

## SIX REDS

- **2011 Domaine de Venes Minervois** (\$12)  
80% Syrah, 20% Cinsault  
Lot of dark plum, smoke and garrique float off this juicy Southern French red. Organic
  
- **2011 Château Sénylac Haut-Médoc** (\$13)  
55% Cabernet Sauvignon, 35% Merlot, 10% Cabernet Franc  
Château Sénylac is a small estate not far from Saint Estephe, which dates back to the 19th century, belonging since 1938 to the Grassin family. The wine is a soft, supple, fruit-forward styled Haut-Médoc with berries, soft tannins and low acidity. It's an easy drinker for many occasions. 13% alcohol by volume
  
- **2013 Domaine Brusset Laurent B** (\$15)  
Grenache, Syrah, Carignane, and Cinsault  
Côtes du Rhône  
"The 2013 Côtes du Rhône Laurent B has superb purity and freshness in its dark cherry, graphite, leather and dried spice-driven bouquet. Tasting like a mini-Gigondas, with medium-bodied richness and depth, and a focused, masculine feel on the palate." Wine Advocate
  
- **2013 Vallevò Montepulciano D'Abruzzo** (\$10)  
Aromas and flavors of black plum, black cherry, herbs, and black olives surround a wonderful meaty texture, with enough chewiness to make the wine stand up to food but supple enough to drink on its own.  
13% alcohol by volume
  
- **2013 Skouras Zoe** (\$12)  
90% Aghiorghitiko, 10% Cabernet Sauvignon  
Peloponnesos  
A good intro to the St George grape of Greece. Aromas of black cherries, and blackberries with hints of plums, violets, lead to a medium body wine with smooth tannin. 13.5% alcohol by volume
  
- **2012 Chéron Les Dentelles** (\$13)  
70% Grenache, 30% Syrah  
Côtes du Rhône  
A lighter Rhône wine from a classic Gigondas producer. The wine has good chery fruit along with developed herb and spice notes. Sustainable

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## SIX WHITES

- **2013 Patient Cottat Le Grande Caillou** (\$12)  
Sauvignon Blanc  
The Fournier family have been farming and producing wines in Sancerre for generations. Le Grande Caillou “the big rock” doesn’t make the cut to be labeled Sancerre, but at this price we won’t quibble. Clean, bright and refreshing, this is a perfect little Sauvignon Blanc. The wine has soft, subtle mineral notes wrapped up in aromatics of melon and citrus and tropical fruit. 12% alcohol by volume
  
- **Marani Mtsvane** (\$10)  
From Kakheti in Georgia, this dry white is made from Mtsvane, a grape that has very floral notes and flavors of tropical fruits, green apple, lingering to the crisp and zesty finish. 12.5% alcohol by volume
  
- **2013 Alexakis Vidiano** (\$15)  
Vidiano is one of Crete's oldest white grapes and produces a very aromatic wine with aromas of tropical fruits, pear and citrus fruit. A velvety, unctuous aftertaste, prevails in the palate.
  
- **2013 Dominios de Castilla** (\$10)  
Verdejo  
Rueda  
A tasty everyday Spanish white with fruity and herbaceous notes. Soft and kind on the palate with a very characteristic blend of bitter and ripe fruit in the mouth. 12.5% alcohol by volume
  
- **2014 Domaine des Cassagnoles Cuveé Gros Manseng** (\$11)  
The new vintage of a full, delicious Gascogne white varietal with lots of grapefruit snap, floral notes and great mouthfeel. 12% alcohol by volume. NEW VINTAGE
  
- **2013 Labbé Abymes** (\$13)  
100% Jacquère  
Vin de Savoie  
A dry white from Northern France at the foot of the Alps. The "Abymes" moniker actually refers to the boulders present in the vineyard. It is punctuated by flavors of freshly sliced lemon, green apple, white pear, and a textbook Savoie minerality. The perfect wine for fondue. 11% alcohol by volume

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## SIX MORE REDS

- **2010 Janasse Terre de Bussiere** (\$13)  
55% Merlot, 25% Syrah, 10% Grenache, 10% Cabernet  
A big bold blend from a Chateau Neuf producer. Full of round dark fruit and softening tannins. Was \$17 now \$13
  
- **2013 Bodegas Terra Sigilata Filón** (\$11)  
Garnacha from 30 to 40-year-old vineyards  
Aromas of cherry and other fruits smoke and licorice.  
NEW VINTAGE
  
- **2013 Passo a Passo Tempranillo** (\$10)  
A La Mancha Tempranillo has all the ripe fruit you'd expect along with some structural tannins to balance it out.
  
- **2009 CUNE Crianza** (\$15)  
80% Tempranillo, 10% Mazuelo, and 10% Garnacha Tinta  
Rioja  
Aromas of red berries and oaky and balsamic notes from its aging in wood. It has a full mouth feel, lively cherry fruit with some spice back notes and a balanced acidity.
  
- **2013 Cesari Duetorri** (\$11)  
Pinot Noir  
Delle Venezie  
A great deal on a Pinot from north Italy. Bright ruby color, aroma of plum and berries.  
12.5% alcohol by volume
  
- **2012 Casaleiro Caves Velhas Reserva** (\$11)  
40% Touriga Nacional, 30% Castelao, 30% Trincaderia  
A wood-aged wine, at a good price, the Casaleiro Reserve 2012 has fully structured tannins supported by delicious red fruit with a beam of acidity. The taste of the wine ends with spice, fruit and tannins in the background. 13% alcohol by volume

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## TWO ROSÉS

☐ **La Jara Frizzante Rosé** (\$12)

Glera, Rabosso

A dry crisp and fresh slightly sparkling Italian Rosé with scents of red fruit and a delicate flavour of raspberry. Fresh and persistent with a light drinkability. All Organic to boot. 10.5% alcohol by volume

☐ **2014 Domaine Grand Corbière Sable de Camargue Vin Gris** (\$15)

Grenache Gris, Grenache Noir, Syrah

Of the Domaine's 39 hectares, 28 are now grapes. It was a great choice. Their Vin Gris is lovely, fresh rosé that has a nose of fresh-picked strawberries and cherries with hints of maritime air. NEW VINTAGE Biodynamic. 13% alcohol by volume

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