2008125
Flamboyant and silky-textured, a real head-turner thanks to the sweetness of the tannins, the purity of the black and blue fruits, and the full-bodied texture that comes at you in waves of lush fruit.
- 213. CAYMUS**
Napa 2009130
Ripe and fleshy, with rich plum, wild berry, spice and savory herb notes that are complex, full-bodied and expansive on the palate, ending with firm tannins and a dash of espresso.

- 214. SHAFER “HILLSIDE SELECT”**
Stag’s Leap District 2006425
Complex and balanced, in a medium- to full-bodied and delicate manner, with floral, red berry and plum flavors shaded by a touch of mineral and graphite and ending with tannins that display a cedary, woody, cherry roasted herb edge.
- 215. 2007**425
Impressive for its richness, elegance and grace, this is spicy and supple, with full-bodied plum, currant and black licorice notes, gaining momentum and ending with a silky aftertaste of loamy earth.
- 216. LONG MEADOW RANCH**
Napa 200582
Garnet in color, the wine offers pure black fruit flavors with a hint of leather and cigar box notes. The finish is long and sophisticated.
- 217. ROBERT KEENAN**
Napa 200669
This beautifully concentrated, rich, impressively-endowed wine shows classic aromas of cedar, black currants, licorice, graphite, and spicy oak.
- 218. PAUL HOBBS “STAGECOACH VINEYARD”**
Napa 2007295
Elegant and stylish, with a mix of vivid blackberry and black cherry fruit and a light touch of creamy oak and lavender. The intensity builds, revealing extra facets of depth and concentration, with firm tannins and hints of mineral and herb.
- 219. DUCKHORN**
Napa 2009 115
Firm, rich, intense and layered, with loamy earth and herb-laced currant, blackberry, mineral and cedar flavors. Full-bodied, tight and focused
- 220. STEELE**
Red Hills Lake County 200859
Big and bold, with complex fruity flavors that hint of wild berries, blackberries, cherries and spice. A nice mineral undertone punctuates the finish.
- 221. JORDAN “ALEXANDER VALLEY”**
Sonoma 200792
Flavors of red currant, cherry, blackberry and blueberry with a hint of vanilla from oak aging. Round tannins balance and support this medium-bodied wine’s ripe fruit.
- 222. EBERLE “RESERVE”**
Paso Robles 200295
Rich cassis fruit with a restrained overlay of toasty oak that doesn’t obscure the dusty terroir, and merits it a serious comparison with classed growth Bordeaux.

Washington

- 230. FIVE STAR CELLARS**
Walla Walla 200655
Round and spicy with white pepper and cardamom character around a gentle core of black currant and dark plum flavors.
- 231. NELMS ROAD**
Washington 200835
Soft and broad, with pretty currant and roasted meat flavors that linger against polished tannins. A second label of the venerable Woodward Canyon.
- 232. L’ECOLE No. 41**
Columbia Valley 200750
This structured red is juicy with ripe, fresh blackberry and currant fruit, dipping a toe in mint and bay leaf. It all rides easily over fine tannins as the finish sails on and on.
- 233. WOODWARD CANYON “ARTIST SERIES #17”**
Washington 200875
Dense and chewy, with ripe cherry and currant flavors, finishing with a smoky note. A big wine with great depth and richness.
- 234. DUNHAM “XI”**
Columbia Valley 200665
Ripe and round, with a tarry, cedary edge to the plump berry and currant flavors at the center, echoing spice and oak notes as the flavors linger.
- 235. TAMARACK CELLARS**
Columbia Valley 200757
Smooth and round, with a warm slate edge to the raspberry and currant fruit, lingering nicely on the focused, fine-grained finish.

BORDEAUX

- 251. CHÂTEAU LA ROSE-TRINTAUDON**
Haut-Médoc Cru Bourgeois Supérieur 200435
A fresh and simple red, with berry and light herb character. Light body and a simple finish.
- 252. CROIX DE TRALE**
Haut-Médoc 200940
Elegant and supple wine with a good Cabernet Sauvignon fruit, intertwined with spicy notes and ripe tannins.
- 253. CHÂTEAU GREYSAC**
Medoc 200735
Aromas of black cherry, licorice, tomato leaves & cedar. Black cherry flavors dominate, with a clear and clean finish. Light body, medium tannins.
- 256. CHÂTEAU GUIBOT “LA FOURVIEILLE”**
Puisseguin-St.-Emilion 200570
A modern, toasty style, featuring blueberry, plum and blackberry notes laced with sweet spice. This sports a nice, velvety feel on the flattering finish. Merlot and Cabernet Franc.
- 257. CHÂTEAU JEAN-FAURE**
St. Emilion Grand Cru 2005115
Good full medium ruby. Very ripe but lively aromas of currant, dark cherry and tobacco. This is fat with fruit and silky in texture, delivering musky, very ripe and rich flavors of plum, dark chocolate, smoke and minerals. Finishes lush, broad and long.
- 258. CHÂTEAU GRAND MAYNE**
St. Emilion Grand Cru Classe 2005185
Crushed blackberry aromas, with lots of coffee and toasty oak, lead to a medium-to-full body, with polished, velvety tannins and a vanilla, berry and chocolate aftertaste.
- 259. CHÂTEAU PAVIE-DECESSE**
St. Emilion Grand Cru Classe 2004295
Shows bright, vivid aromas of crushed ripe strawberry, with hints of flowers. Medium- to full-bodied, with very fine tannins and a long, caressing finish.
- 260. CHATEAU RAUZAN-GASSIES**
Margaux (2^{er} Cru) 2005165
Plum and berry character with hints of toasted oak. Medium-bodied, with fine tannins and a fruity finish.
- 261. PRIEURÉ LICHINE**
Margaux (1^{er} Cru) 2005189
Black in color, with impressive aromas of flowers, tar, licorice and ripe fruit, such as currant and sultana. Full-bodied, with a solid concentration of fruit and ultrapolished tannins.
- 262. PAVILLON ROUGE DU CHÂTEAU MARGAUX**
Margaux 2005289
Very beautiful aromas of crushed flowers--like roses--follow through to plum, berry and Indian spices. Full-bodied, refined and silky, with lovely ripe fruit and a delicate aftertaste of raisin and flowers.
- 265. DOMAINE DE CHEVALIER**
Pessac-Leognan Grand Cru Classe de Graves 2005195
Displays floral, blackberry and mineral aromas, with a hint of fresh tobacco. Full-bodied, with supersilky tannins and a long, caressing finish. Has a fine, polished texture. This is a class act--the best since 1998 for the red.
- 270. CHÂTEAU DE REIGNAC**
Bordeaux Supérieur 200265
Exhibits a saturated purple color as well as copious quantities of sweet black currant fruit intertwined with espresso, cocoa, and toasty oak characteristics. Medium-bodied and deep, with loads of concentration along with background spice and structure.
- 271. CLOS LA COUTALE**
Cahors 200832
There's a sense of elegance to the well-defined, concentrated flavors of dark cherry, blackberry and plum, followed by notes of sage, dark chocolate and tobacco leaf on the long, powerful finish.

SPAIN

- 280. TEMPRANILLO, BOD. FERNÁNDEZ RIVERA “DEHESA LA GRANJA”**
Vino de la Tierra de Castilla y Leon 200438
Toasty and smoky notes frame a core of plum and earth flavors in this expressive red, which has chewy tannins and a smoky, cedary finish.
- 281. TEMPRANILLO, CONDADO DE HAZA “CRIANZA”**
Ribera del Duero 200655
Appealing earthy and gamy notes frame a core of black cherry fruit in this firm, slightly rustic red, which has a solid structure and juicy acidity.
- 282. TEMPRANILLO, BOD. ALEJANDRO FERNANDEZ PESQUERA “CRIANZA”**
Ribera del Duero 200663
This chewy red adds dark, rich flavors of coffee and licorice to a core of plum and blackberry fruit. The tannins are a bit aggressive, but good acidity keeps it lively.
- 283. GARNACHA, BOD. VIRGEN DE LA SIERRA “LO BRUJO”**
Calatayud 200929
Bright raspberry and blackberry on the nose. Jammy red and dark berry flavors are braced by gentle acidity. Turns spicier on the finish, leaving behind a broad, slightly warm raspberry flavor. This packs a lot of fruit.
- 284. GARNACHA, ELS GUIAMETS “ISIS”**
Montsant 200549
This fleshy red shows ripe fruit flavors of currant and black raspberry, with pretty spice and vanilla accents. Stays balanced, with chewy tannins and bright acidity. Grenache, Syrah and Carignane.

SOUTH AMERICA

- 290. MALBEC, LA POSTA “ANGEL PAULUCCI VINEYARD”**
Mendoza 200835
Very polished, with friendly layers of plum, fig and boysenberry flavors laced with a mocha notes.
- 291. MALBEC, TIKAL “AMORIO”**
Mendoza 200860
Toasty mocha and warm fig sauce aromas lead the way for fleshy blackberry, macerated currant and dark plum fruit in this ripe red. Plenty of toast drives the finish.
- 292. MALBEC, BEN MARCO**
Mendoza 200840
Very juicy, with fresh-cut plum and fig fruit flavors laced with violet, graphite and high-toned spice notes. Long, racy finish.
- 293. MALBEC, VINA COBOS FELINO “FELINO”**
Mendoza 200940
Straightforward, showing a solid core of crushed plum, boysenberry and licorice notes, backed by sweet toast on the medium-weight finish. Another project of California genius Paul Hobbs.
- 294. MALBEC, MAPEMA**
Mendoza 200834
Offers a strong minty streak to go with slightly soft, jammy plum, blackberry and black cherry fruit flavors. The broad finish has great depth.
- 296. MALBEC, ACHAVAL FERRER**
Mendoza 200948
A minerally spine drives this, with the core of damson plum, raspberry ganache and blackberry fruit staying sweet but racy and defined. Violet and graphite hints add length on the mouthwatering finish.
- 297. CABERNET SAUVIGNON, VIÑA PEÑALOLÉN**
Maipo Valley ‘0829
Quite minty, but fleshy and balanced, displaying good dark currant and mulled plum fruit backed by a broad, toast- and loam-filled finish.
- 298. CABERNET SAUVIGNON, VINA QUEBRADA DE MACUL “DOMUS AUREA”**
Maipo Valley, Chile 200788
Offers loam and tobacco up front, with espresso and bittersweet cocoa hints followed by mulled plum and black currant fruit.

ITALY

- 300. CHIANTI COLLI FIORENTINI (D.O.C.G.), FATTORIA DI LUCIGNANO**
Tuscany 200629
A wonderful dark ruby color for an early-drinking red, showing bright berry and chocolate aromas. Medium-bodied, with light tannins and a caressing texture on the fruity finish.
- 301. CHIANTI CLASSICO RISERVA (D.O.C.G.), QUERCETO**
Tuscany '05 35
Wonderful perfumes of chocolate, berry and raspberry follow through to a full-bodied palate, with firm tannins and a long, refreshing aftertaste.
- 302. CHIANTI CLASSICO (D.O.C.G.), VILLA CALCINAIA**
Tuscany 2007 39
Smoky, with dried cherry and lightly stewed fruit. Full-bodied, with velvety tannins and a medium finish.
- 303. BAROLO (D.O.C.G.), PALLADINO**
Piedmont-Serralunga d'Alba '05 88
Lots of licorice, plum and mushroom character on the nose and palate. Full-bodied, with velvety tannins and a long, long finish. Compacted and concentrated.
- 304. BARBARESCO (D.O.C.G.), PRODUTTORI DEL BARBARESCO**
Piedmont 2006 59
A delicious nose of ripe fruit and Indian spices, with perfumes. Full-bodied, with velvety tannins and a beautiful core of fruit. Features blackberry, chocolate and citrus fruit on the finish.
- 305. BARBARESCO (D.O.C.G.), LUIGI VOGHERA**
Barbaresco '05 88
Aromas of violet, bark, spice and cherry. The finish is beautifully long with lingering notes of cherry, leather, coffee, and chocolate.
- 306. VINO NOBILE (D.O.C.G.), FANETTI "RISERVA"**
Montepulciano '97 95
The wine is rich and powerful in the mouth, and gives you a feel of density yet isn't burdened with excessive alcohol or tannins. The flavors on the palate are warm, earthy, fine leather, dried herbs, dried flowers, grilling meat.
- 307. SANGIOVESE-MERLOT (I.G.T.), TERRA ROSSA "OLTRE"**
Rosso Toscano 2007 40
A brilliant ruby color introduces an array of aromas including vanilla, warm plum and blackberries. A symphony of cassis, huckleberries, brown spices, minerals and black cherries on the tongue.
- 308. BAROLO (D.O.C.G.), DAMILANO**
Barolo '05 50
This is a full bodied wine with flavors of black plum, black raspberry, cranberry, cola, tobacco, tea and red cherry. There are abundant velvety tannins that are will integrated with the vibrant fruit and earthy flavors.
- 310. AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO, MASI "COSTASERA"**
Veneto 2006105
There's a slight raisiny tinge to the fruit, with cardamom, fresh oak and just a whiff of black truffle at the start. Full-bodied, with fine tannins and a clean, mineral finish. The refined texture adds a touch of finesse.
- 311. AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO (D.O.C.), SPERI**
Veneto '03135
Typical nose of dried grapes, ethereal and full. Dry on the palate, strong but soft and balanced with rare elegance.