



Our Annual Roundup of the Year's Most Exciting Wines

WINE SPECTATOR'S 2012 TOP 100 AT A GLANCE

RANK	SCORE	PRICE	WINE	RANK	SCORE	PRICE	WINE
51	90	\$18	Bodega Norton Malbec Mendoza Reserva 2010	75	91	\$25	Marqués de Cáceres Rioja Reserva 2005
52	90	\$14	Cavit Vigneti delle Dolomiti Red Alta Luna Phases 2009	76	93	\$42	Austin Hope Syrah Paso Robles Hope Family Vineyard 2010
53	92	\$20	Greywacke Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough 2011	77	93	\$44	Belle Glos Pinot Noir Santa Maria Valley Clark & Telephone Vineyard 2010
54	90	\$16	Bodegas Atalaya Almansa La Atalaya 2009	78	93	\$45	Rust en Vrede Stellenbosch 2008
55	91	\$17	Jean Perrier & Fils Savoie Apremont Cuvée Gastronomie 2011	79	93	\$45	Evening Land Pinot Noir Eola-Amity Hills Seven Springs Vineyard 2010
56	91	\$18	Pewsey Vale Riesling Eden Valley Dry 2011	80	96	\$145	Spottswoode Cabernet Sauvignon St. Helena Family Estate Grown 2009
57	91	\$22	Descendientes de J. Palacios Bierzo Pétalos 2010	81	93	\$48	Collosorbo Brunello di Montalcino 2007
58	91	\$22	Perrin & Fils Vinsobres Les Cornuds 2010	82	90	\$16	Emilio Lustau Amontillado Jerez Dry Los Arcos Solera Reserva NV
59	91	\$23	Astrolabe Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough Province 2011	83	92	\$32	Morgan Pinot Noir Santa Lucia Highlands Twelve Clones 2010
60	96	\$135	Quilceda Creek Cabernet Sauvignon Columbia Valley 2009	84	93	\$50	Piper-Heidsieck Brut Champagne NV
61	92	\$28	Bodegas Beronia Rioja Gran Reserva 2004	85	93	\$49	Williams Selyem Pinot Noir Russian River Valley Eastside Road Neighbors 2009
62	91	\$19	Viña Ninquén Syrah Colchagua Valley Antu 2009	86	94	\$60	Brancaia Maremma Toscana Ilatraia 2010
63	93	\$29	Novare Chardonnay Carneros 2010	87	90	\$18	Concha y Toro Chardonnay Limari Valley Uco de Casa Concha 2010
64	90	\$12	Marchesi di Barolo Barbera del Monferrato Maràia 2011	88	90	\$12	Marchesi di Barolo Barbera del Monferrato Maràia 2011
65	92	\$29	Nikolajon Grüner Veltliner Quantatswein Trocken Wachau Hefeabzug 2010	89	92	\$40	Honig Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley 2009
66	90	\$12	Marchesi di Barolo Barbera del Monferrato Maràia 2011	90	90	\$15	Skouras Moscofilero Péloponnèse 2011
67	94	\$32	Dr. Loosen Riesling Spätlese Mosel Wehlener Sonnenuhr 2011	91	93	\$58	Kosta Browne Pinot Noir Russian River Valley 2010
68	92	\$25	Casa Lapostolle Cabernet Sauvignon Colchagua Valley Cuvée Alexandre Apalta Vineyard 2010	92	94	\$85	Altamura Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley 2009
69	92	\$25	Antonio Caggiano Greco di Tufo Devon 2011	93	96	\$150	Château Lynch Bages Pauillac 2009
70	92	\$31	Château Latour-Martillac Pessac-Léognan 2009	94	95	\$150	Ridge Monte Bello Santa Cruz Mountains 2009
71	91	\$24	Waterbrook Merlot Columbia Valley Reserve 2009	95	90	\$20	Veramonte Primus The Blend Colchagua Valley 2009
72	93	\$35	Turley Zinfandel Paso Robles Pesenti Vineyard 2010	96	94	\$75	Pahlmeyer Merlot Napa Valley 2009
73	90	\$15	Bodegas Valdemar Rioja White Conde de Valdemar Finca Alto Cantabria 2011	97	91	\$27	Claude Riffault Sancerre Les Boucauds 2011
74	93	\$38	Iron Horse Brut Green Valley of Russian River Valley Classic Vintage 2007	98	94	\$90	Mollydooker Shiraz McLaren Vale Carnival of Love 2010
				99	90	\$22	Nobilo Pinot Noir Marlborough Icon 2010
				100	90	\$20	Donnachiara Aglianico Irpinia 2008