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HALF BOTTLES

1. Sancerre, Domaine Pascal Jolivet
Loire Valley 17 34
Light thyme and lime notes mingle here, with a flicker of flint on the tangy, high-toned finish.
2. Chardonnay, Miner Family Vineyard
Napa 16..... 34
Intense and fruit-driven, tropical fruit flavors. Full-bodied and focused, with an elegant mouthfeel.
3. Chardonnay, Grgich Hills
Napa 17..... 43
Intense acidity behind the roasted pear and apple flavors. Finishes on a slightly candied note.
5. Champagne, Charles Gardet “Tradition”
Champagne NV 49
There’s nice breadth and depth, with berry, apple, spice and a hint of tobacco flavors. The texture is like raw silk, and this is balanced in a lanky way, showing good drive on the finish.
8. Pinot Noir, Raptor Ridge “Reserve”
Willamette Valley 15..... 39
Taut, minerally and expressive, with blackberry, cherry, pear and balsamic flavors that extend into the long, refined finish.
9. Pinot Noir, Soter “Mineral Springs Ranch”
Yamhill-Carlton 16 68
Vibrant, expressive and multi layered, offering black cherry, red plum, sassafras and dead leaf flavors on a long and silky frame.
10. Pinot Noir, Hirsch “Reserve”
Sonoma Coast 16 63
Focused flavors of currant, cherry and raspberry are supported by fresh acidity and medium-grained tannins. Asian spice and sandalwood details show on the finish, with savory touches.
11. Pinot Noir, Steele
Carneros 16 22
Modestly complex, with dusty berry, savory herb and gravelly notes on the finish.
14. Merlot, L’Ecole No. 41
Columbia Valley 16 32
Firm, focused and dense, with green olive-accented black fruit flavors, finishing with licorice.
15. Cabernet Franc, Lang & Reed
North Coast 15 30
Strikingly complex, dense and aromatic, with a rich core of vivid, graphite-laced dark berry, loamy earth, underbrush and melted chocolate flavors. Gains depth and nuance on the finish.
16. Petite Sirah, Robert Biale “Royal Punishers”
Napa 17..... 45
Brooding and distinctive, with dark blackberry, licorice and Chinese five-spice powder flavors that build speed toward big but polished tannins.
17. Cabernet Sauvignon, Pride
Napa-Sonoma 15 68
Well-built, with firm tannins framing a core of dark berry, cedar, sage and tobacco leaf flavors.
18. Cabernet Sauvignon, Jarvis
Napa 08..... 132
A pretty, layered wine graced with dark red fruit, licorice, tobacco and sweet herbs.
19. Bordeaux, Gombaude Guillot
Pomerol 99 65
Pleasant, with a delicate fruit and tannin structure. Medium body, light finish.
20. Col D’Orcia
Brunello di Montalcino 14 66
Ripe, silky tannins frame expressive red cherries, flowers, licorice and tobacco. Sweet floral notes add lift on the delicate finish.
21. Bandol Rouge, Terrebrune
Provence 14..... 30
Ripe, focused and very fresh, with gorgeous plum, cassis and boysenberry coulis flavors that race along, carried by mouthwatering anise and juniper notes.

SPARKLING WINE & ROSE

40. Brut Sparkling Wine, Domaine Carneros
Carneros 07 64
Soft and delicate, this glides toward rich complexity, offering notes of fresh vanilla, creamy apple, pear and lingering spice.
41. Brut Rose, Schramsberg
North Coast 14 88
This wine is ripe, broad, savory, shows tiny bubbles, comes across fresh with kirsch-like aromatics and flavors.
42. Sparkling Wine, Sea Smoke “Sea Spray”
Santa Rita Hills 12 153
The nuanced nose expresses jasmine, rising dough and nectarine. The wine enters the palate with energetic freshness, and finishes with delightful length.
43. Brut Sparkling Wine, Argyle “Extended Trirage”
Willamette Valley 05 125
A stunner. Pear, apple and orange marmalade flavors weave through a delicate structure and a flavor profile with distinct toastiness.
44. Champagne, Veuve Clicquot Ponsardin
Reims NV 105
Bright and lightly toasty, this elegant Champagne layers flavors of cassis, crushed hazelnut and lemon meringue pie on the creamy bead.
45. Brut Rose, Veuve Fourny et Fils
Champagne NV 110
A lithe and lively rosé Champagne, with exotic hints of ground cumin and cardamom lacing the flavors of white raspberry, orange blossom, fleur de sel and blanched almond.
46. Champagne, Bollinger “Special Cuvee”
Champagne NV 178
Vibrant and well-knit, this layers a refined texture and mouthwatering acidity with a rich profile of dried white cherry, raw almond, mandarin orange peel and smoke-tinged minerality.
47. Champagne, Louis Roederer “Cristal”
Champagne 02 440
Subtle notes of pears, flowers, spices, mint, minerals and oak are woven into a cashmere-like frame of extraordinary grace and elegance.
48. Brut Champagne, J Lassalle
Champagne NV 90
Open-knit and accessible, with a lively bead and flavors of apple puree, briny mineral, pastry and mandarin orange. Balanced, with a mouthwatering, chalk-tinged finish.
49. Sparkling Rose, Patrick Bottex “Bugey-Cerdon”
Savoie NV 42
Patrick Bottex’s non-vintage Bugey Cerdon is a deeply pink sparkling Gamay that only a hardened wine snob could resist, much less hate. An unmatched conglomeration of red and black fruits soars from the glass and floods the palate along with a fine mou
50. Prosecco, Ca’ Vittoria
Valdobbiadene NV 33
Fabulously fresh, focussed and pure fruit make this a very pretty tipple. It is slightly sweet on the finish and generous, fruity and appealing with great grape and pear flavors.
61. Bandol Rose, Tempier
Provence 18 85
Light to medium-bodied, not overly ripe or rich, but all about balance and refreshment. Tangerine and melon aromas and flavors hit all the right notes, lingering on the already elegant finish.
62. Sancerre Rose, Reverdy
Sancerre 18 43
Shows nice cherry and cherry pit notes, with a long, minerally finish. Elegant.

WHITES

65. Sauvignon Blanc, Loveblock
Marlborough 17..... 45
White peach and passion fruit aromatics followed by tropical fruit flavors and beautiful acidity.
66. Sauvignon Blanc, Honig
Napa 18..... 34
This white offers lip-smacking acidity to accentuate the crisp lemon, Key lime pie and ruby grapefruit flavors at its core. Smooth and refreshing, accented by floral and honeysuckle details.
67. Sauvignon Blanc, Ladera
Napa 17..... 63
Brilliant to the eye with beautiful golden hue and crystal clean edges. Tends toward the flavors of a cool climate wine. There are green apple, pear, grassy and melon aromas, along with hints of vanilla.
68. Sauvignon Blanc, Spottswoode
Napa-Sonoma 18..... 78
Lemon meringue, spice and grapefruit flavors reveal whiffs of lanolin and spice lingering in the background, as well candied ginger and floral details. Balances focus and intensity, with a light body and fresh, juicy acidity.
70. Sancerre, Vacheron “Le Paradis”
Sancerre 18 120
Bright and pure, with a core of lemon curd, honeysuckle, verbena and white peach notes that stretch out through the focused, stone-tinged finish.
71. Sancerre, Domaine Hippolyte Reverdy
Loire 14 55
A solid, bracing version, with a very flinty core that allows extra gooseberry and lime zest notes to extend through the finish.
72. Vouvray, Champalou
Loire 16 38
Ginger, cardamom and McIntosh apple notes weave together, with a hint of brioche and a slightly soft, off-dry finish.
73. Chenin Blanc, Dirty & Rowdy
Mendocino 18..... 63
Cool and clean - early peach with flavors of persimmon, quince, and lemon.
75. Pinot Gris, Au Bon Climat
Central Coast 15 34
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.
76. Pinot Gris, Eyrie
Dundee Hills 14 39
Light and toasty, with a crisp feel to the roasted pear and white pepper flavors, finishing on an almond note.
77. Pinot Gris, Elk Cove
Willamette Valley 17..... 35
Peachy fruit wreathed in smoke and honeysuckle billow across a lush, schmaltzy palate, while hints of orange rind, sage and brown spices lend invigoration to a lusciously lingering finish.
78. Pinot Blanc, Ostertag “Barrique”
Alsace 15..... 45
Lightly perfumed with spice, citrus and floral notes, this is fresh and clean-cut, offering creamy pear, blanched almond and glazed apricot notes. Minerally finish.
79. White Blend, Big Salt
Umpquah Valley 18 32
Roughly half and half Riesling and Gewürztraminer, with small amounts of Muscat. Fleshy and nicely textured, floral orange aromas lead into a mix of cucumber, apple and green melon flavors.
80. Riesling Kabinett, Dr. Loosen “Blue Slate”
Mosel 16 45
Shows lively snap to the lemon-lime and fresh-cut apple flavors, featuring some saline and minerally notes. The finish is crisp and zesty.

CHARDONNAY

90. Sea Smoke
Santa Rita Hills 13 113
A rich, earthy style that's intense, powerful and full-bodied. This is marked by a nice mineral and graphite edge, along with ripe, spicy pear. Gains body and depth on the finish.
91. Sandhi "Bentrock"
Santa Rita Hills 16 73
Shows off generous ripe apple, melon and white nectarine flavors that are sharply focused, juicy and lively, ending with a long, mouthwatering aftertaste.
92. Acacia
Carneros 18 38
Intense dried apricot, celery root and ginger notes. Accents of tarragon and dill on the finish.
93. Steele "Steele Cuvee"
California 16 43
Offers good density to the baked apple and pear flavors, with caramel and spice notes.
94. Sonoma Cutrer
Sonoma Coast 16 39
Pure and focused, with fresh, vibrant citrus, green apple and honeydew melon flavors.
95. Kistler "Les Noisetiers"
Sonoma 16 110
Clean and fresh, elegantly styled with a focus on green apple, citrus and floral, minerally notes.
96. Donelan "Nancie's Vineyard"
Sonoma 13 65
A classic style with poached pear, lemon blossom, a touch of nectarine and quince.
97. Neyers "304"
Sonoma Coast 17 49
Finds a groove between ripeness, oak, flavor and finesse, folding together with a mix of fig, pear, nectarine and tangerine notes.
98. Jordan
Alexander Valley 16 63
Aromas of tangerine and nectarine lend this a zesty vibrancy, delivering fresh ripe apple and pear notes, with a touch of honeydew and spicy oak.
105. Domaine Joseph Drouhin "Vailions"
Chablis 17 83
A rich, broad white, offering honey, peach, melon and spice flavors. Finishes with mouthwatering acidity that seeps in around the edges.
106. Domaine Coastal "Les Truffieres"
Chablis 15 60
Round and bright, with white peach, grapefruit and stone notes backed by a steely structure.
107. Bouvier
Marsannay 15 69
Fresh and zippy, offering lemon and green apple flavors, with a hint of stone.
108. Domaine Follin-Arbelet
Corton-Charlemagne 13 345
An elegant and integrated, medium straw colored wine with a refined perfume of smoky oak, resin, and honey. Chalky minerals show on the attack with a melange of ripe melon, guava, and smoke.
109. Olivier LeFlaive "Charmes"
Meursault 11 175
Starts out rich and smooth, with peach, apple, vanilla and clove notes, turning tight and compact on the finish.
110. Domaine Arnaud Ente "Clos des Ambres"
Meursault 10 390
Impeccable. It is the minerality that dominates, but there is no denying the wine's pedigree and sheer class. With air, the aromas and flavors become vivid, nuanced and breathtakingly beautiful.
111. Domaine Bitouzet-Prieur "Les Corbins"
Meursault 13 113
Dried pears, crushed flowers, spices and anise are woven together in this rich, inviting wine. Floral, minty notes wrap around the generous finish.

PINOT NOIR

120. Belle Glos “Clark & Telephone Vineyard”
Santa Maria Valley 16 105
Presents a distinctive mix of raspberry and huckleberry flavors that border on jammy, shaded by smoky, toasty oak. Turns graceful and elegant, with supple, refined tannins and lingering flavors of herb and black olive.
121. Au Bon Climat
Santa Barbara 17 44
Floral, perfumed and peppery berry aromas are medium-weight, delicate and easy-drinking, turning simpler on the finish.
122. Steele “Goodchild Vineyard”
Santa Barbara 10 75
Dark, rich and earthy, with racy dill, wild berry and touches of herbaceousness. Complex, mouthcoating flavors are focused and full-bodied, ending with ripe tannins.
123. Littorai
Sonoma Coast 17 102
Modestly ripe, with plum, strawberry and blueberry notes that turn delicate. Well-balanced and easy to enjoy and drink.
124. Hirsch “East Ridge”
Sonoma Coast 16 165
Concentrated forest floor notes accent the dried cherry, currant and raspberry flavors. The fresh, minerally finish is firm and lightly spiced.
125. Failla “Hirsch Vineyard”
Sonoma Coast 16 155
Bright and tensile, with underbrush accents to the dried cherry, roasted plum and berry flavors. Crushed stone and flinty notes emerge on the firmly tannic finish.
126. Sea Smoke “Southing”
Santa Rita Hills 15 135
Delicate yet powerfully built, with concentrated spiced cherry and rhubarb flavors. Cardamom and smoky accents show on the finish.
127. Acacia
Carneros 16 38
An open, direct wine, with ripe, snappy plum and raspberry flavors, offering graphite-laced tannins and a clean, fresh finish.
128. FEL
Anderson Valley 16 50
Dried herb and pennyroyal notes emerge in this dry, savory effort, with dried berry, black licorice and wild flower scents leading to gripping tannins.
129. Writer’s Block
Mendocino 15 30
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.
130. Nicolas-Jay
Willamette Valley 15 120
Broad, expressive and light-footed, this brims with cherry, plum, licorice and cashew flavors that keep singing on the focused finish.
131. Willamette Valley Vineyards
Willamette Valley 17 41
Bright, with a silky feel to the red berry and raspberry flavors, which linger against a touch of lime on the lively finish.
132. Domaine Drouhin
Willamette Valley 15 75
Firm in texture, with a grip of tannins around generous red berry, tobacco and floral flavors, which persist into the lively, deftly balanced finish.
133. Natalie’s Estate “Big Sky Collection”
Willamette Valley 17 53
Fairly light in body, though intense in flavor. Aromas of fresh cherries and blackberries give way to enticing juicy red fruit with a nice earthy undertone.

134. Ken Wright
Willamette Valley 15..... 50
Light in color, with firm tannins and smoky notes around a core of raspberry and cherry flavors, lingering quietly.
135. Archery Summit “Premiere Cuvee”
Dundee Hills 15 63
The blackberry and cherry flavors play against a hint of smoky barbecue as the firm tannins frame the finish. Has intensity that will soften with age.
136. Alexana “Revana Vineyard”
Dundee Hills 14 90
An uncomplicated nose of blackberry and bilberry fruit. The palate is medium-bodied with supple tannin, moderate weight in the mouth.
137. Eyrie “Original Vines”
Dundee Hills 14 150
Lovely and delicate, with a hint of maturity, plus expressive strawberry blossom aromas and elegantly complex raspberry and spiced tea flavors that dance along the finish.
138. Beaux Freres
Willamette Valley 17..... 113
Taut, exhibiting good density to the blackberry and floral flavors, without excess weight. Shows depth and intensity, with fine tannins on the finish.

BURGUNDY

150. Beaujolais, Château Thivin
Cote de Brouilly 17 55
A savory version, with a hint of smoky mesquite underscoring the grilled plum, dried currant and crushed peppercorn notes.
151. Domaine Joseph Drouhin “Villages”
Cote De Beaune 17 58
This has some tension, displaying cherry, strawberry and spice flavors on a trim frame.
152. Domaine Tortochot
Bourgogne 16 62
Pretty strawberry and Morello cherry nose that is playful. The palate is fresh and crisp with good depth for a bourgeois Burgundy with a pleasant, simple saline finish.
153. Domaine Gachot Monot
Cotes du Nuits 17 69
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.
154. Vincent
Santenay 13 78
A beautifully complex and notably ripe nose of red currant liqueur and plenty of earth influence introduces round, supple and mouth coating flavors that possess plenty of structure-buffering extract. There is equally good depth on the firm, rustic and imp
155. Bruno Colin
Chassagne-Montrachet 15 95
Cherry, earth and spice flavors. A firm edge of tannins lends support through the moderately long finish.
156. Joseph Faiveley
Gevery-Chambertain 10 155
Perfumed, showing smoky, sandalwood and floral aromas. Spice accents the strawberry and currant flavors in this long and lean version.
157. Michel Magnien “Les Argillieres”
Chambolle-Musigny 15 138
Shows red berries and floral aromas on the nose with an underpinning of minerals. Medium weight and fine tannins make for a more elegant finish.
158. Domaine Follin-Arbelet
Corton 13 368
Scents of red berry fruit, sage and a pinch of white pepper. The palate is medium-bodied with supple tannin, well-judged acidity and quite a juicy black cherry and blackcurrant finish that caresses the mouth.

ZINFANDEL

170. Four Vines “Biker” 35
Paso Robles 15 35
Racy and bursting with fruit, showing smoky black pepper and black cherry aromas that lead to supple, layered flavors of huckleberry, earthy licorice and toasty sage, which linger toward zesty tannins.
171. Turley “Dragon Vineyard” 85
Howell Mountain 17 85
Features black cherry liqueur, crème de cassis, dried violets, warm baking spice and baked blue fruits on the nose. Full-bodied, it packs in the black and blue fruits with very pretty perfumed earth notes, framed by firm tannins and great freshness, finis
172. Green & Red “Chiles Mill Vineyard” 49
Napa 16 49
Sleek and focused, with appealing cherry and herb aromas and layered raspberry, mineral and cedar flavors, slowly revealing the tannins on the finish.
173. Robert Biale “The Black Chicken” 55
Napa 17 55
Striking. It is one of the most primal, unevolved zinfandels. Shows vibrancy and purity of the dark fruit. With time in the glass sweet scents of licorice, tobacco and spices appear.
175. Ridge “Three Valleys” 60
Sonoma 16 60
Zesty, if a bit lean and earthy in style, with notes of cherry, dill and spice. Petite Sirah, Carignane, Mataro and Alicante Bouschet.
176. Day 50
Sonoma 16 50
Bold and rich, with a lively, structured core, plus black raspberry and pepper aromas, and ripe, zesty black cherry and sweet black licorice flavors.
177. St. Francis “Old Vine Zin” 44
Sonoma 15 44
A zesty Zin, offering floral black cherry and toasted sage aromas, with lively, well-balanced flavors of plum, licorice and fresh pepper.
178. Seghesio “Rockpile Road Vineyard” 94
Sonoma 16 94
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.
179. Steele “Catfish Vineyard” 38
Mendocino 14 38
A zesty, old-school style, showing focus and a touch of elegance while maintaining appealing notes of briary berry, grilled anise and smoked pepper.
180. Marietta “Angeli Cuvee” 58
Alexander Valley 16 58
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 rip

MERLOT

190. Keenan
Napa 14..... 77
Wonderful smoky espresso-scented nose with a hint of black cherry liqueur. Medium-bodied and moderately colored, it is lush, velvety and endearing.
191. Robert Sinskey
Carneros 13..... 85
A pure expression of cool climate Merlot with rich, yet bright, aromas and flavors of red berries, hard candy, cassis, and earthy spice.
192. Rombauer
Carneros 16..... 55
Ruby color with black cherry, plum, leather, and a hint of mint aromas. On the palate, it's deftly balanced fruit, acid, and supple tannins, and shows black cherry, black currant, plum, vanilla flavors.
193. Whitehall Lane
Napa 14..... 52
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.
194. Robert Foley
Napa 14..... 99
A good, chunky, chocolaty style of with some coffee bean notes, underbrush, as well as plenty of black cherry and blackcurrant fruit in a fleshy, succulent style.
195. Silverado "Mt. George Vineyard"
Napa 14..... 55
Offers ripe red currant flavors that show touches of cedar and graphite, plus good balance and structure.
196. Steele "Stymie"
Lake County 12..... 79
Deep, dark red color with aromas of chocolate, jammy fruit, tobacco and a hint of pepper. The palate shows flavors of ripe red currants and coffee with a long finish.

SYRAH

200. Eberle “Steinbeck”
Paso Robles 17 49
Pure, rich layers of blackberry and wild fruit are intense and focused, firming with a crushed rock minerality and a long, persistent finish.
201. Qupe
Santa Barbara 17 49
Offers a tight core of pepper-laced dark berry, hot brick, game and cedar, ending with firm, cleansing tannins.
202. Ramey
Sonoma Coast 14 74
Firm and intense, with a mix of smoked meat, dried berry, spice, mineral and sage notes. Full-bodied, complex and layered, ending with a rich berry pie and mineral aftertaste.
203. Shafer “Relentless”
Napa 15 182
Firm, rich and dense, this combines power with finesse, offering a deep mix of chewy dark berry, dark chocolate, black licorice, road tar, tobacco and loamy earth flavors, tightly wound and leading to a long finish. Syrah and Petite Sirah.
204. Shooting Star
Lake County 12 32
Ripe, softly textured, lightly oaked, with good depth of flavor and a medium long finish. It tastes of black plum, cedar, and spicy oak.
205. Petite Sirah, Dirty & Rowdy “Maple’s Spring Street”
Napa 16 95
A smooth, spicy mouthfeel with a tannic grip, fresh acidity, and an overall great structure with aromas of black cherry, plum, olives, and black coffee.
206. Mourvedre, Dirty & Rowdy “Evangelho”
Napa 18 88
Shows lots of personality in a restrained style. Floral cherry aromas mix with smoke and spice flavors that are appealingly earthy, accented by notes of game and dried herb.
207. Reynvaan “In The Rocks”
Walla Walla 15 159
Dark and dense, this presents a formidable phalanx of blackberry, blueberry, black olive and cracked pepper flavors that push against refined tannins, persisting into the long, expressive finish.
210. Cabernet-Shiraz, Penfold’s “Bin 389”
South Australia 17 120
Velvety, vibrant and vivid, offering plum and currant at the core, with subtle spice overtones set on a dynamic frame. Expressive and deftly balanced, this has intensity without extra weight.
211. Shiraz, 2 Hands “Angel’s Share”
McLaren Vale 17 63
Dark and dense in color, opening a bit in texture, with grippy tannins wound around a solid core of blackberry and red plum flavors, lingering on the expressive finish.

RHÔNE VALLEY

220. Thierry Allemand “Reynard” 415
Cornas 16 415
The nose is sensuous, holds discreet detail, black pepper, cloves, black cherry, a floral shimmer: it has a brilliant, literal clarity. The close is firm, decisive – there’s stylish gras there. Its palate is shapely, enriching, most enjoyable and prolonged
221. Châteauneuf du Pape, Vieux Télégraphe “La Crau” 163
Southern Rhone 15 163
Coated with unctuous linzer torte, warm plum sauce and pure cassis fruit flavors, while notes of maduro tobacco, mint, green fig and toasted anise flitter throughout. This is lush and dense, but well-harnessed through the finish, with a mouthwatering roas
222. Chateauneuf du Pape, St.-Cosme 104
Southern Rhone 15 104
A direct, focused, slightly taut style, with a good dose of singed cedar and alder framing the core of red currant, plum and bitter cherry paste flavors. Lots of bay leaf, rosemary and sanguine accents fill in on the finish, which keeps a cedary edge.
223. Châteauneuf du Pape, Télégramme 85
Southern Rhone 15 85
Revealing structure and tannin, this wine is deep and complex and offers up beefy black raspberry and cherry notes with some Provencale spiciness in the background. Second label of Vieux Telegraphe.
224. Andre Brunel 32
Southern Rhone 16 32
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.
225. Domaine Les Pallieres “Les Racines” 80
Gigondas 15 80
Very juicy but refined, featuring a blood orange and clove frame to the core of blackberry, plum and cherry fruit. Alder and singed vanilla bean hints, along with an echo of tobacco, grace the finish.
226. Philippe Fauray “L’Art Zele” 54
Rhodaniennes 16 54
A juicy, lively, berry-fruited and floral effort that’s reminiscent of mid-weight Cote Rotie.
227. Domaine de la Colline St. Jean 55
Vacqueryas 15 55
Plump and fleshy, with layers of linzer torte, currant confiture and cherry preserves laced with toasted anise and backed by a long, graphite-filled finish. Offers nice grip.
228. Etienne Becheras 51
Crozes-Hermitage 16 51
Offers plenty of peppery spice and pretty, small berry fruits in a medium-bodied, elegant, silky and lightly textured style.

DOMESTIC RED BLENDS

250. Red Table Wine, Valo
Washington 16 55
Bright, fresh and balanced with layers of dark fruit with firm acidity.
251. Meritage, Soos Creek “Champoux Vineyard”
Horse Heaven Hills 14 59
Firm and focused, with earthy overtones of clove and wet soil to the dark berry and pepper flavors, lingering against crisp tannins. Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Franc.
252. Red Blend, Saviah “Big Sky Cuvee”
Columbia Valley 15 55
Lively ripe currant and blackberry fruit plays against lightly crisp tannins on a medium-weight frame in this fresh and vibrant red, which finishes with zest.
253. Meritage, Inglenook “Rubicon”
Rutherford 10 375
A classy, well-structured effort, with flavors that build and gain depth around a core of loamy earth, espresso, dark berry, cedary oak and tobacco. Most impressive on the graceful, long and persistent finish.
254. Meritage, Colgin Estate “IX Estate”
Napa 10 805
Pleasing for its richness, elegance and finesse, this graceful red presents a delicate mix of dark berry, licorice, light cedar and loamy earth, gliding along on the finish, where the wine is amazingly polished.
255. Red Wine, Sleight of Hand “The Conjuror”
Columbia Valley 15 43
Fullbodied and rich with a little oak this wine is brimming with fresh red fruit. Bright and lush the the fruit blends beautifully with the fine tannins.
256. Red Blend, Chappellet “Mountain Cuvée”
Napa 17 64
Featuring vivid fruit and rich, soft tannins this red blend beautifully expresses the distinctive qualities of the traditional Bordeaux varietals. The aromas and flavors entice with dark berries, ripe plum, vanilla and spicy oak.
257. Zin Blend, G.B. Crane “el Coco”
Napa 15 145
Decadent and rich, the nose opens with ripe boysenberry, blackberry and dark chocolate. Expansive and weighty with dark berries, ripe stone fruits, a hint of bing cherry with a long chain of white pepper.
258. Red Blend, Rodney Strong “Upshot”
Sonoma 15 50
A juicy, well-proportioned style, with boysenberry and dried blueberry flavors that are matched to zesty spice notes. Crushed stone and savory accents show on the fresh finish.
259. Meritage, Papillon
Napa 15 114
Fragrant, ripe and grapey, with floral berry, plum and blackberry jam notes. Full-bodied and intense, yet elegant and supple, with the tannins building on the finish, yet this ends on a fruity note.

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271. Justin
Paso Robles 17 63
A rich, saturated style that delivers straight-ahead power driven by potent loamy earth, cigar box and tobacco leaf notes supported by gutsy, extracted tannins.
272. Schug
Sonoma 15 50
A ripe mouthful of currant and cherry flavors is framed by fine tannins and a touch of spicy oak. It has a classic bouquet bursting with berries, cassis and spice.
273. Jordan
Sonoma 15 112
A reined-in style that's successful and appealing, with a narrow band of cedary oak cloaking modest dark berry and underbrush flavors.
274. Pride Mountain Vineyards
Napa-Sonoma 15 135
Plump and spicy, offering alluring flavors of dark berry jam, with floral and light cedar notes.
275. Ridge
Sonoma 15 108
Reveals a singed cedar frame around a core of gently steeped plum and blackberry fruit, with notes of violet, bay leaf and charcoal filling in on the finish.
276. Honig
Napa 16 82
On solid footing, with sassy tannins, this offers a core of mocha, blackberry and dark berry flavors that are pure, dense and chewy, accented by tobacco leaf and cigar box notes.
277. Mt. Veeder
Napa 16 74
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.
278. Buehler
Napa 16 64
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.
279. Lail Vineyards "Blueprint"
Napa 16 145
A beautiful dense ruby/purple, with ripe, blackcurrant fruit and licorice, a subtle hint of oak, silky tannin, full-bodied opulence, and very approachable and delicious, forward fruit.
280. Joseph Phelps
Napa 15 158
Very appealing, with a mix of lively dark berry, currant and black cherry flavors, showing touches of charr, toasty, cedary oak and ending with a woody presence and gripping tannins.
281. Caymus
Napa 17 163
Supple and fruit-forward, this is designed to win broad appeal, with easygoing plum, black cherry, loamy earth and blueberry flavors, supported by vanilla bean-accented oak.
282. Heitz "Martha's Vineyard"
Napa 05 375
Minty bay leaf aromas with a spicy edge, leading to firm dark berry, mocha, mineral and sage flavors that are tight and well-structured, with firm, ripe tannins that provide an excellent backbone.
283. Keenan
Napa 14 92
Rich with cassis, tar, camphor and a, fleshy, full-bodied mouthfeel, impressive ripeness and body.
284. Duckhorn
Napa 15 143
A claret style that's dry and savory, with dusty currant, oak and earth notes.
285. Chappellet "Signature"
Napa 16 120
Aromas of ripe berry, cherry, cedar and cigar box, as well as notes of dark chocolate, espresso, vanilla and clove.

286.	Spottswoode	
	Napa 16.....	273
	<i>Admirable purity, plenty of floral blackcurrants that this property is known for and beautiful texture in a medium to full-bodied style.</i>	
287.	Orin Swift “Palermo”	
	Napa 16.....	88
	<i>A powerful, explosive mix of extracted dark berry, cedary oak, loamy earth and crushed rock flavors that combine to create a genuine mouthful.</i>	
288.	Groth	
	Oakville 14	110
	<i>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.</i>	
290.	Tor Kenward “Beckstoffer To-Kalon Vineyard”	
	Oakville 10	350
	<i>A weave of ripe plum, blackberry and currant, joined by mocha, espresso and mineral notes. Full-bodied without being weighty, leading to a long, graceful finish.</i>	
295.	Shafer “One Point Five”	
	Stag’s Leap District 14	180
	<i>Rustic, with a chewy edge to the loamy earth and cedar. The core currant and dark berry flavors are intense and concentrated, and this ends with chunky tannins.</i>	
296.	Shafer “Hillside Select”	
	Stag’s Leap District 2008.....	475
	<i>Muscular and tightly wound, yet beautifully focused and proportioned, dense and chewy, delivering rich layers of dried currant, blackberry, spice and licorice flavors.</i>	
	2011	463
	<i>Openly rich and plush, with a dense core of mocha-laced blackberry, charry oak, subtle spice, hot brick and cedary, earthy notes. Ends with drying tannins.</i>	
	2014	538
	<i>Dark sage and tobacco, with a core of gently steeped plum and blackberry fruit emerging slowly. Smoky details pervade the finish, which displays a serious bolt of graphite.</i>	
300.	Ladera “Reserve”	
	Howell Mountain 10	182
	<i>The wine has a dense ruby/purple color, notes of lead pencil shavings, white chocolate, cassis and blueberry, it is very perfumed, medium to full-bodied, with real purity, texture and overall balance.</i>	
301.	Turley	
	Napa 17.....	90
	<i>Pleasant, firm, rich and deftly balanced, this offers a mix of ripe dark berry, cedary oak and black licorice flavors, leading to a long, pure finish that tightens toward the end.</i>	
305.	Amavi	
	Walla Walla 15	50
	<i>Rich and ripe, playing the blueberry, plum and spice flavors against nubby tannins, shaping them into a round and expressive finish.</i>	
306.	Woodward Canyon “Artist Series #24”	
	Walla Walla 15	103
	<i>Well-built, with a firm backbone wrapped in rich and expressive notes of blackberry, green olive and clove, lingering toward big but refined tannins.</i>	
307.	Dunham “XX”	
	Columbia Valley 14	83
	<i>Brawny and taut, with a firm core of chewy tannins buoyed by currant, licorice and tobacco flavors that finish on a tight note.</i>	
308.	Tamarack Cellars	
	Columbia Valley 14	62
	<i>Plush and well-structured, with floral blackberry and spice aromas and rich, expressive flavors that finish with velvety tannins.</i>	
309.	Reininger	
	Walla Walla 13	62
	<i>Sinewy and tightly focused, with moderate currant and tobacco flavors with firm tannins.</i>	
310.	Leonetti	
	Walla Walla 11	183
	<i>Refined, elegant and expressive, popping with juicy currant and blackberry fruit and shaded with hints of allspice, black pepper and bay leaf, lingering harmoniously on an open texture.</i>	

BORDEAUX & OTHER FRANCE

325. Château Joinin
Bordeaux 14 32
A lush and inviting red, exhibiting notes of raspberry, fig and boysenberry preserves that are layered with toasted spice and melted black licorice.
326. Chateau Gombaude-Guillet
Pomerol 09 168
Plenty of red cherry and cranberry fruit on the nose, pastille-like with a pinch of white pepper underneath. The palate is sweet on the entry, with an almost Pinot Noir-like personality.
327. Belles-Graves
Lalande de Pomerol 14 70
Solid, with smoke-infused plum, blackberry and bitter cherry notes, revealing nice loam and smoldering tobacco hints on the finish.
328. Pichon-Longueville “Reserve de la Comtesse”
Paulliac 14 118
Deep, with a core of steeped plum, cassis and raspberry paste notes that are easily carried by a graphite spine, while anise and roasted apple wood details fill in the background.
329. Pichon-Longueville “Baron”
Paulliac 06 438
There’s an excellent dark color to this, with blowsy, rich aromas of crushed blackberry and currant. Full-bodied, with velvety tannins and a long finish.
330. Château Lynch-Bages
Paulliac 12 375
Very solid core of dark plum, crushed black currant and blackberry fruit, with lightly firm flesh and good drive through the finish, where alder and iron notes fill in. Shows excellent energy and depth.
331. Chateau Cheval-Blanc
St.-Emilion 12 1580
This wine is gorgeous in all facets, offering a simultaneously loamy and creamy mouthfeel, seamless layers of red and black currant, cherry, raspberry and blackberry fruit, and a long, tobacco-fueled finish.
332. Chateau Simard
St.-Emilion 10 107
Fresh mushroom, tobacco and berry aromas follow through to a full body, with an aftertaste of stone and berry. Silky, chewy, rich and long.
333. Château Bellevue
St.-Emilion 15 50
Gorgeous, with blackberry, raspberry and boysenberry fruit stitched together by a refined chalky structure.
334. Château Aney
Haut-Medoc 15 53
Fleshy in feel, with gently steeped plum and red currant fruit that rolls through, carried by a loamy note before finishing with warmed tobacco and bay hints on the finish.
335. Cambon la Pelouse
Haut-Medoc 10 51
Dense but fresh, with a saturated core of blackberry pâte de fruit, anise and plum sauce that races along with vibrant spice and graphite notes.
336. Chateau Margaux
Margaux 12 2025
Bay leaf and menthol hints lift a core of crushed plum and warm cherry confiture notes while the background fills steadily with black tea, singed alder and iron elements. Turns a little darker on the finish, with a coating of bittersweet cocoa powder and vanilla.
340. Bandol Rouge, Tempier
Bandol 16 103
This offers a dense core of plum, cassis and cherry fruit, with rosemary and bay accents, all of which unfurl wonderfully through the rich yet fresh finish.
341. Clos la Coutale
Cahors 15 32
A burst of red currant flavors gives this a lively profile. Mineral and fresh-crushed cherry notes emerge on the finish.

SPAIN & PORTUGAL

350. Dehesa la Granja
Castilla y Leon 08 35
Dark ruby colored, it offers up a nose of red cherry accompanied by a whiff of incense. Sweet, ripe, and tasty on the palate.
351. Faustino “Gran Reserva”
Rioja 05 74
Fresh and lively, this red shows bright fruit and spice flavors, with cherry, berry, vanilla and anise notes that mingle over light tannins and orange peel acidity. Harmonious and graceful, expressive and alluring.
352. Izadi “Reserva”
Rioja 13 31
This plump red offers black cherry and plum flavors, with licorice and baking spice notes that linger on the finish. Features light tannins and orange peel acidity. Expressive.
353. Pasanau Germans “Finca La Planeta”
Priorat 12 93
This red shows an earthy character, with tarry, sanguine and gamy notes framing a core of dried cherry and mushroom. The tannins are still firm, and balsamic acidity keeps this lively.

SOUTH AMERICA

355. Malbec, Kaiken “Ultra Las Rocas”
Mendoza 15 38
Dense and rich-tasting, with a muscular mix of dark currant and black olive flavors that are supported by firm tannins. Cocoa powder and slate notes fill the finish, along with peppery hints.
356. Malbec, Tikal “Amorio”
Mendoza 15 60
An angular red, with iron notes to the dried blackberry and blueberry flavors, mixed with forest floor details. Accents of anise and pepper show on the finish.
357. Malbec, Bramare
Mendoza 16 75
Soft and approachable on the nose, with red cherries, blackberry, Dorset plum and a hint of marmalade. The palate is full-bodied with a sweet, cassis-driven entry. It is very polished with rounded, silky tannins and a touch of white pepper and even ginger
358. Malbec, Achaval Ferrer
Mendoza 17 53
There’s an enticing floral quality to the cherry, plum and wild berry flavors, with juniper notes midpalate. Features plenty of fresh acidity, with a complex, minerally finish that delivers hints of hoisin sauce.
359. Malbec, Vina Cobos “Marchiori”
Mendoza 11 225
Ripe and jammy, yet well-balanced, with buried acidity supporting the roasted plum, cherry puree, mocha and smoke notes, building toward a rich, compact finish.
360. Malbec, Achaval Ferrer “Finca Bella Vista”
Mendoza 09 175
A robust red that’s full of red plum, dark plum and dried cherry flavors. Green olive notes show midpalate, with a lithe finish that offers minerally and light smoky details.
361. Carmenere, Montes “Purple Angel”
Colchuaga Valley 13 130
A dark, ambitious red, with ample toast and mocha to the macerated plum skin, dark cherry and grilled fig fruit, pumping out layers of humus, iron and olive paste before the fruit returns for an encore on the finish.

ITALY

370. Chianti Classico, Cecchi
Tuscany 15 33
This red shows moderate intensity, offering black cherry, raspberry, graphite and earth flavors. Bright and focused, with a peppery finish.
371. Brunello di Montalcino, Rodolfo Cosimi “Terra Rossa”
Tuscany 12 113
Black cherry and blackberry aromas and flavors are interspersed with menthol and eucalyptus accents in this red, which starts out rich, then turns firmer and more structured as it plays out on the spicy, balsamic finish, with plenty of sweet fruit.
372. Toscano, Felsina “Fontalloro”
Tuscany 06 95
Chocolate, blackberry and black cherry aromas lead to a full-bodied palate, with velvety tannins and a deep concentration of fruit. Powerfully rich and polished. Big and structured. A blockbuster Sangiovese.
373. Bolgheri, Ca’ Marcanda
Bolgheri 03 125
Offers plenty of currant and chocolate on the nose and palate. Medium- to full-bodied, with fine tannins and a fresh finish. A tiny bit lean, but nicely balanced.
374. Bolgheri, Chiappini “Guado de Gemoli”
Bolgheri Superiore 09 125
Endowed with Indian spice, black soya, espresso and blackberry essence. Finely chiseled mineral tones of granite and smoke snap it back into immediate focus.
375. Bolgheri, Tenuta dell’Ornellaia
Bolgheri Superiore 13 400
Vanilla, toast and smoke notes shade the black cherry and plum aromas, while the spicy oak theme carries over on the palate. A brash style that shows fine balance, but this will require time to find equilibrium.
376. Barolo, Damilano “Lecinquevigne”
Barolo 13 77
Very firm and tightly wound, offering a peek at the cherry, wild berry, floral and tobacco flavors. Lean and dry, with mouthcoating tannins guarding the finish.
377. Valpolicella Ripasso, Le Salette “I Progni”
Veneto 15 61
This is medium-bodied and well-knit, with light, supple tannins framing subtle notes of wild raspberry and cherry fruit, ground anise and clove, smoke and herbes de Provence.
378. Rosso, Quintarelli “Ca del Merlo”
Veneto 09 188
A fresh, vinous red loaded with perfumed red fruits, spices and sweet herbs.
379. Amarone della Valpolicella, Speri
Veneto 13 169
A mouthwatering red, well-meshed and expressive, offering fine-grained tannins layered with crushed cherry and raspberry, spice box and orange peel flavors, with rich notes of loamy earth and smoke. Long and lasting on the zesty finish.
380. Barolo, Palladino
Piedmont-Serralunga d’Alba 14 88
Taut and linear in profile, with dense, beefy tannins shoring up the cherry, strawberry and iron flavors. Spice and earth elements emerge as this cruises to a long finish. The mouthcoating tannins are ripe.
381. Etna Rosso, Pietradolce “Vigna Barbagalli”
Sicily 11 225
A firm, tightly knit red, showing good density to the ripe black cherry and raspberry fruit, dried fig flavors and ashy mineral details. Fresh and fragrant, with violet and spice box notes.

LARGE FORMAT

388. Cabernet Sauvignon, O'Shaughnessy Estate (Magnum, 1.5L) Napa 12.....	475
401. Champagne, J Lassalle (Jeroboam, 3L) Chigny-les-Roses NV	965
402. Rose, Domaine Tempier (Magnum, 1.5L) Provence 18	190
404. Domaine P. Guillemot (Magnum, 1.5L) "Le Rognet et Corton" Corton 14.....	387
405. Château Gombaude-Guillet (Magnum, 1.5L) Pomerol 1994	310
406. 1999	338
407. 2009	338
408. Bordeaux, Chateau Aney (Magnum, 1.5L) Haut-Medoc 1994.....	95
409. 2015	110
410. Bordeaux, Château de Bellevue (Magnum, 1.5L) Lusac-St.-Emilion 15	100
415. Bordeaux, Belles Graves (Magnum, 1.5L) Lalande de Pomerol 10.....	115
416. Rousillon, Domaine La Tour Vieille (Magnum, 1.5L) "La Pinede" Collioure 17	113
417. Clos la Coutale (Magnum, 1.5L) Cahors 13	60
419. Vieux Télégraphe (Magnum, 1.5L) "La Crau" Chateauneuf du Pape 12	330
420. Vieux Télégraphe (Jeroboam, 3L) "La Crau" Chateauneuf du Pape 09	725
425. Ornellaia (Magnum, 1.5L) Bolgheri Superiore 13	985
426. Ribera del Duero, Pesquera Riserva (Magnum, 1.5L) "Riserva" Ribera del Duero 10.....	190
427. Bandol Rouge, Tempier (Magnum, 1.5L) Bandol 17.....	225
428. (Jeroboam, 3L)	650
429. Red Blend, Prisoner Wine Co. (Magnum, 1.5L) "The Prisoner" Napa 15.....	190
430. Pinot Noir, Hirsch (Magnum, 1.5L) "San Andreas Fault" Sonoma Coast 16	250
435. Red Blend, Orin Swift (Magnum, 1.5L) "Papillon" Napa 15.....	368
436. Cabernet Sauvignon, Orin Swift (Magnum, 1.5L) "Mercurey Head" Napa 15.....	525
437. Cabernet Sauvignon, Caymus (Magnum, 1.5L) Napa 11.....	315
438. Cabernet Sauvignon, Woodward Canyon (Magnum, 1.5L) "Artist Series #17" Washington 08	165
439. Cabernet Sauvignon, Shafer (Magnum, 1.5L) "Hillside Select" Stag's Leap District 2008	850
440. 2011	925
445. Merlot, Duckhorn (Jeroboam, 3L) Napa 08.....	395
446. Merlot, Duline (Magnum, 1.5L) "Ronco Pittatoi" Friuli 16	265
447. Foillard (Magnum, 1.5L) Morgon 17.....	250
448. Quintarelli Rosso (Magnum, 1.5L) "Ca del Merlo" Veneto 11	495
449. Sesti (Magnum, 1.5L) Brunello di Montalcino 14	350