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Welcome to the 2024 Real Wine Fair!

The Real Wine Fair is an independent festival of natural growers and winemakers, comprising those who work organically and/or biodynamically and with few or zero interventions in the winery. That said, real wine is relative rather than an absolute or precise term and embodies a certain spirit of endeavour in the vineyard and the winery. We understand that each grower has a highly specific approach; we should celebrate those differences.

Real wines tend to be made in small quantities by artisan or independent producers who work without chemicals (which means no artificial fertilisers, pesticides or herbicides) in low-yielding vineyards and then vinify without artificial yeasts or enzymes, or recourse to acidification or other adjustments. Many are made with only tiny amounts of added sulphur and some with none at all. 'Nowt taken out and nowt put in', as the saying goes. The motivation is to rediscover the true flavour of wine by capturing the sense of place (terroir) and the very nature of the vintage.

These wines are individual, hand-crafted, thrilling and unpredictable. They remind us that wine can be a living thing rather than a denatured product and that less intervention means more real flavour.

This booklet contains details of hundreds of wines from many countries around the world presented by growers and winemakers who have stories to tell.

We hope you enjoy these wines as much as we do. And if you want to buy a bottle or several, or order something you have tasted at the fair there is a pop-up shop in the corner of the main hall!

And wine is only part of the Fair. Check out the artisan food on offer and grab a bite from one of the stalls or attend one of the fascinating Real Wine workshops.

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Great Gallery

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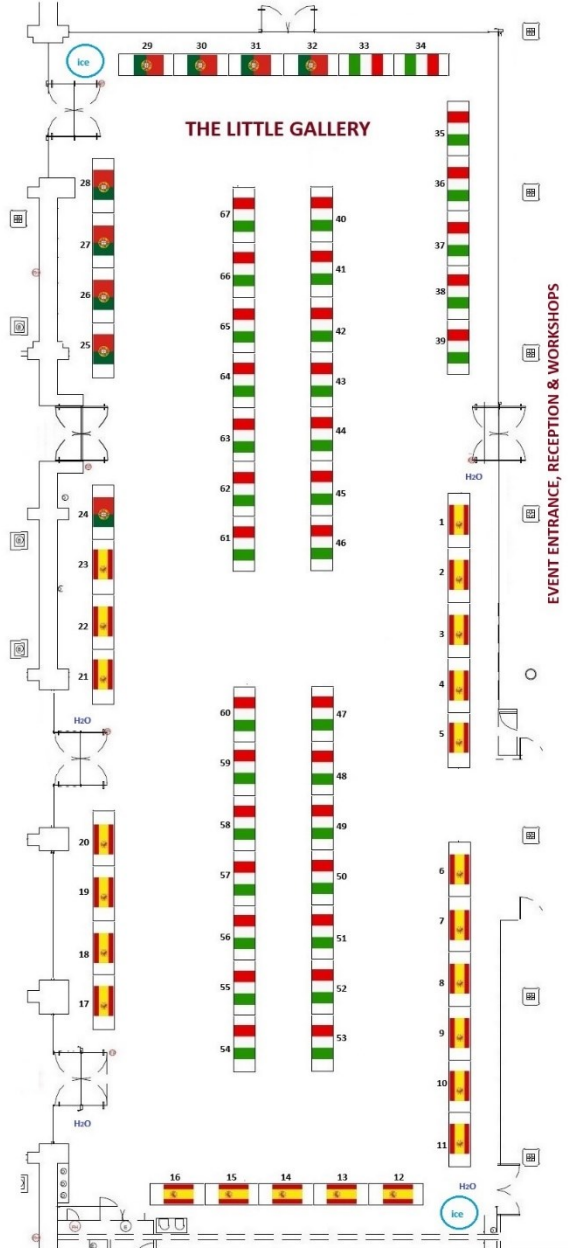
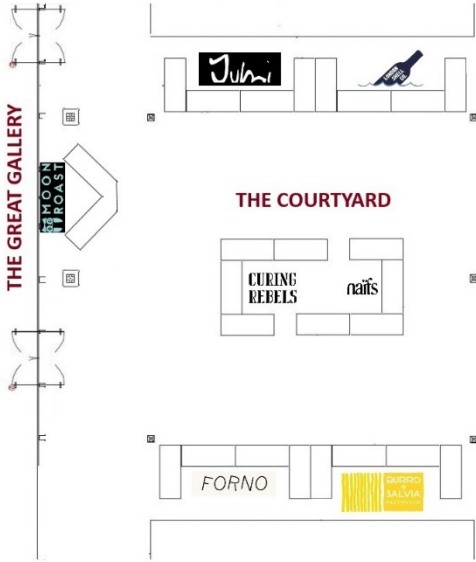
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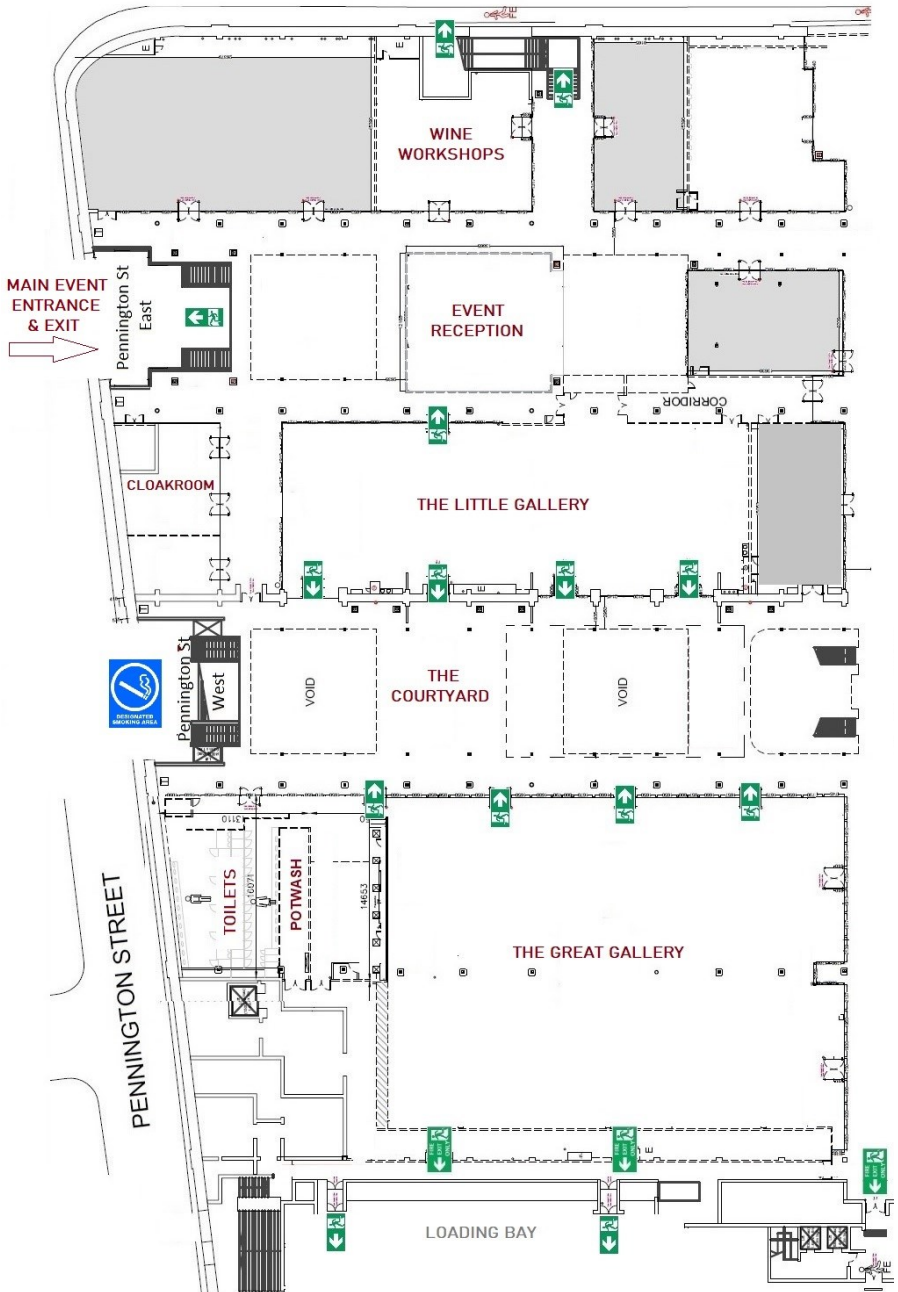
**In front of Wine Workshop room*

THE LITTLE GALLERY & COURTYARD



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The Real Wine Fair – The Partners

These are the people who, along with the winemakers, have helped make the fair happen. If you fancy finding out more about what they do, check out their websites.



Les Caves de Pyrène - lescaves.co.uk - Les Caves de Pyrène, a wine importer, distributor and agent, was founded in 1988. Initially it was four people, a battered van and a small handful of wines from South West France. Despite our subsequent growth, our philosophy remains the same as it did from the beginning: to source the best quality wines directly from the grower and the vineyard; that these wines should reflect where they come from (the expression of “terroir”); that these wines should be sustainable, with low intervention and preferably organic or biodynamic; that we not only sell these wines with energy and passion but provide the service that helps our customers to connect more effectively with their customers.



Modal Wines - modalwines.com - is an importer of small-batch, distinctive wines, grown and produced with love and respect, regardless of location. Modal scales in music sit outside the more common and ordinary major and minor scales – out of the many parallels between music and wine, this particular concept beautifully illustrates the aim at Modal Wines: to source unique wines with the right mix of edge, character, balance, and drinkability – at times surprising, but always thoroughly enjoyable. A deep-rooted respect for nature unites all the producers in their portfolio, the onus being on wines made with as little interference in the vineyards and cellar as possible.



Portuguese Story - portuguesestory.com - We are traders and story tellers who want to give a Portuguese narrative to the world, to change people’s perceptions and to bring the diversity and uniqueness of Portugal out. One of the ways we want people to engage is through the local and unique and characteristic quality products. Wine can be a strong ambassador of native character and for Portugal this could not be truer. Our vision is that by bringing wine to other markets we will help and encourage people to discover and value Portugal, and help Portugal find its true respected place in the modern world.



Roland Wines - rolandwines.co.uk - is an importer sourcing wine from a niche market with a clear mission. Find the heroes of Central and Eastern Europe - those producers - who are willing to conquer their land by growing grapes in a sustainable manner, respecting nature. Our vintners produce their own wines with the least intervention possible to make it a true reflection of their origin. We are proud to present what we believe Hungary, Slovakia, Slovenia and Croatia have to offer.



Provisions - provisionslondon.co.uk - Provisions collaborate with growers from the undervalued parts of France and Italy and also a few who are making their voice heard within the traditional regions of wine production. Many of these are eschewing their classification and this is often where the exciting winemaking is found. Nevertheless, their wines could not be more typical, even if they are unconventional. The list is small and producer-led. Most work organically and some with the lunar calendar at hand; but all work hard in the vineyard to ensure, above all, healthy grapes, so there's little need for more in the cellar...



Under the Bonnet - winesutb.com - was set up in January 2015 by two friends and fellow restaurateurs (Basile & Alex), to buy the kind of natural wines that they themselves like to drink in their favourite bars, restaurants and at home. These are wines from places close to their hearts, around Nantes, Angers and Saumur in the west of the Loire valley. The growers they work with operate simply, respecting their natural environment. To Basile and Alex, the people behind these bottles are just as important as the grapes themselves.



Indigo Wine - indigowine.com - is an importer and agent of unique and artisanal wines from around the world. They are proud to distribute these wines to the UK's best restaurants and independent retailers. They are best known for sourcing fresh and balanced wines from Spain, most notably from producers in lesser-known regions, who work with indigenous varieties. Over the years their portfolio has extended to include some real gems from Portugal, Austria, Italy, Australia, South Africa, Chile and beyond. They work hard to find talented growers who are committed to making real, honest and above all delicious wines.

Basket Press

Basket Press Wines - basketpresswines.com - is a London-based wine import and distribution company. Their focus is sourcing real, living wines from Central & Eastern Europe and they aim to work with and support smaller, unsung growers. This group of winemakers have dared to go back to traditional winemaking methods, which is to farm organically and allow the wines to follow their natural evolution in the cellar. Amongst them are the true pioneers, those who have paved the way for younger growers in their region to believe in themselves and go beyond the dogmatic approaches.

**OTROS
VINOS**

Otros Vinos – otrosvinos.co.uk – Otros Vinos represent a handful of winemakers from Spain and the south of France. All these producers work small vineyards, farm organically or biodynamically and practise as little intervention in the cellar as possible. They produce wines that absolutely shimmer with terroir and reflect the wonderful people that produce them.

DOGMA

Dogma – dogma.wine – Dogma was born in the basement of Black's Club in Soho in 2016, as a result of a conversation between Giuseppe Mascoli and Francesco Cali about indigenous yeasts. Seven years on the founders are still focussed on sourcing and importing purely artisanal wines, (for now only from Italy), which must be naturally fermented. This is their one and only "dogma". Some growers are biodynamic, others working organically and sustainably – and all relatively small operations with productions varying from 3,000 – 40,000 bottles per year.

The Catalogue

The catalogue is divided by countries and France and Italy are sub-divided into regions. For further information about any aspect of the Wine Fair please either consult our web-site therealwinefair.com or contact any of the partners who will be present on both days.

How the pricing works:

The prices quoted denote trade prices *exclusive* of VAT.

POA means that the wines may be available for trade distribution but are not available in the shop – please ask the agent/distributor for price and availability.

N/A means wine not currently represented in the UK.

The Real Wine Shop

The Real Wine Shop is located in the Great Gallery. It will be selling a selection of wines to take away by the bottle during fair days and will be able to process larger orders for later delivery.

To allow visitors to make the most of their experience at the fair, all orders placed in The Real Wine Fair Shop including those to retail customers, will be processed at trade price.

The shop also sells Real Wine Fair jute bags to take bottles away, as well as special edition merchandise. A small selection of books will be available also.

All major credit cards (except for Amex) are accepted.

EVENTS & WINE WORKSHOPS

As usual, over its two days, The Real Wine Fair will host a series of fascinating wine workshops given by experts in the trade. All will take place in the room next to reception. (Please ask at reception for details). No need to reserve.

Sunday 28th April

12.00– 13.00 - **A Question of Taste** - A discussion about the qualities that make for a great wine and whether we ought to use different descriptive criteria in wine assessment and what those might be. With author Alice Feiring and Doug Wregg– hosted by Christina Pickard (Wine Enthusiast Magazine). Two wines will be tasted.

14.00 – 15.00 – **Communicating About Wine** - Honey Spencer (author of Natural Wine No Drama) and Christina Rasmussen (co-founder of Little Wine) talk about their respective projects and their desire to enthuse and inform the trade and consumers about wine in general, and low intervention wine, in particular.

15.30 – 16.30- **Lisbon Wines - Making Waves, Leading The Way** - Four leading producers from Lisboa discuss the impact their region has had on Portugal's wine revolution in the last three decades. With Portuguese Story's Roman Gonitel, moderated by Ines Salpico, Regional Editor for Portugal for Decanter Magazine.

Monday 29th April

12.30 – 13.30 – **Wine Philosophy in Practice: Idea to Glass** - Christina Rasmussen in conversation with pioneering Alsatian vignerons Jean-Pierre Frick and Christian Binner. Exploring the interconnections of viticulture and the wine in the glass, as well as cultural perceptions and interpretations of wine.

14.00 – 15.00 - **Hybrid Love & Regenerative Farming** - Deirdre Heekin (La Garagista Farm and Winery, Vermont), Christina Pickard (The Wine Enthusiast) and Richard Woodfine (Woodfine Wines in Seer Green, Bucks) talk about whether hybrids can be the answer to climate change and how regenerative farming can help mitigate against environmental degradation. Hosted by Heidi Nam Knudsen, founder of @athousanddecisions.

Book signings

Will be held in front of the Wine Workshop room.

SPAIN

Hacienda Grimón, Oliváns Family

Region: Rioja Alta

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 1

With the aim of getting the best possible quality for their wines, the Oliváns family produce them from their own vineyards. The vines are not enriched with mineral chemical fertilisers, instead sheep manure composted down is used as in bygone days. Following this philosophy, no herbicides are used instead these are substituted with both manual and mechanical labour.

2023 Sauvignon Blanc £9.35

2022 Rioja Tempranillo £9.35

2022 Rioja No Me Tutees N/A

2021 Rioja Crianza £11.80

2021 Como Lo Haria Mi Abuelo £12.40

2020 Rioja Desvelo Graciano NA

2018 Rioja Reserva £17.55

Further notes

Alonso & Pedrajo Viticultores

Region: Cordovin, Rioja

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 2

A close and long-lasting friendship between two families who encouraged each other to embark on the dream journey of making their own wine. They chose the land, and in October 2013, undertook their first harvest. And they are proud of the results. Respect for the land, minimum intervention in cultivation, and gentle vinification techniques allow them to produce wines that are characterful and singular whilst never forgetting the origin of the grapes of the most western zone of Rioja at the foot of the Montes Obarenes.

2018 Suane Rioja Reserva Blanco £25.10

2019 Suane Rioja Reserva Rosado £25.10

2017 Suane Rioja Reserva Tinto £25.10

2019 La Pequeñita Rioja Malvasia Macerado £28.15

2019 La Pequeñita Rioja Maturana Macerado £28.15

Further notes

Viña Ilusión, Martin Alonso & Gloria Plaza Medina

Region: Rioja Baja

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 3

A project brought to life by Martin Alonso and Gloria Plaza in the Rioja Baja sub-zone of the region; the couple farm their 5-hectares with utmost care according to the Fukuoka (author of "One Straw Revolution") method. While it has been called "do nothing farming" for the lack of additions (neither chemical, nor organic fertiliser) and general outlook that healthy cultivation is more about long-term planning and careful observation than it is about attempting to micromanage and control agriculture.

2022 Rioja Ilusión Blanco	£9.75
2023 Rioja Ilusión Blanco	POA
2022 Rioja Ilusión Tinto	£9.75
2023 Rioja Ilusión Tinto ~ tank sample	POA
2022 Prana	£9.75
2023 Prana ~ tank sample	POA
2023 Garnacha Natural ~ tank sample	N/A

Further notes

Alfredo Maestro

Region: Ribera del Duero

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 4

Alfredo Maestro's vineyards are located within the Ribera del Duero DO, but Alfredo prefers not to participate in the DO, so the wines are labelled Vino de la Tierra de Castilla y León. His are completely natural wines, with no sulphur added in the vineyard or the winery. All vineyard treatments are natural, and many of them follow biodynamic practices.

2023 Lovamor Albillo £15.55

2019 Verdejo Kevri Blanco N/A

2023 Almate Joven £11.95

2022 El Ray del Glam N/A

2023 El Marciano £15.55

2020 Valdecastrillo Tinto £16.40

2022 La Cosa (The Thing) – 37.5 cl £12.70

Further notes

Comando G, Dani Landi & Fernando Garcia

Region: Sierra de Gredos

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 5

Comando G started in 2008 as a collaboration between Daniel Gomez Jimenez-Landi and Fernando Garcia who were working in separate wineries in the region of Gredos. They now focus their project on vineyards in four villages which they farm organically with some biodynamic methods. The vines are old Garnacha bush vines and grow at high altitude (many over 1000m) on different types of rocky granitic soils. In the cellar, the gentlest intervention and extraction to ensure the maximum expression of old vines Garnacha from the unique terroirs they cultivate.

2022 Navatalgordo	£31.90
2022 Rozas	£31.90
2022 Villanueva	£31.90
2021 Las Iruelas	£104.35

The book *Calicata ~ Gredos as Terroir* is available to buy in The Real Wine Shop

Further notes

Bodegas Mengoba, Gregory Pérez

Region: Bierzo

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 6

Winemaker Gregory Pérez takes great pride in the artisanal work conducted in the vineyard and dedicates all his energy and passion in to respecting and sustaining the winery, highlighting the personality of each terroir and contributing to the production of original natural wines. Only native grape varieties are used as they are better adapted to the vineyard environment, herbicides are prohibited, and any treatments conducted are proportionate to the threat of each disease or pest – lower doses provide a gentler treatment for the vineyard, ensuring its health and survival. Gregory only uses traditional methods when making the wine believing that only these are capable of reflecting the terroir. Yeast specific to each vineyard ensures a diversity of flavours and personality for each wine. By respecting the origin of the grape, an authentic wine is created.

2023 Brezo Bierzo Blanco	£11.85
2022 Bierzo Godello Viejo Sobre Lias	£16.00
2022 Brezo Tinto	£9.80
2021 Mengoba Bierzo Tinto	£15.95
2020 Espanillo Bierzo Tinto	£22.80
2022 Estaladiña Tinto	£36.50
2020 Las Botas	N/A
2020 Las Tinajas	N/A

Dominio del Urogallo, Fran Asencio

Region: Cangas del Narcea, Asturias

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 7

Although Dominio del Urogallo currently does not use the Calidad de Cangas label, it is, in fact, within the region and a driving force in raising the overall quality. Fran Asencio is the man behind Dominio del Urogallo, fascinated to work with old vines, steep slopes, complex soils and cooler climate. He now has about fourteen hectares of vines, which he brought to health through organic and biodynamic farming and restored structurally by back-breaking manual labour. He is striving to create a forum for the voice of Cangas to speak. This means using the local varieties, fermenting with indigenous yeast and making the wine with as little manipulation and intervention as possible. Mencía, Albarín Tinto, Albarín Blanco, Carrasquín, Verdejo Tinto (Trousseau) and a host of autochthonous varieties are planted on slate, quartz and anthracite.

2022 Urogallo BL	N/A
2021 Urogallo AB-AL	£14.50
2020 Urogallo 100 AB 100	£19.75
2022 Urogallo MN	N/A
2021 Urogallo AT-VN-MN	£13.00
2020 Urogallo Field Blend	£18.25

Adegas Guímaro, Pedro Rodríguez

Region: Amandi, Ribeira Sacra, Galicia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 8

The Guímaro family own 9 ha and lease a further 14 ha in the Amandi area of the Ribeira Sacra region. Prior to the establishment of the adega in 1991, Pedro's family produced small quantities of wine for their own consumption and sold their wine in garrafones (20L glass containers) to local cantinas. Luis Buitrón, an oenologist from León was instrumental in the creation of the Ribeira Sacra DO and helped the Rodríguez family begin their estate-bottling their wines. Guímaro was one of the first adegas to join the appellation in 1996. The vineyards are farmed organically, and vinification uses wild yeast fermentations, foot-treading and low sulphur usage, in general handling of the grapes and production is deliberately and meaningfully 'old-fashioned'.

2022 Blanco	£14.50
2023 Blanco	POA
2022 Cepas Viejas	£21.30
2022 Tinto Joven	£12.25
2023 Tinto Joven	£12.25
2021 Camiño Real Tinto	£16.05
2021 A Ponte Tinto	N/A
2020 Mundin Tinto	N/A
2021 Finca Meixeman Tinto	£21.25

Further notes

Vinos Bio Pedro Olivares

Region: Murcia, Levante

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 9

This project in Murcia, is coordinated by Pedro Olivares and aims to develop organic natural wines from Bobal, Monastrell and Garnacha from vines between 50-80 years of age in different zones within the region of Murcia. Whilst all their vineyards are at high altitude, they have also planted the highest vineyard in Europe at 1700 metres above sea level with the aim of producing white and sparkling wines, late harvest wines & even ice wines! Pedro writes: "This can only be achieved through dedication and effort. On each foot of land we lay our heart and soul, whilst at the same time without renouncing the standards that characterise our work, an exceptionally personal viewpoint which is founded on the principles of biodynamic agriculture. Indeed, we have taken this one step further, and have coined the phrase 'multi-dynamic agriculture'."

2022 1 Blanc d'Argila ~ Muscat	£14.40
2022 2 Arcal Blanco	£17.95
2019 Bobastrell, Bullas-Utiel	£14.15
2019 Monastrell Serie Wild, Bullas	£13.80
2020 Bobal, Serie Wild	£15.10
2022 Molinera	£14.15
2021 Demorado Dulce ~ 50 cl	£22.05
2022 Chemic Sweet Wine ~ 50 cl	N/A

Casa Balaguer, Andrés Carull & Marta Ribera

Region: Alicante, Levante

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 10

Since 2007, husband and wife team Andrés Carull and Marta Ribera have been making low intervention wines out of a small warehouse in an old industrial estate in the town of Villena, Alicante. This humble start has since grown and developed into a fascinating range of natural, unspoilt wines made at the newly refurbished 18th century Casa Balaguer. The project today combines Mediterranean white wines from the stunning Parque Natural de la Mata, (Moscatel and Malvasia with a marked saline quality) and a range of more continental red wines from native varieties grown at over 650m above sea level (Monastrell, Alicante Bouschet, Rojal, Valensi, Garnacha Peluda to name a few). Organically produced and biodynamically farmed the Casa Balaguer range offers the best of both sides of Spain's Levante region; Mediterranean freshness and continental intensity made with minimum intervention and the utmost respect for nature.

2023 Tragolargo Blanco	£13.60
2022 El Carro de la Mata	£18.15
2022 Salicornio Malvasia	£14.30
2023 Salicornio Moscatel	£14.80
2021 Benimaquía Tinajas	£22.70
2022 El Rosado del Padilla	£14.30
2022 Tragolargo Monastrell	£9.95
2021 La Casica del Abuelo	N/A
2020 La Rambla del Peligrés	£14.05
2021 Tomatierra Cabernet Franc	£12.15

Jordi Lorens/Can Vi,**Region:** Conca de Barberà, Catalunya**Agent/Distributor:** Otros Vinos**Table: 11**

Based in the Mediterranean hills of Conca de Barberà in southern Catalunya, Jordi Lorens farms around fifteen hectares of family vines. In 2020, with his partner Cristina they began putting their wines in cans under the project name CAN-VI.

2021 Ancestral de Cristina	£14.50
2021 Fa Serè	£13.90
2021 Blan 5-7	£13.25
2021 Blanc d'Anzera	£14.55
2021 Si Si Macabeu	£14.35
2022 Blankaforti	£15.10
2021 Tosut	£13.70
2022 Can-Vi Ancestral Blanc	£4.05
2022 Can-Vi Ancestral Rosat	£4.05
2022 Can-Vi Blanc	£3.95
2018 Can-Vi Rosat	£3.95
2022 Can-Vi Negre	£3.95

Loxarel, Mitjans Family

Region: Penedès

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 12

For more than four generations, the most important thing for the Mitjans family, located in Vilobi del Penedès 50 kms west of Barcelona and some 600 metres above sea level, has been the care of their vineyards with the aim of achieving the best quality for their wines and sparkling wines. The name Loxarel is an inversion of the variety they seek, perfect Xarel-lo. The actual estate is called Masia Can Mayol. Now a new ethos has crept into the process, one that works on biodynamic lines and incorporates as much nature as possible in the winemaking process, down to using goats to de-leaf the vines. The estate has a strong line in Cava production, producing one cuvée that is laid sur latte for 10 years. It is not even disgorged, which makes for a fascinating wine, and one which everyone should taste if possible.

2022 Cora	£11.10
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2022 Ops Garnacha	£14.80
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2022 A Pèl Ancestral Pet Nat	£17.65
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Further notes

Bufadors, Ton Mata

Region : Alt Penedès

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 13

Bufadors is a family-owned sparkling wine project to produce wines of precision, delicacy and terroir from 3.5 ha of organic and biodynamic vines on limestone soils. The wines are all about the grapes. Second fermentation in the bottle is done with must from the same vineyard and vintage. No filtration, no stabilisation, no clarification, no sulphites, no fining agents and no commercial yeasts. The wines undergo exceedingly long ageing – from 30 months up to 60 on the lees under natural cork stopper and then are disgorged by hand.

2019 Les Voranès Corpinnat Brut Nature £25.10

2018 Vinya del Rascara Corpinnat Brut Nature £40.75

Further notes

Recaredo, Joseph & Antoni Mata Casanovas

Region : Alt Penedès

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 14

Recaredo is currently managed by Josep and Antoni Mata Casanovas, the sons of its founder who seek to ensure the natural balance of the vine, aiming to achieve the best expression of every individual vintage. Viticulture is based on dry farming with grapes harvested by hand. They prioritise respect for biodiversity and the environment: cultivating vines without using herbicides or insecticides and only employing natural organic fertilisers. The sparkling wines hold their own when compared to any in the world – all are gran reserva with the traditional fermentation in bottle and aged on the lees for years (and years and years) beforehand disgorgement without dosage.

2019 Corpinnat Brut Nature « Terrers » £24.95

2019 Corpinnat Brut Nature « Subtil » £37.30

2018 Corpinnat Brut Nature “Serral del Vell” £39.30

2020 Corpinnat Intens Rosat £29.25

Further notes

Celler Credo, Joseph & Antoni Mata Casanovas

Region : Alt Penedès

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 14

Celler Credo is Recaredo's still white wine project primarily based on the Mediterranean variety Xarel-lo. Aged on the lees and macerated with the grape skin or stems, the wines are made using techniques learnt from past generations. One of the core values is a commitment to share the essence of their origins in Alt Penedès, of the small, distinct vineyards, 8 hectares which are worked in a biodynamic way. For them, biodynamic agriculture is a way to align land, climate and people to reveal their deeper nature.

2022 Miranius £12.70

2020 Aloers £16.45

2023 Vi-D-Re £23.10

Further notes

Celler Batlliu de Sort

Region : Borda de Cebria, Costers del Segre

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 15

Celler Batlliu de Sort produces quality wines in the mountains in Sort, Pallars Sobirà – Pyrenees. The winery is located in gently rolling meadows, surrounded by forests of oak and maple trees, at the foot of the Parc Nacional d'Aigüestortes Sant Maurici and the Parc Natural de l'Alt Pirineu, and has a bird's eye view of Sort and the Noguera Pallaresa river which crosses the valley from north to south. The vines are planted at an altitude of 800m – 1000m and are surrounded by mountains that reach 2900m. The grape varieties are mainly Pinot Noir, Riesling and Viognier, but there are also some small experimental plantations of other grapes. They work with complete respect for the environment, using only those products allowed in organic farming, but the wines, as a matter of philosophy, are not certified. The harvest is done manually, and the fermentation and aging of wines take place in stainless steel tanks with minimum intervention and with (or occasionally without) extremely low levels of sulphur, to enable them to produce wines that represent most accurately the area in which they are conceived.

2019 Biu de Sort Finca de Borda	£15.50
2021 Carinyet Rosat	N/A
2022 Biu de Sort Negre Finca Barrero	£16.20
2020 Nero de Sort Pinot Noir	£19.35
2022 Salvavides	N/A
2022 Pantigana	N/A
2022 Montorroio Tinto	N/A
2023 Aulesa Pet Nat	N/A

Celler Comunica, Pep Aguilar & Patri Morillo

Region: Montsant, Catalunya

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 16

At Celler Comunica, they make wines they like the way they like to make them: honest wines, made from vineyards on granitic soils. Their wines are filled with refreshing notes, vivacity and are a clean and pure expressions of the land. These Montsant wines are vibrant, tasty and full of texture, made with Grenache, Carignan and Syrah grapes. You will not find their wines to be artificially done up or masked. Nothing will change the wine's character. The wines illustrate the grapes' origin, which is the unique estate known as Mas d'en Cosme.

2021 La Pua Blanco £14.45

2020 Germinal Blanco N/A

2022 "Vi del Mas" £11.35

2021 Suc de Saulo £14.45

2020 "Gris Granit" N/A

Further notes

Hodgkinson, Hodgkinson Family

Region: Priorat, Catalunya

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 17

In 2014, Peter and his three sons, Luca, David and Caspar decided to initiate a family project. The idea being, with the use of the family vineyards, was to create a new and fresh interpretation of Priorat DOQ. Mas del Habanero is situated at 450m above sea level in the Mediterranean influenced area of the Priorat, called Los Massos, between Falset and Gratallops. The mixture of dry afternoon breezes and cool nights in the summer keeps their grapes in perfect health. The soil varies from terrace to terrace but is always mixed with the characteristic slate of the Priorat, the Licorella. The wines are made exclusively with estate grown grapes and in accordance with organic viticultural practices.

2022 Las Panzudas £19.05

2018 Mas del Habanero £24.40

2019 Garnacha Peluda £35.95

2019 Cariñena £42.55

Further notes

Partida Creus, Massimo Marchiori & Antonella Gerona

Region: Bonastre, Baix Penedès

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 18

Partida Creus is a small traditional winery in Bonastre run by Antonella and Massimo, two Italian architects who moved to the region in 2007 in search of a slower life. Wines are made from ancient varieties typical of the area, most of them from abandoned vineyards that they have discovered and revived. They farm organically and wines are made naturally, fermented with their own native yeasts, nothing added, no filtration or fining, allowing the wines to express their variety and the terroir.

2022 VN Vinel.lo Blanco	£15.40
2022 SP Subirat Parent Blanco	£16.00
2022 SK Moscatel Blanco	£20.55
2023 XL Xarel.lo Blanco	POA
2023 CL Clarete	POA
2022 VN Vinel.lo Tinto	£15.55
2021 GT Garrut Tinto	£19.80
2021 BB Bobal Tinto	£18.30
2022 TP Trepal Tinto	£20.85
2021 MUZ Vermut Natural	£19.55

Further notes

Jugo Vins, Charlie Prymaka

Region: Mallorca, Islas Baleares

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 19

Ex-Les Caves rep Charlie Prymaka has worked in wine for over a decade from NYC to London, but twice a year Charlie packed up and did a vintage somewhere. After vintages in the US, Australia and Spain; he settled in Mallorca and made some wines in collaboration with Cati Ribot. Working with organically farmed young vines of indigenous varieties, as well as older Sirah and Moscatell, the aim is to produce light glou-glou wines with no additions that can be drunk whenever and wherever!

2023 Do It Fluid	£16.80
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2023 Jugosa Negre	£16.80
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Further notes

Bodegas Galmés I Ribot, Cati Ribot, Mallorca

Region: Mallorca, Islas Baleares

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 20

Cati Ribot is a third generation viñador working 13 ha of organic certified vineyards (using some biodynamic methods). She wants to focus on local varieties and years ago planted an experimental vineyard with Escursac, Argamussa, Giro Negre, Vinater and Callet Negrella. As a result of this research they grubbed up international varieties and regrafted to several local ones.

2023 Bosquet Rosado Pet Nat £16.90

2022 Son Llebre Blanc £17.25

2022 Malvasia £19.95

2022 Escursac £17.80

2021 Son Llebre Negre £16.75

2022 Cambuix Rosat ~ 1 litre £18.80

Further notes

Alvear, Tres Miradas

Region: Montilla Mirales, Andalucía

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 21

The Tres Miradas range of wines from Alvear (the oldest winery in Andalucía) offers a fascinating insight into the different terroirs of Montilla. Pedro Ximenez is the local noble grape variety of the region. The organically farmed vineyards are located on calcareous soils, comprising albariza (limestone and permeable soil with low productivity) where the longest lived wines are made, and ruedos, reddish soils due to the presence of iron mineral salts. Albariza is the driver, however, but the differences in altitude, aspect and the varying use of tinajas in elevage, serve to accentuate the uniqueness of the wines. All are unfortified, all are marked by the element of flor.

2021 Vino de Pueblo £12.50

2020 Ladera de Benavente £15.90

2019 Paraje de Rio Frio Alto £19.20

2020 Cerro Franco £24.65

2020 Cerro Macho £24.65

Further notes

Samuel Párraga, Granada & Malaga

Region: Andalucía

Agent/Distributor: Otros Vinos

Table: 22

Farming a handful of mostly high-altitude plots between Malaga and Granada, Samuel is producing terroir-expressive wines of utmost purity.

2022 Rapagón £12.60

2021 0719 Tinajuelas £19.05

2021 0445 Morisco £15.50

2021 1043 Rome £15.50

2021 Flor Tinaja £16.90

2020 Blanco Flor £30.45

2021 0981 Blanco POA

2020/21 Dulce £17.20

Bodegas Cota 45, Ramiro Ibáñez Espinar

Region: Sanlúcar di Barrameda, Andalucía

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 23

Bodegas Cota 45 is a small winery owned by Ramiro Ibanez Espinar and María Rosa Macías Peña. Founded in 2012, located in the small town of Sanlúcar, the winery is dedicated to research into viticulture, geology (in particular, mapping the variety of different albariza soils), history and the human element that brings everything together and immerses these factors in the final wines themselves.

2022 UBE Paganilla	£19.00
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2022 UBE Miraflores	£19.00
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2022 UBE Miraflores Alta	POA
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2020 UBE Carrascal	£42.50
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2020 Agostado Palo Cortado	£42.50
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2021 Pandorga PX ~ 37.5cl	£31.45
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Further notes

PORTUGAL

Aphros Wine, Vasco Croft

Region: Vinho Verde

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 24

Aphros winery is the brainchild of Lisbon architect Vasco Croft who decided to explore his passion for wine in the Vinho Verde Region. Interested in Steiner's philosophy since childhood he follows the path of biodynamics, introducing mountain horses, sheep, bees and special water cascades as part of the farm life and treating the vines with plant extracts. The wines are based on local varieties Loureiro and Vinhão and have achieved worldwide recognition. In 2015, Vasco opened two new cellars; one contemporary cellar dedicated to the classical range of wines and a medieval cellar for the production of artisanal wines in amphorae without the use of electricity.

2022 Vinho Verde Loureiro Branco	£13.35
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2021 Melissae Vinho Verde Branco	N/A
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2021 Vinhão Vinho Verde Tinto	£14.60
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2022 Phaunus Pet Nat Rosé	£16.95
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2022 Phaunus Loureiro	£18.75
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2022 Phaunus Palhete	N/A
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Further notes

Antonio Pereira Vineyards, Tinto Bom

Region: Vinho Verde

Agent/Distributor : Portuguese Story

Table : 25

Antonio Pereira vineyards are located on the right bank of the Tamega River in Vinho Verde region. The vines are 50-years-old on average, planted on schist and granitic soils on gentle terraces leading down the river. Viticulture is organic with minimal intervention in the winery. Both white and red wines are allowed to referment in bottle and keep the natural fine fizz typical of Vinho Verde.

2022 Duas Vinhas Branco	£10.70
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2019 Tinto Bom ~ Vinhão	£10.10
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2020 Tinto Bom Licoroso	£16.00
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Further notes

VINIBIO

Region: Vinho Verde

Agent/Distributor: Portuguese Story

Table: 26

VINIBIO is a collaborative project of 4 organic and biodynamic growers in the south of the Vinho Verde region. This part of the region enjoys a relatively warm sub climate and draws on minerally rich soils of schist and granite. Driven by the passion for good wine, their land, sustainability and respect for nature and the consumers, the collective combine their harvests to produce high quality wines as well as producing some wines from single estates. MICA is named after the mineral rich in the soils of all the vineyards.

2022 Quinta da Palmirinha Loureiro £12.60

2022 Quinta da Palmirinha Azal £12.60

2022 Quinta Cova da Raposa Avesso £11.80

2022 Quinta Cova da Raposa Alvariño £12.90

2012 Quinta Cova da Raposa Alvariño £13.70

2019 Quinta da Palmirinha Branco £12.60

Further notes

Vale da Capucha – Adega & Enoturismo, Pedro Marques

Region: Lisboa

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 27

From the humid maritime climate of Lisboa (about 10km from the ocean) Pedro Marques makes brilliant value organically-grown white wines showcasing indigenous grape varieties such as Arinto, Antao Vaz, Ferñao Pires, Alvariño, Gouveio and Verdehlo on clay-limestone soils with a high shell content.

2018 Branco Blend	£16.40
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2018 Alvarão “Cedro”	£22.40
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2019 Arinto	£21.45
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2019 Palhete	£14.80
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Further notes

Cruz and Teles, Tiago Teles

Region: Lisboa

Agent/Distributor: Portuguese Story

Table: 28

A partnership between Tiago Teles (Gilda, RAIZ) and António Marques-da-Cruz (Quinta da Serradinha), started in 2015. Pioneers in the introduction of organic agriculture and the new concepts of pruning and soil fertilization in Serra de Montejunto, they initiated an important transformation of practices and mentalities in mountain viticulture. They work six historic vineyards of the autochthonous white variety Vital as well as some Arinto and Castelão, developing detailed viticulture and heritage conservation. In addition to the recovery of life in the soils and the return of biodiversity, the work includes the recovery of the genetic heritage of vineyards and ancient Portuguese grape varieties.

2022 Cozs Pop White	£13.60
2020 Cozs VP Vital	£18.35
2022 Cozs Pop Red	£13.60
2020 Cozs VM Castelão	£15.70
2022 Cozs VP-Vital	£16.00
2022 Cozs VO-Vital	£16.00
2022 Raiz White	£14.50
2022 Raiz Red	£15.00
2022 Gilda (Bairrada)	£13.70

Further notes

Quinta do Montalto, Gomes Perreira Family

Region: Lisboa & Beiras

Agent/Distributor: Portuguese Story

Table: 29

Quinta do Montalto is an organic farm in the principality of Ourém. Tended by Gomes Pereira family for five generations it includes vineyards, orchards and forests. Certified organic for over 20 years, no synthetic chemicals have touched the land since the last century. Soils of chalk and clay with excellent sun exposure. Mostly indigenous regional grapes with Aragonez and Ferñao Pires being predominant. They experiment with traditional methods to make authentic wines in limited quantities.

2022 Vinha da Malhada Sparkling Brut	£12.40
2021 Cluricaun Pet Nat Siria	£11.30
2022 Cluricaun White Siria	£8.10
2023 Vinha da Malhada Rosé	£8.90
2022 Cluricaun Skin	£9.60
2019 Cepa Pura Ferñao Pires Unfiltered	£11.40
2021 Anfora do Baco White	£12.25
2021 Cluricaun Red	£8.10
2021 Cluricaun Red Dorna	£9.60
2022 Anfora do Baco Red	£12.25
2023 Filas White ~ 3-litre BIB	£25.00
2023 Filas Red ~ 3-litre BIB	£25.00

Further notes

Quinta do Olival da Murta, Da Murta

Region: Lisboa

Agent/Distributor: Portuguese Story

Table: 30

Quinta do Olival da Murta is a vibrant new family-run project built on traditional agricultura philosophy with an outlook toward natural winemaking, indigenous resources and experimental curiosity. The climate is influenced by the Atlantic and the proximity of Serra de Montejunto with limestone soils. Minimum intervention and fermentation from whole-berries, all wines are made on skins, including the whites. They create aromatic red wines, rich in tannins and with great capacity to age in bottle, and freshly delicious complex and balanced whites.

2022 Serra Oca Moscatel Graúdo £15.30

2022 Serra Oca White £15.30

2018 Serra Oca Red £15.80

2022 Serra Oca Tinta Roriz £15.30

2021 Serra Oca Castelão £15.30

Further notes

Uncondemned, Luis Sousa

Region: Ourem, Lisboa & Pinhel

Agent/Distributor: Portuguese Story

Table: 31

This part of Portugal has a wealth of incredibly old vineyards (many vines are over 100 years-old) with very small production “for the family” and collaborative wine projects. As a result, these vines are saved – not condemned. A unique resource with very developed vines, often planted in an old medieval order, with mixtures of grapes very typical and sometimes forgotten in the regions. Vinification is done with minimal intervention and with traditional techniques, like red and white co-fermentation. Uncondemned are currently working in two regions – near Ourem, north of Lisbon and Pinhel in extreme north east of Portugal.

2021 Uncondemned White Ourem	£10.60
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2021 Uncondemned Red Ourem	£10.60
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2021 Uncondemned White Pinhel	£10.60
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2021 Uncondemned Red Pinhel	£10.60
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Further notes

Casa da Mouraz, António Ribeiro & Sara Dionisio

Region: Dão

Agent/Distributor : Modal Wines

Table : 32

Casa da Mouraz was created by António Ribeiro and Sara Dionisio, who left their jobs in Lisbon and immersed themselves in what has become a family adventure, a version of sustainable viticulture and authentic winemaking. Antonio's family has been farming in Mouraz in a holistic and ecological way for several generations, a process that turned into biodynamics in 2006. In the cellar, vinifications are usually done according to the vineyard (and these planted to multiple varieties), seeking the essential message of each terroir.

2023 Pita Nat £15.95

2021 Vinho Verde Branco £12.50

2022 Dão Branco £12.75

2021 Chibu £14.20

2020 Nina £16.00

2021 Bolinha POA

Further notes

ITALY – PIEMONTE

Scarzello Giorgio e Figli

Region: Barolo, Alba & Sinio, Piemonte

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 33

Run by husband-and-wife team, Federico and Federica, Scarzello is a small, family-run winery in the hills of Barolo. The estate comprises several parcels of vines spanning Barolo, Alba and Sinio, with around half of the family's six hectares located in the iconic Samassa cru. For the last 100 years or so the Scarzello family been involved in the cultivation of grapes and the tending of vineyards. Since 2000, Federico has been directly involved with attention primarily focused on the protection of the soils and the vines, through the adoption of biological treatments. In spring 2020, Federico tentatively began to explore biodynamics, with curiosity he tried out various preparations and practices – this is an experiment which is ongoing.

2021 Barbera d'Alba Superiore	N/A
2021 Langhe Nebbiolo	£18.45
2019 Barolo del Comune di Barolo DOCG	£39.95
2019 Barolo "Sarmassa" Vigna Marenda	£56.60

Further notes

Principiano Ferdinando

Region: Alta Langhe, Piemonte

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 34

Located on the southern fringe of the Barolo zone, the Principiano estate benefits from the biodiversity of the Alta Langhe; the wilderness that lies beyond the dense planting of the Nebbiolo vineyards which helps maintain a biodiverse balance in the vineyard. Ferdinando passionately believes that wines from the Langhe should reflect the place they come from, rather than taking on an international style and his wine making uses traditional methods such as no use of chemicals in the vineyards or the cellar.

2022 Langhe Bianco Timorasso £16.00

2023 Dosset Vino Rosso £11.35

2022 Langhe Nebbiolo £15.05

2020 Barolo di Serralunga DOCG £27.50

2020 Barolo Ravera £35.85

Further notes

Az. Agr. Ezio Trincherò

Region: Agliano Terme, Asti & Monferrato, Piemonte

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 35

The Trincherò cousins make one of the longest-lived and most profound examples of Barbera to be found in all of Italy. They believe that the underrated Barbera grape is a variety capable of producing wines of profound complexity and serious longevity, if cultivated from old vines in top sites and vinified to allow graceful evolution in bottle. With this in mind, the Trincheròs farm all of their vines organically and are extremely meticulous with their viticulture. Ezio Trincherò is a close friend of Giampiero Bea of Paolo Bea in Montefalco, and the wines of both estates share a similar style and rustic soulfulness.

2020 Barbera d'Asti Superiore "Bricco delle Noce" £17.65

2016 Barbera d'Asti "Vigna del Noce" POA

Further notes

Az. Agr. Vittorio Bera & Figli, Alessandra Bera

Region: Canelli, Asti, Piemonte

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 36

The Artesana hills are lean and mean hills but wonderfully suitable for the production of quality wines. According to ancient chronicles “the greatest fruit of these lands is its wine, dainty and perfect.” In 1758, forefather Giovanni Battista Bera acquired some vineyards in Canelli that belonged to the sovereign of Malta, who then transferred them into a family run estate. Since then, they have continued to cultivate that same estate and to vinify the same grapes that have always been grown. This sense of continuity has led to the choice of becoming organic in 1964 and has become their true philosophy in life. Nowadays, the ten hectares of land are in the heart of the classic Moscato d’Asti producing area. The vines are cultivated with the most stringent organic methods and are certified by ICEA. The “naturalness” that is adopted in the vineyard is then pursued in the wine cellar as well. Wines are vinified according to traditional methods and any modern “interventionist” ideas such as the use of selected yeasts, enzymes, and various chemical treatments are rejected.

2021 Arcese Vivace £12.90

2023 Moscato Canelli DOCG £14.25

2021 Barbera “Le Verrane” Vivace £14.35

2020 Sarvanet £15.25

2007 Bianchduset £28.75

Further notes

Cascina Iuli, Fabrizio Iuli

Region: Cerrino Monferrato, Piemonte

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 37

Iuli is located in a small little town called Montaldo in the somewhat undiscovered region of Monferrato in Piedmont. The population of Montaldo is 110 people and counting... very slowly. In addition to the mixed and poor soil type in the vineyards (which helps the strength and vigour of the vines), there is, importantly, a vein of limestone that runs directly through the property – giving an amazing acidity and special character to the wines. Fabrizio Iuli interferes as little as possible with the natural process of fermentation and ageing, uses natural yeasts, and does not fine or filter the wines. In recent years, he has been reviving rare indigenous grapes such as Slarina, Grignolino and Baratuciat.

2021 Barat	N/A
2022 Umberta Vino Rosso	£11.95
2020 Rossore	£15.85
2021 "Nino"	£19.75
2022 La Rina Slarina	£14.85
2022 Ta Da!	£17.95
2020 Malidea	£18.55

Az. Agr. Summer Wolff, Cerrino Monferrato, Piemonte

Region: Cerrino Monferrato, Piemonte

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 37

Watching, working with and growing a winery together with her husband Fabrizio Iuli, gave Summer Wolff inspiration and motivation to learn about the stories, struggles and accomplishments of small natural vigneroni across Europe. She homed in on what made her palate tick and with a little nudge from her other half, embarked on making her own wines. She has two hectares of land in the same valley as her husband's winery and rents old vineyards of Freisa Piccola.

2022 Vino Rosso GioGio Freisa	£14.95
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Valli Unite

Region: Montale Celli, Piemonte

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 38

A renowned agricultural workers' co-operative built on collective hard work and strong ideals. Organic farming was naturally chosen as the means to protect the environment and safeguard health. They ventured into natural winemaking in 2006 and by 2013 were working entirely with spontaneous fermentations and no additions other than a small quantity of sulphites.

2022 Ottavio Rube Bianco £11.75

2022 Terragno Bianco N/A

2022 Derthona Timorasso N/A

2022 Ottavio Rube Rosso £11.25

2022 Alessandrino Rosso £11.75

2021 Marmote Rosso £14.55

Further notes

Le Marne de Carraro Federica

Region: Parodi Ligure, Alessandria, Piemonte

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 39

A family project of vigneron Federica Carraro and Luigi Grosso. The name of the estate derives from the white calcareous soils typical of the Oltregiogo Ligure. The winery is located 330m above sea level, and the estate is managed by the family according to organic procedures, looking for the harmonious balance between human activity and the expression of the territory. Production is respectful of the ecosystem and biodiversity with the aim of creating fresh and authentic products.

2022 Le Marne Gavi £11.70

2019 Le Marne Gavi "Oro" £12.80

2019 Le Marne Nero Dolcetto Ovada N/A

Further notes

Tenuta Grillo & Il Tufiello, Guido & Igiea Zampaglione

Region: Piemonte & Campania

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 40

Owned by the Zampaglione clan, Tenuta Grillo estate spreads over 32 hectares of which 17 are dedicated to the vineyard in Monferrato region. The production is based on low yields, scrupulous selection of the grapes, respect for nature and traditions. The wines reflect the naturalness and the characteristics of the land, the vines and the year. All the wines have long macerations and undergo ageing in a variety of vessels. Sanguine natural wines with a taste of the country. Il Tufiello comprises 2.5ha (6200 vines). The family decided to return to their roots in Calitri (Avellino) to create a true expression of the Fiano grape. The production is based on low yields, scrupulous selection of the grapes, respect for nature and traditions. The wines reflect the naturalness and the characteristics of the land, the vines and the year. This undergoes a maceration on its skins to acquire beautiful phenolics.

2014 Baccabianca £22.65

2005 Pecoranera £22.95

2019 Il Tufiello Sancho Panza (Fiano from Avellino) £23.40

Further notes

LIGURIA

La Ricolla, Daniele Parma

Region: Liguria

Agent/Distributor: Dogma Wines

Table : 41

Recovery of history, study and research on the principles of biodynamics are the values that allow Daniele to attain wines with a clearly recognisable identity, perfectly corresponding to the culture and geography of these territories. Respect for the earth in its cycle linked to the cosmic forces, the observation of the air, and listening to the vitality of the land, converge harmoniously in the work in the cellar that echoes ancient methods, in which time is the decisive element of the creation of wines that are the natural extension of the story of these lands.

2022 Kin(g)tanino White £16.35

2022 Kin(g)tanino Red £16.35

2022 Perdaniel Fu**ing Bubbles £15.26

2021 Berette Vermentino £23.35

2021 Óua Vermentino POA

2021 Ninte da Ninte POA

2021 Orcio Più POA

VENETO

Monte dall' Ora, Carlo Venturini & Alesandra Zantedeschi

Region: Veneto

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 42

When Carlo Venturini and Alesandra Zantedeschi discovered Monte Dall'Ora it was love at first sight. The children of farmers they have inherited the tenacity to work and to love the land. Biodynamic agriculture is practiced; biodiversity is encouraged by planting herbs such as rosemary and lavender in the summer to attract bees and sowing cereals in the winter whose roots move and aerate the soil. Additionally they have grown once-forgotten varieties of grapes wherever possible to give originality and typical wines.

2022 Valpolicella Classico "Saseti" £15.65

2021 Vino Disobbediente – 1 litre £14.95

2023 Vino Disobbediente – 1 litre POA

2020 Valpolicella Classico Superiore "Camporeno" £20.10

2021 Valpolicella Ripasso Classico Superiore "Sausto" £25.85

2019 Valpolicella Classico Superiore "San Giorgio Alto" £28.85

2015 Amarone della Valpolicella Classico "Stropa" £72.70

Ca' dei Zago, Christian & Marika Zago

Region: Valdobbiadene, Veneto

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 43

Christian Zago, accompanied by Marika, represents the 5th generation of growers at Ca' dei Zago, a family farm in the heart of Valdobbiadene. The most important part of this family legacy is the vineyards—now totalling around 6.5 hectares—and the hands-on, hands-off way the Zagos treat them. Since the origin as a mixed farm in 1924, the family have never used chemical fertilisers, an approach that Christian has been taking to the next level, being an eloquent proponent and practitioner of biodynamics. He is a strong believer that you can't replace in the winery what nature didn't give you in the vineyard. The Col Fondo is from vines that are up to 90 years growing at 250 metres asl on soils comprising clay and sand with flints. The varieties are intriguing, with the Glera from old clones supplemented by small amounts of local, but relatively unknown, Verdiso, Perera, and Bianchetta from massale selection. All fermentations are done with native yeasts, all wines made with minimal intervention, but with care and precision.

2022 Prosecco Valdobbiadene Frizzante £17.15

2019 Prosecco Metodo Classico £22.95

La Biancara, Angiolino & Alessandro Maule

Region: Veneto

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 44

Angiolino Maule's estate in the hamlet of Biancara covers about 9ha. For over 16 years he has ploughed his vines and eschewed any soil treatments. Using biodynamic viticultural practices he has created an organic, living soil and ecosystem befitting the health of the vines and their resistance to sicknesses. Vinification, ageing and bottling must be consistent with the work in the vines and involve no additives that compromise the natural fruit material. Vinifications are conducted without temperature control, the addition of sulphur, enzymes or yeast, and without fining or filtration.

2022 Garg 'n' Go Sparkling £15.40

2022 Masieri Bianco £13.20

2022 Sassaia £16.75

2021 Pico Bianco £23.35

2022 Masieri Rosso £15.40

2017 Passito Monte Sorio ~ 50 cl £28.35

LOMBARDIA

1701 FRANCIACORTA

Region: Cazzaggo San Martino, Lombardia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 45

The name 1701 was chosen to recall the first vinification of the “brolò”, a 4- hectare vineyard framed by XI century walls. 1701 Franciacorta is the first and only certified biodynamic producer in the Franciacorta region and are members of the Renaissance des Appellations. Their approach is ultimately a philosophy of life – to understand and respect the vine’s life cycle, until the point when bottled it can fully express its character and the authenticity of its terroir.

NV Vino Frizzante “Sullerba” £20.55

NV Franciacorta Brut DOCG £26.10

2018 Franciacorta DOCG Vintage Brut Saten £32.55

NV Gargagang Rosato Frizzante N/A

Further notes

FRIULI

Az. Agr. Zidarich, Benjamin Zidarich

Region: Duino Aurisina, Carso, Friuli

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 46

The Azienda Zidarich is located in Prepotto, near Duino Aurisina, which is a small and characteristic village of the Carso area. The landscape is extremely varied and stimulating. The vegetation of the environment is vastly different and enhances the peculiarity of this territory dedicated to viticulture. Jagged chalky rock is the keynote of Carso viticulture, which is carried out on small terraces of red, iron-rich soil that have been reclaimed from the woodland. This lends the wines the characteristic acidity and mineral notes. Everything is done by hand in the vineyard; no chemicals are used, and vinification is traditional and with indigenous yeasts.

2021 Carso Vitovska £27.50

2021 Vitovska "Kamen" £36.45

2019 Carso Terrano £23.25

Further notes

TOSCANA

Antonio Camillo

Region: Manciano, Maremma, Toscana

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 47

For 32 years, Antonio has taken care of vineyards and worked in wineries around the Maremma region. In 2006, he embarked on his own project, dedicating his time exclusively to indigenous varieties, selecting the best vineyards for their exposure, soil type and vine age. He tends to work with old vines which are cultivated according to traditional methods, intervening as little as possible so as not to stress the plants. In order to maintain the health of the vines only organic products are used.

2023 Vermentino £10.75

2021 Procanico £14.65

2023 Mediterraneo Rosso £11.40

2022 Morellino di Scansano £12.10

2023 Toscana Rosso ~ 5-litre BIB £55.10

2021 Granè ~ Carignano N/A

Further notes

Caparsa, Paolo Cianferoni,**Region:** Radda in Chianti, Toscana**Agent/Distributor:** Les Caves de Pyrène**Table: 48**

Caparsa has been run by Paolo Cianferoni and his family since 1982. The winery is totally organic, both in the vineyard and the cellar and their philosophy can be summed up in one word: Tradition. The wine culture at Caparsa originates from the sharecropping system, when wine was considered like food and was complementary to food, as a result the healthiness of all the processes and the wine itself is the best expression of this tradition.

2020 Chianti Classico £21.30

2016 Doccia Matteo Chianti Riserva £32.80

2000 Vin Santo ~ 37.5 cl £35.50

Further notes

Montenidoli, Elisabetta Faguioli,**Region:** San Gimignano, Toscana**Agent/Distributor:** Les Caves de Pyrène**Table: 49**

Montenidoli's vineyards are organically grown. For fifty years no herbicides, insecticides or any other chemicals have been used. This is a microclimate brimming with life. The vineyards are aglow with fireflies by night and dancing with ladybugs by day. "We began to break up the clods of earth and make humus, raising earthworms and also rabbits, for their precious manure. Now, we leave the hoeing to the roots of plants we sow in the vineyards and till under each spring". Sulphur and copper are the only substances used to treat infection and only if absolutely necessary, because sunlight and clean air are perceived to be the best medicine to make the vines healthy, strong, and resistant to disease and bad weather.

2022 Vernaccia di San Gimignano "Tradizionale" £17.35

2022 Vernaccia di San Gimignano "Fiore" £20.15

2019 Il Templare £25.15

2023 Canaiolo Rosato £16.85

Further notes

Agricola I Forestieri, Dario Marinari & Ezequiel Allasia

Region: Maremma, Toscana

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 50

Dario from Pisa crossed paths with Ezequiel from Argentina in Roccatederighi in the Upper Maremma. Their vision was to make wines that chimed with their identity and that showcased the land in all its nuances. They started by recovering old vineyards in the area, those that best expressed the soils of the hillsides and they soon found that they had acquired a sprawling network of parcels throughout the area.

2022 Rigomale Bianco	£16.15
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2022 Girotondo Rosso	£14.30
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2021 Il Forestieri	£20.70
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Further notes

EMILIA-ROMAGNA

La Stoppa, Elena Pantaleoni & Giulio Armani

Region: Rivergaro, Emilia- Romagna

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 51

La Stoppa is an ancient estate with its vines climbing along the slopes of the Val Trebbiola, not far from the River Trebbia, in the province of Piacenza. The estate covers 58 hectares, 28 of which is woodland – oak, chestnut and locust-tree and 30 of which are vineyards, all merged together and dominated by a medieval tower. More than a hundred years ago, the previous owner, lawyer Ageno, planted French vines and produced wines from meaningful names which were a little peculiar because they were Italianised: Bordò, Bordò bianco e Pinò. In 1973, La Stoppa was purchased by the Pantaleoni family, who recently modernised and transformed the cellar. Today the estate is run by Elena Pantaleoni, who along with Giulio Armani wanted major investments to be devoted to the vineyard, worked on organically and certified by 'Suolo e Salute'. The low yields and the fundamental quality of the grapes mean that the wines are characterised by the vineyard and not betrayed by excessive work in the cellar.

2020 Ageno £30.50

2022 Trebbiolo Rosso £16.25

2016 Macchiona £29.95

2006 Macchiona £41.15

2022 "Vino del Volta" Appassite– 50 cl £26.25

Further notes

Denavolo, Giulio Armani

Region: Piacenza, Emilia- Romagna

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 51

Denavolo was founded in 2005 when Giulio Armani, winemaker at La Stoppa acquired a beautiful old organic vineyard in the hills of Piacenza, 400-500 metres above sea level. The vineyard is planted solely to white varieties typical to the area such as Malvasia di Candia Aromatica, Marsanne, Ortrugo, Trebbiano Romagnolo and other autochthonous varieties. The work in the cellar is traditional; fermentation is spontaneous, only natural yeasts found on the grapes are used, no sulphur is added, and the wines are unfiltered.

2022 Catavela Bianco £16.15

2021 Dinavolino Bianco £18.50

2021 Mansano Bianco £21.80

Further notes

MARCHE

Fattoria San Lorenzo di Natalino Croгнаletti

Region: Ancona, Marche

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 52

This estate, located in Montecaratto, has been handed down from father to son for generations. Enrico, grandfather of Natalino, as well as a vintner of excellent Verdicchio, was an expert cooper who carefully selected the oak in which to age his wines. Natalino's father, Gino, dedicated himself to finding and selecting old clones of Verdicchio. His choices allowed Natalino to make brilliant, complex single vineyard Verdicchios aged for prolonged periods on the lees, as well as rich yet pure reds. Natalino works organically and with minimal intervention in the cellar.

2023 Di Gino Bianco	£11.00
2022 Le Oche	£13.55
2020 Campo delle Oche	£18.75
2022 Integrale ~ magnum	£26.55
2009 Il San Lorenzo	£53.75
2022 Di Gino Rosso	£11.00
2020 Artu	£12.70
2017 Il Solleone ~ Montepulciano	N/A
2022 Di Vera Rosato	N/A

Further notes

LAZIO

Andrea Occhipinti

Region: Gradoli, Lazio

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 53

Andrea Occhipinti fell in love with the vineyards of Gradoli while he was at the Agrarian University of Tuscia, so much so that they became the subject of his master thesis in 2004. Soon after graduating, Andrea was able to purchase a few hectares of vineyards planted in the 1990s. They are set at 450m above sea level on the volcanic slopes of Lake Bolsena, the biggest volcanic lake in Europe. Situated just one hour north of Rome, the lake provides a unique microclimate. Andrea's objective is to preserve and promote the local indigenous varieties, Aleatico and Grechetto Rosso, produces wines with the flavour of tradition and the effervescence of innovation.

2022 Lazio Rosso "Arcaico" £15.85

2022 Alea Viva Rosso £16.90

Further notes

Maria Ernesta Berucci

Region: Pigio, Lazio

Agent/Distributor: Dogma Wines

Table: 54

Maria Ernesto Berucci estate is in Latium region, in Ciocaria territory. They are custodians of old vines and the terroir of native grapes, Cesanese and Passerina del Frusinate with other vines of this rural area. Particular attention is paid to promoting biodiversity, the vitality of the soil, and the generation of organic material to enhance the entire ecosystem. The wines are natural – native ferment and nothing is added.

2022 Raphaël Passerina del Frusinate £16.90

2022 Raphaël Rosato del Frusinate £17.50

2021 Raphaël Cesanese del Piglio £18.75

2022 L'onda Cesanese del Piglio POA

2022 Mola da Piedi Cesanese del Piglio Superiore POA

Further notes

ABRUZZO

Societa' Agricola Rabasco, Iole Rabasco

Region: Pescara, Abruzzo

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 55

Iole Rabasco inherited her family's small vineyard and olive grove, neither of which have ever been treated with chemicals. And she's taken that blessing and run with it. Her property is nestled in north-central Abruzzo where you have unique meso- and micro-climates. Her 3.5 hectares are located in the village of Pianella, in the province of Pescara, about 40 kilometres from the Adriatic Sea. The base of the Gran Sasso mountain range runs along its western edge. Almost all of her vines are Montepulciano, but she also has a couple of rows of Trebbiano. These vines, on average, are 40-years-old, and are 450m above sea level. Soils are calcareous clay mixed with alluvial sediment and fossil remains. The vines are trained in the traditional tendone-style pergola, and all the work is done by hand. She intentionally keeps her yields low. She prefers, as do we, her wines to have acidity and freshness rather than power and extraction.

2023 Cancelli Bianco

N/A

2022 Cancelli Rosato

£13.75

2022 Cancelli Rosso

£13.95

2022 Damigiana Bianco

£22.65

Further notes

CAMPANIA

Monte di Grazia, Alfonso Arpina

Region: Tramonti, Costa Amalfi, Campania

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 56

Alfonso Arpina's vineyard holding is just 2.7 ha. It is located in the commune of Tramonti, in the heart of Monte Lattari and close to the Amalfi coast. The terraces on which the vineyards are planted, consist of volcanic ash, originating from the former eruptions of Vesuvius as well as iron-rich red clay soil. The family work with rare indigenous varieties and ancient vineyards. Farming is certified organic.

2019 IGT Bianco £15.10

2021 Melogna Rosso £13.70

2017 IGT Rosso £15.75

Further notes

Vigneti Tardis, Bruno de Conciliis & Jack Lewens

Region: Cilento, Campania

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 57

Vigneti Tardis is the result of a collaboration between Jack Lewens (former sommelier, now co-owner of Leroy Restaurant, Shoreditch) and his long-time friend Bruno de Conciliis of Viticoltori de Conciliis. They farm organically and biodynamically, producing wines with a hands-off approach from 3.6 hectares of vines in Cilento, Campania. Cilento is in Campania's southerly province of Salerno, while the varieties are the same as the famed appellations of Taurasi and Avellino, the territory is vastly different. Wines are made with a light touch in inox and or used oak. The focus is firmly on the region's indigenous varieties with Aglianico, and its long forgotten, larger-berried and thinner-skinned clone, Aglianicone for reds while whites are made with Fiano, Malvasia, Coda di Volpe and other aromatic varieties. In a region normally known for producing big, powerful wines, these are a more delicate, less extracted interpretation, with great drinkability and individuality. There are seven wines in its range called "La Settimana" ("the week"), each named after a day of the week.

2022 Mercoledì Paestum Bianco £13.75

2020 Venerdì Paestum Bianco £20.60

2021 Martedì Paestum Rosso £13.75

2018 Giovedì Paestum Rosso £34.70

2022 Lunedì Paestum Rosato £13.75

PUGLIA

Fatalone Organic Wines, Az. Agr. Pasquale Petrera

Region: Gioia del Colle, Puglia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 58

Fatalone is a historical 5th generation small family winery situated on a rocky hilltop 385m above sea level to the South of Gioia del Colle in the middle of Puglia – Southern Italy, 45 km from the Adriatic Sea to the East and 45 km from the Ionian Sea to the South. This was the first winery to bottle (in 1987) the Gioia del Colle DOC Primitivo as a single grape variety. "We want our wines to be the most authentic representation/interpretation of our grapes, our land and our personality in one word - our roots."

2022 Primitivo Gioia del Colle £15.20

2021 Primitivo Gioia del Colle Riserva £17.90

2022 Primitivo Fatalo Teres N/A

Further notes

I Parieti Societa & Agricola, Matteo Santoiemma

Region: Puglia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 59

Matteo leads the company first-hand and personally takes care of the vineyards which are planted with both albarello and cordon-trained vines of Primitivo, Verdeca, Minutolo and other indigenous grape varieties. The aim is to preserve varietal character and a sense of place. I Parieti is all about three main themes. Stones: the typical dry-stone walls ("Parieti" in dialect) that embrace and protect the vineyards. Family: from both sides, passion, commitment and contradiction strongly intertwine, anchoring the present to the past. And Love: unconsciously cultivated at a tender age and then blooming as an adult, the love towards his land.

2021 Càrparo Macerato Bianco £21.75

2021 Tataranne Primitivo £17.20

2022 Tataranne Primitivo £17.20

2020 Ceppi Sparsi Primitivo £34.30

2022 Scazzaridde N/A

Further notes

Valentina Passalacqua,**Region:** Gargano, Puglia**Agent/Distributor:** Les Caves de Pyrène**Table: 60**

Ten years after tending the vineyard and producing wine under her eponymous label, Valentina, launched “Progetto Calcarius” which is the result of continuous research and listening to that specific terroir that led Valentina to select these specific 25 hectares. The eye-catching labels and transparent glass are the first obvious features of these game-changing wines, but it is the Kimmeridgian limestone soils of the vineyard at the foot of the Gargano mountains that provide the soul of the wines. These soils act like a mirror, reflecting the sun’s rays off the fruit and vines, allowing for an earlier ripening period. This, combined with the salty air from the nearby Adriatic Sea and Valentina’s watchful eye, and harvesting at the optimum time, culminates in wines of freshness, minerality and a saline tone. The wines are elegant and display a reserved confidence, just like the creative force behind them.

2021 Calcarius Hellen Bianco	£13.80
NV Calcarius Nu Litr Bianco ~ Bombino – 1 litre	£16.00
NV Calcarius Nu Litr Orange ~ Falanghina – 1 litre	£16.25
2021 Calcarius Hellen Rosso ~ Nero di Troia	£13.45
NV Calcarius Nu Litr Rosso ~ Negromaro – 1 litre	£16.20
NV Calcarius Frecciabomb Pet Nat Orange	£14.15
NV Calcarius Frecciabomb Pet Nat Rosé	£13.95

CALABRIA

L'ARCIGLIONE di Cataldo Calabretta, Cirò

Region: Cirò, Calabria

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 61

The winery of Cataldo Calabretta is in the historic production zone of Cirò DOC. Cataldo Calabretta represents the fourth generation of a family of winemakers and is the leader of a group of young winemakers working organically and with low intervention. For the past ten years, the estate has been run according to the principles of organic farming, an ethical choice, which year after year is paying off. Vines vary between 5 and 40 years-old. The vast majority (80%) are planted with Gaglioppo, the native red variety, alongside Greco Bianco and Ansonica. Gaglioppo is a very tannic and acidic variety, but shares some of the noble character of the greats such as Nebbiolo, Sangiovese and the Nerelli. In the cellar, they renewed an old cement cuve, which proves to be an excellent vessel for the ageing of Cirò wine. Cataldo only uses indigenous yeasts and doesn't add anything to the wines other than a minimal amount of sulphur.

2022 Ansonica Bianco £15.45

2022 Cirò Rosso Classico Superiore £15.45

Further notes

Azienda Agricola Nasciri

Region: Gerace, Calabria

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 62

Nasciri is run by Domenico and Francesca. They mainly produce organic extra virgin olive oil and natural wine in the countryside near a small village in Calabria in the south of Italy, where their land is situated, you can see the sea and mountains simultaneously. The project began and continues on land owned by Domenico's family, the aim simple: to regenerate the land, allowing spontaneous life and nature centre stage. Nasciri in Calabrian dialect means born and this perfectly captures Nasciri's efforts to ensure the old farmland's rebirth. Nasciri are organically certified, they also follow biodynamic practices, with pruning, decanting and bottling undertaken when the moon is on the wane. Work is hands-on; Domenico and Francesca oversee all work starting in the vineyard, through to vinification, bottling and the final presentation of the wines.

2022 Vinu I Casa Bianco	£13.50
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2016 Calabrese Nero	£12.40
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2018 Greco Nero	£14.20
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Further notes

SICILIA

I Vigneri di Salvo Foti & Figli, Salvo, Simone & Andrea Foti

Region: Etna, Sicilia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

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In 1435, the Maestranza de I Vigneri (Vine Grower Guild) was founded in Catania. The aim of the guild was to create a professional status for Etna's vigneroni and grape growers. Over 500 years later, Maestranza de I Vigneri works towards the recovery of Etna's time-honoured viticultural techniques and expertise, many of which has been impeded by current vineyard policies. For nearly fifteen years they have planted, reconstituted and cultivated more than 30 hectares of vineyards in eastern Sicily, 14 of which are on the volcano. Non-invasive tools and methods are used with the utmost respect for tradition. Work is conducted without rushing or pushing nature, with absolute respect for the people and the environment.

2022 Vigna Aurora ~ Carricante	£26.00
2022 Primavera Bianco	£27.50
2020 Vigna di Milo Carricante	£33.95
2022 IGT Rosso	£26.00
2022 Palmento & Anfora Rosso	£27.50
2022 Radica Rosso	£27.50
2021 Vinupetra Rosso	£38.85
2021 Vinudilice Rosato	£28.65
2020 Palmento Caselle Etna	N/A
2018 Vincentenarie Etna Rosso	N/A

Vino di Anna, Anna Martens & Eric Narioo

Region: Etna North, Sicilia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 64

Vino di Anna is a small, two-hectare property run and managed by Anna Martens and Eric Narioo on the north face of Mt Etna, Sicily. Grapes are sourced from 60 – 100-year-old bush vines farmed organically. The principal variety is Nerello Mascalese. The vineyards range from 760 – 900m in altitude. Soils are volcanic. Wines are made with minimal intervention, natural yeasts, no additives, no fining or filtering and little or no SO2 and fermented in a variety of vessels including Palmento, old barrels and even qvevri.

2023 Palmento Bianco £18.10

2022 Bianco G £27.15

2021 Vendredi 13 Rosso £16.60

2022 Jeudi 15 Rosso £21.30

2022 Qvevri R Rampante Rosso £32.05

Further notes

COS, Giusto Occhipinti & Società Agricola Naturale

Region: Vittoria, Sicilia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 65

Azienda Agricola COS lies in the South-East of Sicily, in Vittoria, which can be found in the Ragusa province near the Iblean hills. In 1980, winemakers Giusto Occhipinti and Giambattista Cilia founded this small estate. They choose not to use any chemicals in the vineyards or during the wine making process, and only ever use natural yeasts. This is their contribution to the terroirs, trying to keep up the debate, the suspense and rigor, but also sustainability towards the issues in a world that is not only about wine.

2022 Rami Bianco £17.75

2022 Pithos Bianco £22.25

2022 Zibibbo in Pithos £22.15

2022 Nero di Lupo £16.45

2022 Frappato £17.65

2021 Cerasuolo di Vittoria £21.20

2022 Pithos Rosso £20.85

Società Agricola Naturale, Vermouth

2021 Bitter Naturale Rosso £30.05

2022 Vermouth Naturale Orange £35.95

2022 Vermouth Naturale Rosso £27.75

Arianna Occhipinti

Region: Vittoria, Sicilia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 66

Living at the foot of the Iblea hills in the centre of Fossa di Lupo in Vittoria. Arianna Occhipinti's biggest challenge is to understand the terroirs' needs without disturbing or modifying it, so that she is able to make the most from it. She believes this unique balance is represented in the rigour and harmony of the Nero d'Avola and in the freshness and elegance of the Frappato. The organically grown estate is spread over 10 hectares of Nero d'Avola and Frappato vines and 1 hectare of Albanello Bianco and Zibibbo, two white varieties native to Sicily. Arianna Occhipinti believes it to be essential in Sicily to work with the particular climate – hot sunshine during the day and coolness at night, the red sands, the low yields per hectare, natural agriculture and careful attention in the cellars. To give is to receive; according to these winemakers this means maintaining what they have received, in terms of land and biodiversity. The wines must be the fruit of the terroirs represented by the land's characteristics and its own history.

2022 SP 68 Bianco £17.70

2022 Contrada SM Santa Margherita £34.50

2022 SP 68 Rosso £17.70

2021 Frappato £26.70

2021 Il Siccagno £26.90

2021 Contrada FL Fossa di Lupo £40.95

2021 Contrada BB Bombolieri £40.95

2021 Contrada PT Pettineo £40.95

Az. Agr. Caravaglio, Antonino Caravaglio

Region: Isola di Salina, Sicilia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 67

The Azienda Agricola Caravaglio is located on the island of Salina, itself in the Aeolian archipelago in the Tyrrhenian Sea, north of Sicily. It is an extraordinary place with active volcanoes and the socio-ethno-anthropological charm of a culture that keeps the traditions linked to fishing and agriculture. Antonino's father produced red wine (Nerello Mascalese and Cappuccio, Perricone, Calabrese, Diavola ...) that was sold as bulk wine or in wooden barrels, intended as blending wine for the Italian and French market. Antonino inherited 2 hectares of vineyards and began his adventure in 1989, with the goal of developing the quality of the product and started farming organically. Today, Azienda Agricola Caravaglio has about 20 hectares, divided into many parcels, some of which are on the other islands of the Aeolian archipelago as well. All the wines are fermented with their own yeasts and made with minimal additions.

2022 Occhio di Terra Salina Malvasia	£18.70
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2022 Palmento di Salina RossoNonRosso	£18.70
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Further notes

AUSTRIA – GREAT GALLERY

Martin & Anna Arndorfer

Region: Kamptal

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 68

Martin Arndorfer comes from a long line of winemakers and grew up around the cellar and vineyards of his parents' estate, Anna Steninger is the daughter of one of the most respected winemakers in Austria, Karl Steninger. Together they appear to have been born with a natural understanding and love for Riesling and Grüner Veltliner grapes. They believe that winemakers are artisans; their work requires creativity, sensitivity and a huge amount of personality. They have made it their task to produce wines that unite origin and passion, wines that arouse curiosity across the globe. They produce wine with pleasure and for pleasure.

2023 Grüner Veltliner "Handcrafted"	£12.10
2022 Vorgeschmack White	£12.95
2022 Grüner Veltliner Strasser Weinberge	£15.70
2022 Riesling Strasser Weinberge	£16.45
2022 Schlehe Amber	£12.95
2022 Vorgeschmack Red	£12.55
2023 Rose Marie	N/A

Weingut Fuchs und Hase, Martin & Anna Arndorfer, Stefanie & Alwin Jurtschitsch

Region: Kamptal

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 68

Fuchs und Hase was formed when expert winemakers Martin and Anna Arndorfer (of Arndorfer wines) teamed up with close friends Alwin and Stefanie Jurtschitsch to exclusively produce pet nat. Starting out bottling in 2012, they experimented for some years before releasing their first vintage in 2015 under the label Weingut Fuchs und Hase. All grapes are grown in Kamptal using organic processes and they add no sugar, yeast, or sulphur.

2022 Fuchs und Hase Pet Nat Vol 2 £18.15

2021 Fuchs und Hase Pet Nat Vol 4 £17.25

2022 Fuchs und Hase Pet Nat Rosé £18.15

Further notes

Weingut Matthias Warnung

Region: Kamptal

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 69

This family-owned winery is located in the Kamptal Valley region of Austria. The 10-ha estate is made up of mainly old and well-adapted vines of Grüner Veltliner, Riesling and Zweigelt. All wines are fermented spontaneously, unfiltered and minimal sulphur is added to them prior to bottling.

2022 Potato Land Grüner Veltliner	£13.70
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2021 Espere Grüner Veltliner	£20.00
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2021 Feldstück Riesling	N/A
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2018 Zion Grüner Veltliner	N/A
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NV Basis Blauer Zweigelt	£14.80
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2020 Espere Zweigelt Rosé	POA
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2019 Espere Zweigelt Red	N/A
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Further notes

AWM (Austrian Wine Mafia), Magdalena Haas

Region: Kamptal

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 69

The AWM wines are the result of bringing different philosophies together. They bring together natural with classic wine styles, low intervention with innovation. The project is about family and co-operation between people sharing the same principles and values. Using organic practices in the vineyard, they promote biodiversity. The wines themselves are made with low intervention and with indigenous yeast ferments.

2021 Dolce und die Japaner £16.75

2021 Fruit of the Doom Red £16.75

2021 Karambolage £16.75

Further notes

Andert-Wein, Michael & Erich Andert

Region: Pamhagen, Burgenland

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 70

The Andert-Wein estate covers 4.5ha in the south of the Seewinkel, Burgenland in Austria. A family business, run by the Andert brothers; Erich and Michael, the estate has been certified biodynamic since 2003. The brothers love good wine and food and so throughout the vineyards herbs and vegetables grow bountifully alongside a variety of animals. The most important thing for them is that the natural wine processes are not disturbed in the cellar; fermentation is spontaneous and there is no temperature control, wines are left to develop naturally, gaining individuality and character.

2021 Gemischter Sotz £15.60

2021 Pamhogna Weiss £18.20

2022 Pamhogna Weiss N/A

2022 Rüländer N/A

2021 Tausend ML Zweigelt – 1 litre N/A

NV Personalgetränk #6 N/A

Further notes

Weingut Judith Beck

Region: Gols, Burgenland

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 71

Judith Beck's wines are in the best sense natural, genuine and above all authentic. Since 1976 the area under vine has increased from 5 to 15 ha and from 2007 the wines have been produced in accordance with biodynamic principles. The aim is to produce authentic wines with an individual aroma profile whilst at the same time maintaining healthy soils and vines. Always more discreet than loud, the wines are always worth a second look. In Judith Beck's own words: "everyone can produce International style, everywhere. My wines are my own, they are here-and-now and that is, for me, the most beautiful thing."

2022 Weissburgunder	£12.80
2023 Traminer	£16.50
2022 Neuburger Bambule!	£23.75
2021 Beck Ink	£11.40
2021 Zweigelt	£12.80
2022 Blaufränkisch	£12.80
2022 Hunny Bunny ~ Blaufränkisch	£16.50
2023 Pink	£10.70

Alex & Maria Koppitsch

Region: Neusiedl am See, Burgenland

Agent/Distributor: Roland Wines

Table: 72

Adjacent to the shallow Neusiedlersee, Maria and Alex preserve the winemaking traditions that have been in their family for 500 years. At the core of their ethical approach are biodynamic principles and hands-on work. The soils on which the grapes are grown comprise sand, loam, clay and gravel and this is reflected in the accents of the wines. Nothing is added in the cellar – these are natural wines, as Maria and Alex say themselves: “We craft natural wine with joy... complexity, honesty and soul.”

2022 Homok	£14.54
2021 Perspective Weiss	£16.99
2021 Lemon ~ magnum	POA
2021 Aeon	POA
2022 Pretty (Nats)	£16.54
2022 Rozsa	£14.22
2022 Abendrot	£16.67
2022 Rét	£12.99

Joiseph & Zeichmann, Luka Zeichmann

Region: Neusiedl & Mittelburgenland, Burgenland

Agent/Distributor: Modal Wines

Table: 73

Luka is the winemaker behind two of Burgenland's most singular projects – the wines of Joiseph from the northern shores of Lake Neusiedl, and his own eponymous project Zeichmann coming from small picturesque parcels near his home in Mittelburgenland. The utmost care goes into every part of the work from the vine to the cellar, where minimal intervention ensures as pure an expression of grapes and the land as possible.

JOISEPH

2022 Mischkultur	£14.50
2021 Fogosch	£18.20
2021 Furmint	£19.35
2021 BFF	£18.50
2021 Tannenberg	£24.00

ZEICHMANN

2023 Zuto Vino Je Dobro	£14.20
2023 Ujča Hendrik	£14.20
2018 Gora Bijela	£23.00
NV Gora Plava (2018 & 2019)	£23.00

Heinrich, Gernot & Heike Heinrich

Region: Gols, Burgenland

Agent/Distributor: Indigo Wines

Table: 74

After taking over Gernot's family winery in 1985, this family were amongst the first to produce high quality reds in this region, seeing the potential in Blaufränkisch, Zweigelt and Sankt Laurent. After converting to biodynamics (Demeter certified) they then started to experiment with skin-fermentation for their white wines. They have vineyards on the Leithaberg and also on the other side of the lake where the gentle slopes are influenced by warm air coming off the Pannonian plain. They are passionate about biodynamics because they believe the best wines express a sense of place and they can only do this if rooted in a biologically diverse environment and the vines live in symbiosis with a healthy eco-system.

2022 Naked White	£13.92
2022 Naked Rosé	£13.40
NV Naked Orange	POA
2021 Graue Freyheit	£26.50
2022 Muskat Freyheit	£26.50
2022 Chardonnay Leithaberg	£17.40
2019 Zweigelt	£14.44
2022 Into The Light ~ Blaufränkisch	POA
2022 Out of the Dark – Blaufränkisch	POA

GERMANY

Staffelter Hof, Jan Matthias Klein

Region: Mosel

Agent/Distributor: Modal Wines

Table: 75

Staffelter Hof is one of the oldest continuous businesses in the world dating back to 862. They currently farm 14 ha of vines including a six hectare vitiforestry project. Their wines are produced with minimal intervention in the cellar and plenty of love for nature and biodiversity in the vineyards.

2022 Portugeezer Pet Nat	£17.95
2022 Magnus Riesling	£11.35
2023 Pink Panda ~ 20-litre key kegs	POA
2021 It's Müller Time	£14.50
2023 Little Bastard	POA
NV Papa Panda's Rising	£16.55
2019 Madcap Magnus	£23.50
2022 Little Red Riding Wolf	£16.95
2020 Rizzy Starmust Pet Nat	£19.75
2017 Kröv Steffensberg Auslese ~ 37.5 cl	£12.50

Weingut Bianka und Daniel Schmitt

Region: Rheinhessen

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 76

Bianka and Daniel's winery has been in the family for over two hundred years. They work their 16 parcels in the Rheinhessen biodynamically, making wines that are pure and fresh, "just from grapes". Rheinhessen is the largest wine growing region in Germany and has been largely associated with bulk wine production. However, in recent years, the perception of the region has begun to shift as a younger generation of innovative growers are working to reduce yields and focus on the largely undervalued terroir of this region. Weingut Schmitt has been working biodynamically for over a decade and they are one of only 80 wineries in Germany to be Demeter certified.

2020 Riesling Sekt Brut Nature	POA
2023 Riesling Alexanderhof	£13.80
2022 FKK Weiss	£13.30
2022 FKK Rot	£13.80
2021 Kekfrankos	POA
2021 Wild Pony	£26.35

Andi Mann**Region:** Germany**Agent/Distributor:** Roland Wines**Table: 77**

Andi's work is inspired by Domaine St Pierre, Stefan Vetter and Werlitsch. He studied winemaking at Geisenheim and started experimenting in the family vineyard. All of his wines now have a clear identity of the style he is trying to achieve. Natural wines that are full of energy. He wishes to take biodiversity to the next level, by working with animals. "For me, natural wines are all about openness and intensity of taste, and that's what I want to show with my wines."

2022 Müller-Thurgau £14.97

2021 Cuvee Weiss £14.22

2021 Riesling Purpur £16.55

2022 Grauburgunder Calx £16.95

NV Rosa X £15.20

2021 Rötlich £13.99

2021 Spätburgunder Calx £16.95

Marto Wines, Martin Wörner & Alanna LaGamba

Region: Flonheim, Rheinhessen

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 78

After studying in Geisenheim, Martin gained experience with Matassa and Gut Oggau. He now manages 3 hectares in Flonheim. Weiss comes from a co-planted organically farmed cover cropped vineyard, vines up to 60 years old. Soil is sandstone, yields are low. The Weiss blend is 20% Mueller Thurgau, 20% Faberrebe, 20% Bacchus, 15% Wuerzer 15% Riesling 15% Silvaner and 10% Scheurebe. All grapes are harvested together and co-fermented, whole bunch with two weeks of skin contact in stainless vat with indigenous yeast and then transferred to be aged in old foudre barrels of between 1250l - 2500l. There it undergoes a full malolactic before being bottled without fining, filtering or any sulphur. The Riesling is naturally fermented in large barrels and bottled without sulphur or filtration. Crazy Crazy is a col fondo style of Weiss (think natural German Prosecco), the reds are light and crunchy.

2023 Crazy Crazy	POA
2022 Weiss Blend	£16.50
2021 Riesling	£21.50
2022 Pinot Blanc	£20.90
2022 Pinot Gris	POA
2022 Pinot Noir	£21.40
2022 Manna Rot	£16.20
2023 Frauen Power Red	POA
2023 Frauen Power Rosé	POA

Andi Weigand

Region: Iphofen, Franken

Agent/Distributor: Wines Under The Bonnet

Table: 79

Andi is among the most exciting young growers working in Germany today, overturning old expectations of his homeland's wine. On Sunday afternoons he can be found cleaning his cellar or spinning techno at Iphofen's smallest club: 'Bernhardshäusle'.

MY SIMPLE PLEASURES ARE: *"Tasting and diligently cleaning the tap to each barrel in my cellar. They are like my large, clean, wooden family."*

MY HIDDEN TALENT IS: *"My ferocious speed and precision whilst shoot-thinning in early Summer."*

THE KEY TO MY HEART IS: *"Someone dropping Todd Terje's Inspector Norse at the right time in a set... or my Mother's potato salad."*

2022 Scheurebe Pet Nat	£15.50
2022 Under and Over	£12.30
2022 White	£13.45
2022 Silvaner	£15.30
2022 MTH	£15.30
2022 Amphora White	£15.90
2022 Skin	£23.60
2022 Rosé	£13.35
2022 Amphora Pinot Noir	£23.50

Max Sein Wein, Maximilian Baumann

Region: Baden

Agent/Distributor: Basket Press Wines

Table: 80

Max Sein Wein is based in the northern Baden village of Dertingen on the border with Franconia. They cultivate 5.5 ha of organic vineyards, mostly on limestone and partly on coloured sandstone. Over thirty separate blocks are located on south east to west facing slopes at an altitude of 240-340m above sea level. They work with 70% white varieties (Silvaner, Mueller Thurgau, Kerner, Gewurztraminer) but also red grapes such as Pinot Meunier and Pinot Noir.

2021 Blanc	£16.70
2021 Rosé	£16.70
2021 Rouge	£19.80
2021 Trio Sauvage	£19.80
2021 Pur Jus	£19.80
2021 Les Autochtones	£19.80
2021 NB ~ Silvaner	POA
2022 Austernkalk	POA
2022 3 Täler – Silvaner	POA

AUSTRALIA

Castagna Wines, Julian & Adam Castagna

Region: Beechworth, Victoria

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 82

The Castagna Vineyard is situated at an altitude of 500m high in the foothills of the Australian Alps. Soils mainly consist of decomposed granitic-loam with a predominance of quartz particles on a base of clay. The vineyard has been biodynamic from the very beginning, more than 22 years. The vineyard is hand-pruned, and the fruit is hand-picked. The winemaking is traditional using only indigenous yeast, and that, combined with minimal interference, is the key to achieving vitality and complexity. Elevage varies between 18-20 months using only the best, tight-grain French oak available. The aim is to make natural wines of terroir, and this is achieved by working as simply as possible, creating wine which is an expression of the place where it is grown.

2021 Ingenue £37.20

2021 Chenin N/A

2021 Adam's Rib The Red £28.00

2018 Un Segreto £46.40

2018 Genesis Syrah £46.40

2018 Sangiovese La Chiave £46.40

Jauma Wines, James Erskine,**Region:** Lenswood, Adelaide Hills, South Australia**Agent/Distributor:** Les Caves de Pyrène**Table: 83**

James was Gourmet Traveller Sommelier of the Year in 2008. He ran South Australia's largest wine show the Adelaide Review Hot100 from 2010-2013. Founding member of Natural Selection Theory together with Sam Hughes, Anton van Klopper and Tom Shobbrook. James works with vineyards which are either rented or the fruit is purchased. 95% of the vineyards are managed by Fiona Wood, 5% by David Gartelman. These are beautifully-tended vines (Fiona is working biodynamically) in the McLaren Vale. Grenache from old own-root bush vines on sandy soil is a specialty. The wines are made without sulphur and are delicious. As well as the reds, James is beginning to work with Chenin, Muscat and even a little Arneis.

2022 1000 Fires Chenin/Arneis £18.65

2022 Origins Arneis £18.80

2022 Somewhere On Another Hill (Sauvignon) £18.80

2022 Fujisan Pet Nat Chenin £18.80

2022 Like Raindrops £18.65

2022 Audrey's Fairygarten Shiraz £18.65

2022 Tikka The Cosmic Cat Shiraz Grenache £18.65

UNITED KINGDOM

Natalia Harris, Phil Harris

Region: Hastings, East Sussex

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 85

Natalia Harris is a certified organic family farm and vineyard near Hastings. Drawing on experience gained in working in Alsace, Galicia and primarily at Davenport for 15+ years, Phil planted a 2ha plot of Ortega, Bacchus, Pinot Noir and Chardonnay. He looks to produce wines that reflect the quality the vineyard and the soils. The wines are vinified at Davenport.

2022 Bacchus Ortega

£18.95

Davenport Vineyards, Will Davenport

Region: East Sussex & Kent

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 86

Davenport Vineyards have been making wines for nearly 20 years, building from a small start up to a collection of vineyard sites that total 20 acres. Their aim is to make wine of the highest quality possible and that is a true expression of the grape varieties, soil and climate of the vineyards. They believe that the best way to achieve this is by interfering as little as possible and letting nature take its course (under guidance, of course). The use of organic methods helps to bring the desired results and has the benefit of also minimising impact on the environment. Since 1993, Davenport have won numerous awards for their wines, converted all their vineyards to organic management and put together a winery that is one of the only organic certified wineries in the UK, fully equipped to make still and sparkling wines to the highest standards. Even after 20 years, there are constant improvements and changes taking place every year, new wine styles, new ideas for growing grapes in a more sustainable way and upgrading of equipment.

2022 Limney Vineyard "Horsmonden White" £13.85

2022 Diamond Fields Pinot Noir £16.70

2022 Redmoors Pinot Noir £16.70

2022 Davenport Pet Nat £16.90

2018 Limney Organic Sparkling £23.00

Further notes

Walgate, Ben Walgate

Region: Rye, East Sussex

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 87

Walgate are committed to producing the finest wines in England. A slow and respectful winemaking process which marries both ancient and modern practices. Wines of place and integrity. From thoughtful and respectful farming, grapes are sourced from a selection of the best growers in the southeast of England. A focused, quality orientated selection of red, white, and rosé wines in addition to a small and considered amount of traditional method sparkling. With a gentle hand on the tiller, slowly and patiently the wines evolve and settle until they reach the optimum condition for bottling and beyond that, will sit in the cellar until they are ready to be released.

2019 Blanc de Noirs	£41.40
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2022 Cuvée M	£26.25
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2022 Rosé	£20.75
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2022 Pinot Meunier	£23.50
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2022 Pinot Noir Reserve	£29.05
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Further notes

Hoxton Hill & London Beer Lab, Karl Durand O'Connor & Bruno Alajouanine

Region: Brixton, London

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 88

Hoxton Hill is a collaboration between London Beer Lab's Bruno & Karl and Les Caves de Pyrène. The Hoxton Hill Fin Lager is a nod to the mullet sported in East London in the early 2000s. A crisp, beautifully crafted beer with a slightly malty taste. The Duel Pale Ale is based on the fact that in 1598 the poet and playwright Ben Johnson fought and killed a fellow actor in a duel on Hoxton Fields. Today Hoxton is better known for partnerships and collaborations rather than deathly duels and this beer pays homage to Hoxton's contemporary identity.

Hoxton Fin Lager ~ 330 ml cans

£1.67

Hoxton Duel Pale Ale ~ 330 ml cans

£1.81

KANPAI - London Craft Sake, Tom Wilson

Region: Bermondsey, London

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 89

Kanpai welcome you to the sake revolution! Brewed like a beer, enjoyed like a wine. KANPAI means “cheers” in Japanese. The pioneers of British sake, founded in 2016, Kampai is the UK’s first sake brewery. They craft award-winning modern British sake, using traditional Japanese ingredients and techniques. Taken zero-compromise approach to their ingredient sourcing and a patient approach to our low-temperature extended brewing methods. KANPAI is experimental at heart and ongoing exploration forms a huge part of our motivation to brew sake – They launch one-off limited edition and seasonal styles, alongside their core range sakes. Their sake is crafted by them, for you, using the best ingredients, custom equipment and love. All KANPAI sake is made from start to finish on site in their London Bridge brewery. They hand fill and label every bottle themselves to ensure the highest quality. Kanpai sake is free from sulphites and preservatives, naturally gluten-free and vegan.

NV Hana “Flower” ~ Yuzu

N/A

NV Kaze “Wind” Junmai Gingo

£15.35

NV Sora “Sky” Honjozo

£12.30

Further notes

Woodfine Wine, Richard Woodfine

Region: Seer Green, Bucks

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 90

From inception Woodfine Wine, began conversion to organic status, they also use regenerative agricultural methods such as grazing animals, chickens, pigs, wildflower meadows, nesting boxes and bees to support natural management of the land, thereby improving organic carbon burial in the soil and the biodiversity of our ecosystem. 20% of the vineyard is dedicated to PIWIs that haven't been sprayed since planting. They have never sprayed copper or herbicides. They selectively use biodynamic compost and spray preparations and some Korean Natural Farming techniques, including horn silica, equisetum, dandelion, yarrow, organic essential oils (thyme and eucalyptus), organic whey, fermented fruit juice, fermented plant juice and more. The aspiration is always to make natural wine, with zero additions of sulphites, yeast, sugar, fining agents or chemicals of any kind.

2022 Woodfine Interconnections Part 1. Sparkling Cider £15.55

2022 Woodfine Interconnections Part 2. Sparkling Rosé £24.50

2022 Woodfine Interconnections Part 3. Sparkling Rosé £28.00

Further notes

Lost in a Field, Tim Wildman

Region: England

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 91

Established by Tim Wildman MW in 2021, Lost in a Field is on a mission to rescue the fast disappearing heritage grape varieties planted in the UK in the last century and to craft them into delicious pét-nat using low intervention winemaking methods. This is our Great British old vine story, seen through the technicolour prism of the heritage varieties planted in the 1960s, 70s and 80s by eccentric amateurs. These early pioneers were hobbyists, Burgundian-style grower-maker vigneron, farming small vine-gardens and making wine in sheds and garages, a grass roots community all but swept away by the modern industry. Tim and his team at Lost in a Field embrace this amateur have-a-go ethos and legacy of old heritage vineyards.

2023 Frolic Pet Nat	POA
2023 Frolic Pet Nat ~ magnum	POA
2022 Frolic Pet Nat	£21.30
2022 Frolic Pet Nat ~ magnum	£36.95

Further notes

Domaine Hugo, Hugo Stewart & Offbeat Wines, Daniel & Nicola Ham

Region: Wiltshire

Agent/Distributor: Under The Bonnet

Table: 92

On the chalk hills of an ex-pig farm south of Salisbury, you'll find a two-hectare vineyard planted and farmed biodynamically by Hugo Stewart (Domaine Hugo), and the adjacent winery of Nicola & Daniel Ham (Offbeat Wines) - marine biologists turned winemakers. The trio can be found on a Sunday afternoon in deep discussion of pruning techniques and the joys of good cheese.

ON MY BUCKET LIST: *"We could do with some new buckets for de-vatting the amphora this year. They'd be handy" - Dan*

MY FRIENDS ASK ME FOR ADVICE ABOUT: *"The ideal breeds of grazing sheep that keep their heads down." - Hugo*

MOST SPONTANEOUS THING I'VE DONE: *"The ferment on the 2022 harvest from Kent was particularly lively" - Nicola*

2020 Hugo £31.00

2021 Botley's Col Fondo £19.00

NV Offbeat Wines – Magic Number POA

NV Offbeat Wines – Many Moons POA

2021 Offbeat Wines – Field Notes 3 POA

2022 Offbeat Wines – Sunbeams & Rainbows POA

NV Offbeat Wines – If All The World Were Paper POA

Capreolus Distillery, Barney Wilczak

Region: Cirencester, Cotswolds

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 93

Uncompromising and exquisite, the eaux de vie produced by the Capreolus Distillery capture the essence of their local fruits. Drawing on small family farms, each harvest arrives at its absolute peak of perfection. From within the humble setting of a converted greenhouse these brandies are distilled, taking up to 45kg of fruit to produce each litre of finished product. Intensive work that results in small but beautiful expressions.

NV Garden Swift Dry Gin – 50cl	£36.60
2018 Apple EDV in Chestnut Barrel – 37.cl	£56.00
2022 Perry Pear EDV – 37.5cl	£55.50
2022 Plum EDV - 37.5cl	£94.65
2021 1000 Trees Apple EDV – 37.5cl	£55.50
2022 Quince EDV – 37.5 cl	£94.65
2022 Apricot EDV – 37.5 cl	£111.35
2019 Bacchus EDV – 37.5cl	£55.50
2020 Damson EDV – 37.5cl	£94.65
2022 Raspberry EDV – 37.5cl	£111.35
2022 Blackcurrant EDV – 37cl	£111.35
2021 Gooseberry EDV – 37.5cl	£111.35
2022 Capreolus x Pomona Foxwhelp Cider EDV - 37.5 cl	£55.50

Further notes

Little Pomona Orchard & Cidery, James & Susanna Forbes

Region: Herefordshire

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 94

Based in the cider heartland of Herefordshire, Little Pomona founders Susanna and James Forbes adopt a natural, minimum intervention approach to cidemaking. Their ciders and perries speak of the harvest, the land, and – most importantly – the amazing fruit they are able to source. Little Pomona’s contemporary cidery and tasting room also houses a growing programme of co-ferments using other local fruits, including quince, damsons and cherries, and produces a number of ciderkins, the historical, naturally lower abv member of the family.

NV Table Cider (sparkling)	£6.40
NV Table Perry (sparkling)	£7.35
2022 Kingston Black Hill Farm	£8.10
2021 Wading In	POA
2021 Brut de Poire	£14.65
2022 Hard Rain Hot Pink	£6.25
2022 To Boldly Go Who Mourns For Grapes	£14.70
2021 To Boldly Go The Metamorphosis	POA
2022 Orange Cider	POA
2023 Pet Nat Perry Hendre Huffcap	POA
2022 Brook House Farm Orange Wine	£16.45
2020 Old Man & The Bee	£9.40

Further notes

Ancre Hill Estates, Richard & Joy Morris, Jean du Plessis

Region: Monmouth, Wales

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 95

Ancre Hill Estates currently comprises 4 hectares of Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Albariño and Triomphe planted between 2006 and 2012, around Monmouth, Wales. 2016 and 2017 saw a further 8 hectares planted. Biodynamic practices were adopted in 2010 to protect the integrity of the land and the wines and organic and biodynamic certifications were achieved in 2013 and 2014 respectively through Demeter. The wines are made with as little interference as possible in a purpose-built straw-bale winery. They believe a long, slow *élevage* for the wines with extended time on the lees helps create wines which are true to vintage and provenance.

2023 Chardonnay	POA
2020 Pinot Noir	£23.50
2022 Orange Wine	£18.40
2018 Pefriog Sparkling	£19.35
NV Blanc de Noirs	£28.45
NV Pet Nat Red	£13.25
NV Pet Nat Pink	£13.10

Further notes

USA

Kelley Fox Wines

Region: Dundee Hills & Eola-Amity, Oregon

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 96

Kelley Fox Wines is a small winery created in 2007 along with her father, Gerson "Gus" Stearns. Lived in the Willamette Valley since the late 80's, Kelley find herself loving Oregon more every year. The first vintage (2007) started with just over 100 cases. The annual case production is now around 5500 cases and Kelley farms and sources fruit from vineyards in the Dundee Hills and Eola-Amity. The wines are made to reflect the land, the vines, the fruit of the vines, the year, and everything else unknown and unseen that comes with those things. That said, the wines are not really "made" at all. "I am not Pygmalion, imposing my idea of what they should be onto them. It is a vulnerable approach, but to me, it's how this work becomes non-hierarchical and respecting life. What I am doing-and it still takes a lot of inner and outer work-and being in the silence- is responding to the essence of the fruit from each block, which I hope is carrying the essence of the earth that bore it, along with the details of the year (the weather, the stars, and the planets, etc. etc.). As I age having worked like this for so long, I feel profound gratitude to be on this walk".

2022 Willamette Chardonnay	£22.80
2022 Durant Vineyard Chardonnay	£34.65
2021 Nerthus	£21.80
2022 Freedom Hill Vineyard Pinot Blanc	£28.10
2021 Mirabai Pinot Noir	£29.85
2022 Carter Vineyard Pinot Noir	POA
2022 Maresh Vineyard Golden-Crowned Sparrow Block Pinot Noir	N/A

Bow & Arrow Winery, Scott & Dana Frank

Region: Portland, Oregon

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 97

Despite Oregon's constant comparisons to Burgundy, it's the Loire Valley that inspires Scott and Dana's wines. They only started bottling in 2010 but have quickly earned a reputation for bringing a bit of the Loire to the Pacific Northwest. They source fruit from vineyards planted by some of Oregon's earliest 'wine pioneers' that were planted with grapes like old vine Pinot Noir, Gamay, Cabernet Franc, and Melon de Bourgogne – all typical Loire Valley grapes. These carefully sourced grapes are treated with the greatest care and minimal-intervention winemaking techniques. Their resulting wines are a breath of fresh (French) air from Oregon, lighter in style, lower in alcohol, and extremely food-friendly.

NV Time Machine White	N/A
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NV Time Machine Red	N/A
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2021 Fool's Gold	£20.85
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2022 Rhinestones	POA
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2021 Air Guitar	£21.95
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2022 Willamette Valley Pinot Noir	N/A
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Ovum, John & Ksenija House

Region: Oregon

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 98

Where a larger winery might ferment whites quickly in large, temperature-controlled steel tanks for a consistency of style from year to year, the goal at Ovum is to reflect the vintage, no matter what it brings. So, the techniques are old-school: House and Kostic allow fermentation to happen spontaneously and linger for months, in neutral (old) oak barrels and Nomblot cement eggs. The resulting wines are richly textured and deeply layered. Rieslings are all from single vineyards and are pure expressions of terroir and vintage. The names reflect the emotion they engender.

2022 Big Salt White	£16.65
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2022 Big Salt Orange Rose	£17.55
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2023 PNK Salt	POA
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2021 Off The Grid Riesling	£22.60
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2022 Memorista Riesling	N/A
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2022 Love O Love Gewurztraminer	£20.20
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2020 For Love Nor Money Riesling	£34.00
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Further notes

Beckham Estate Vineyard, Andrew & Annedria Beckham

Region: Chehalem Mountains, Oregon

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 99

Inspired by their neighbours who had a plot of 20-year-old vines and a desire to get their hands in the soil, Andrew and Annedria purchased land in Oregon's Chehalem Mountains in 2004. Their 28-acre farm has 6.5 acres dedicated to Pinot Noir, 1 acre to Riesling and further plantings of Gamay, Chardonnay and Trousseau all dry farmed organically. In 2013, drawing inspiration from Elizabetta Foradori, Andrew, a ceramicist, began to make terracotta amphorae to produce wine in. The amphora wines are fermented with native yeasts, no commercial inoculation and are unfinned and unfiltered.

2022 AD Beckham Blanc POA

2019 Amphora Pinot Gris £28.10

2022 Estate Pinot Noir POA

2022 AD Beckham Noir POA

2021 Pinot Noir Creta £34.65

Further notes

Lo-Fi Wines, Mike Roth & Craig Winchester

Region: Los Alamos, Santa Barbara, California

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 100

Lo-Fi Wines is a partnership between two lifelong friends who believe in hand-crafted wines that are made for everyday drinking. Located in Santa Barbara County grapes are picked from a selection of vineyards throughout the area. Vinification is carried out in neutral barrels with whole cluster fermentation, native yeasts are used and there are little to no sulphur additions. A nothing-added, nothing taken away philosophy is embraced and results in wines that are young, vibrant and alive.

2023 Honeybear Vineyard Chenin Blanc POA

2019 Chardonnay £20.50

2020 Cabernet Franc Clos Mullet £21.80

2022 Trousseau Clos Mullet POA

Further notes

Ruth Lewandowski Wines, Evan Lewandowski

Region: California & Utah

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 101

Evan Lewandowski strives to produce wine that is as close to simple grape juice as possible. He eschews chemical additives and synthetic pesticides, believing 'natural' to be the only way and as such works with a small number of growers in Utah who organically grow wines. He named his label after the biblical book of Ruth, which some say is a message about the acceptance to outsiders. If this translates to wine, then his mission is to reintroduce us to traditional and largely forgotten 'outsider' winemaking practices, without the convenience of additives, sugars and designer yeasts that have become so prevalent in the winemaking world.

2022 Tatto Blend £21.50

2023 Stock Pot POA

2022 Rosé £20.85

2022 Feints Red £21.00

2021 Boaz Red Cuvée Zero £25.45

Further notes

Broc Cellars, Chris Brockway

Region: Berkeley, California

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 102

Broc Cellars is a Berkeley-based natural winery that makes refreshing and approachable wines for everyday drinking. Established in 2002, by owner and winemaker Chris Brockway. His winemaking journey began with California Zinfandel. The spicy, brambly fruit style drew him from his hometown of Omaha, Nebraska all the way to California. From a single barrel in 2002 to now over 20 different wine releases a year, Broc Cellars makes fresh California wines to enjoy and for your table. In 2023, they extended their vision of simple and ethical winemaking into the vineyard as new owners of Fox Hill Vineyard in Mendocino County which was recently CCOF certified organic this year. They source an eclectic mix of grapes from all over California, working with vineyards as far south as Paso Robles and as far north as Mendocino. All of the vineyards are organically farmed and family-owned. Their goal in making wine is to bring out the natural expression of the grape.

2021 Love Sparkling	£23.05
2022 Fox Hill Amore Bianco	POA
2022 Grenache Gris	POA
2022 Fox Hill Sangiovese	POA
2022 Fox Hill Nero d'Avola	POA
2022 Love Red	POA
2022 Vine Starr Zinfandel	POA
2022 Michael Mara Chardonnay	POA
2023 Fox Hill Arneis	POA
2023 Fox Hill Negroamaro	POA

Domaine La Garagista, Deirdre Heekin & Caleb Barber

Region: Barnard, Vermont

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 103

Located on Mount Hunger at the edge of the Chateauguay and in the Piedmont chain of hills in Barnard, Vermont La Garagista make natural wine and ciders. The land has been part of small homestead farming for over two hundred years and care and observation is paid to the native terroir, a whole-farm and diverse agriculture where not only vines are grown but also vegetables, fruits, flowers, and herbs for their restaurant kitchen. In 2014 the small farm grew to encompass two older parcels of vineyard in the Champlain Valley of Vermont allowing them to extend their farming efforts in a valley landscape. The work carried out at the farm and winery, both in the field and in the cellar, is guided by organic, permaculture, and biodynamic thought. The mission is to care for the land in creative and natural ways, making way for an honest narrative told by the wines that expresses the unique landscape and vintage, and to share in and support the spirited food and agriculture of the community.

2023 Ci Confonde Rosé Pet Nat	POA
2019 Fleurine Apple Grape Wine	£32.85
2019 Native Love Home Farm	£33.25
2019 Damejeanne Red	£30.00
2022 Damejeanne Red	POA
2018 Loups Garoux Red	£35.70
NV Found Love Solera White ~ 37.5 cl	£24.45

SOUTH AFRICA

Testalonga, Craig & Carla Hawkins

Region: Swartland, South Africa

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 104

Craig Hawkins is a vigneron who has travelled extensively in Europe and worked in Portugal and Austria. He makes eight wines under his own Testalonga label and four under Baby Bandito. And a pair of Ninja Pet Nats! These are beautiful natural hand-crafted wines from low yielding vines, wild ferments and nothing added except a little SO2 at bottling.

2022 Mielie Green	£12.15
2023 Baby Bandito Keep on Punching	£13.30
2023 Baby Bandito Stay Brave	£13.30
2023 Baby Bandito Follow Your Dreams	£13.30
2023 Baby Bandito Chin Up	£13.30
2023 Testalonga El Bandito "Cortez"	£22.00
2023 Testalonga El Bandito Skin Contact	£22.00
2023 Testalonga "Sweet Cheeks"	£22.00
2023 Testalonga El Bandito "The Dark Side"	£22.00
2023 Testalonga El Bandito "Monkey Gone Heaven"	£22.00
2023 Testalonga El Bandito "I Wish I Was a Ninja" Pet Nat	£15.40
2023 Testalonga El Bandito "I Am the Ninja" Pet Nat	£15.40

Intellego Wines, Jurgen Gouws

Region: Swartland, South Africa

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 105

Located in Swartland Jurgen Gouws has been operating since 2009 and began by purchasing fruit from a variety of sites throughout Swartland. The differing sites the grapes came from meant that he was able to produce a broad spectrum of wines, each showing the unique terroir of the region. Nowadays Jurgen farms a few parcels of land himself but also works closely with other growers to source his grapes.

2023 Hey Mila! Pet Nat	£15.05
2023 Sybille Pinotage Pet Nat	£15.05
2022 The Story of Harry	£13.10
2021 Intellego Chenin Blanc	£15.50
2022 Elementis Skin Contact Chenin	£19.45
2022 Sleeping Co-Pilot	£18.85
2023 The Pink Moustache	£13.10
2022 Kedungu Red Blend	£13.10
2022 Halagasha Pinotage	N/A
2022 Intellego Syrah	£15.50

Further notes

L'Equinox Wines, MC Stander

Region: Swartland, South Africa

Agent/Distributor: Modal Wines

Table: 106

Founded in 2018, L'Equinox Wines is a small producer based in the Swartland region of South Africa where winemaker, MC Stander, uses grapes from a handful of local growers following organic/biodynamic farming practices. The wines are fermented using indigenous yeast found on the grape berries and in the cellar there is no use of any additives or acid adjustments. Only a small amount of sulphur is added to preserve and protect the wine. The wines range from fresh and juicy to more textured and serious, but a signature of purity and clarity runs through the entire range.

2022 Keep It Loose £14.75

2023 To Maike And The Rest £16.50

2022 Find Your Happy Place £14.75

2022 Wish You Were Here £16.50

Colombo Wines, Daniel Colombo

Region: Swartland, South Africa

Agent/Distributor: Modal Wines

Table: 107

Daniel Colombo makes minimal intervention wines from the rugged but beautiful west coast of South Africa, an untamed place far from the clinical rows of vineyards in the cape . Somewhere he believes holds true African terroir. With an intuitive approach to winemaking, Colombo wines are texture driven and unique to the local landscape boasting an alternative approach to how wine can be made.

2023 Like Seeing You For The First Time Again £16.75

2022 There's Something About You ~ Muscat £17.80

2022 I Wonder If You Are Lonesome Tonight ~ Syrah £18.50

Terracura Wines, Chris Groenewald

Region: Cape Town, South Africa

Agent/Distributor: Woodwinters Wines

Table: 108

Terracura Wines is an urban winery based in Parow, South Africa. Their wines are made with grapes from the Swartland, Breede River and Durbanville. They make mostly non-vintage wines focusing on skin contact, maderised and flor wine components for the white wines, and whole bunch fermentations for the red wines.

NV Smiley Fresh White	£13.03
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NV Smiley White (Orange)	£15.45
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NV Smiley Fresh Red	£13.03
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NV Smiley Red	£15.45
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2023 Smiley Speciale	£17.34
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2023 Silwervis Chenin Blanc	£21.18
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Further notes

Pearl Mountain Vineyard, David Retief

Region: Paarl, South Africa

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 108

The Retief family has been running Pearl Mountain since 1873, and in 2016 started farming organically with the intention of trying to farm alongside nature and to enhance the environment in general. David wanted to start making wines in the natural style reflective of the land they were grown on. The Flight of the Drongo (a local bird) is a Grenache made without additions.

2022 Chenin	N/A
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2020 Flight of the Drongo	£14.75
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2021 Flight of the Drongo	POA
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Further notes

Nomad Wines, Kosie & Elaine van der Merwe

Region: Elgin, South Africa & Mosel, Germany

Agent/Distributor: Modal Wines

Table: 110

NOMAD was established in 2020 by husband-and-wife duo, Kosie (South African) & Elaine (German) van der Merwe. Based in the Mosel where they farm 1 ha of Mosel steep slopes. This includes 4000 m² of old vine Riesling, their vitiforestry site planted with resistant varieties (PIWI's) & various trees and shrubs and some fellow land for future projects. They travel back home to South Africa every year for harvest, where they buy cool climate grapes from mates that are farming organic and support them on their journey.

2022 Frank, Elgin £14.50

2022 Sarel, Elgin £16.30

2023 Sarel On The Beach, Cape Town POA

2022 Phyllo ~ Mosel & Nahe £15.90

2022 Rhizo ~ Mosel £18.30

Further notes

Mother Rock/JH Meyer Wines, Johan Meyer

Region: Swartland, South Africa

Agent/Distributor: Indigo Wine

Table: 111

Mother Rock is a collaboration between winemaker Johan Meyer and Indigo Wine founder Ben Henshaw. Johan developed strong relationships with some of the best grape growers across the Cape over the years and has gained access to some of the region's best fruit. They decided to use this fruit to create the first Force Celeste. The success of this wine has given way to several additions to the family, plus a 'Mother Rock' label, focusing on discovering exceptional parcels of well-farmed vines grown on a variety of soil types and vinified as simply as possible. These are terroir-focused wines offering drinkability and enjoyment. In 2017, Johan bought some land in Piket-Bo-Berg in the north Swartland. Here he started from scratch: building a house, a winery, preparing the soil and planting vines. It's a bit cooler and with higher rainfall than the southern Swartland, so he's planted some Pinot and Chardonnay for his JH Meyer label, and Mediterranean varieties for his Mother Rock single vineyard wines. This cooler, high altitude site is the new HQ for Mother Rock and JH Meyer Wines.

2023 Force Celeste Pinotage Pet Nat	£14.87
2022 Force Celeste Semillon	£13.26
2022 JH Meyer Palmiet Chardonnay	£16.33
2022 Force Celeste Chenin Blanc	£12.52
2022 Force Celeste Cinsault Rosé	£13.20
2021 Mother Rock Brutal! Chenin Blanc	£16.61
2022 Mother Rock Liquid Skin	£17.90
2021 Mother Rock Kwerperfontein Chenin	£18.68
2022 JH Meyer Carbonic Pinot Noir	£16.33
2021 Mother Rock Holocene	£18.68

FRANCE – SOUTH WEST

Armagnac Domaine d'Aurensan, Famille Rozes

Region: Cassaigne, Armagnac, South West France

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 112

Domaine d'Aurensan have been producing Armagnac since the late 19th century. All of their Armagnacs – both blends and single vintages – are single cask with the aim of gaining the purest expression of vineyard and terroir. They also work to a Triple Zero policy: 0 reduction, 0 sugar, 0 colouring. The family aims to innovate where possible while also preserving the culture and memory of Armagnac. One such project of preservation is the replanting of forgotten ghost grape varieties (like Plant de Graissea and Meslier St François) which give their Armagnacs a unique profile. Domaine d'Aurensan also have vintages running back to the 50s!

NV Carré des Fantômes	£60.15
Armagnac Assemblage 15 ans	£81.10
Armagnac Assemblage 30 ans	£178.35
Millésime 1973	£245.00

Further notes

Château Tour des Gendres, Gilles & Margaux de Conti

Region: Bergerac, South West France

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 113

After creating the winery in 1981, Cousins Luc and Francis de Conti are about to retire and plan to pass the château to their children, they decided to split the vineyard into two wineries: Gilles and Margaux de Conti (Luc's children) will keep the name Château Tour des Gendres, while Guillaume de Conti (Francis' child) will preside over Domaine Albert de Conti. The three cousins are keen to keep the passion and spirit transmitted by their parents and will continue to produce the original cuvées, they also aim to surprise you with a few new wines, too! Similarly, work among the vines will continue much as it was, this means organic viticulture and meticulous work to ensure healthy grapes.

2023 Bergerac Blanc "Cantalouette"	POA
2022 Moulin des Dames Blanc	£20.35
2021 Le Vif Périgourd Blanc Sec	N/A
2022 Bergerac Rouge « Cantalouette »	£11.55
2021 Bergerac Rouge « La Gloire de Mon Père »	£14.15
2019 Derrière Les Chai	NA

Further notes

Domaine Albert de Conti, Guillaume de Conti

Region: Ribagnac, Bergerac, South West France

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 114

The Albert de Conti team – the third generation of this wine producing family – have 30 hectares of organic farming in production, but they still have a large number of projects in mind, with the aim of moving towards biodynamics and agroforestry. They produce a range of wines consistent with the traditions of the Bergerac appellation, both in terms of the grape varieties used and the style of wine. « Cuvée des Conti » has been their flagship cuvée for 30 years; « Conti-ne Périgourdine » the beautiful Muscadelle, and the cuvée « Chez Paul » which is pure Cabernet-Sauvignon, already offers three serious and renowned wines. « La Vigne d'Albert » and « Pétillant Naturel » are part of the estate's heritage: Two sulphur-free and quirky wines which, in just a few years, have found their audience. All stocks are managed in allocations and the wines are out of stock a few weeks after bottling... Attention wine lovers! But the desire to look elsewhere for exotic flavours has won over the trio now. Two new grape varieties, completely new in the appellation, will be planted in the spring of 2022: work in progress and surprises.

2022 VDF Pet Nat	£12.70
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2022 Bergerac Blanc « Cuvée des Conti »	£11.60
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2022 Contine Périgourdine Blanc	N/A
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2023 Odette Rosé	N/A
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2022 « La Vigne d'Albert »	£12.40
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Further notes

Château Barouillet, Vincent Alexis

Region: Périgord, South West France

Agent/Distributor: Wines Under The Bonnet

Table: 115

Vincent is an eighth-generation winemaker who has successfully converted his entire family domaine to Biodynamic agriculture. He enjoys a Sunday afternoon making a lasagne of macerated grapes in his winery and grating truffles over every dish in the kitchen.

WE'LL GET ALONG IF: *"You don't mind helping me hand-press 300kg of Muscadelle into an amphora after it has macerated for three months."*

I KNOW THE BEST SPOT IN TOWN FOR: *"Perigord Truffles."*

I'M OVERLY COMPETITIVE ABOUT: *"My collection of concrete eggs."*

2022 Splash Pet Nat (Semillon)	£13.50
2022 Bergercrac Blanc	£10.66
2021 Ugny	£24.19
2021 Truculence Blanc	£18.34
2021 O'Ranch	£15.94
2022 Bergercrac Rouge	£10.75
2021 Larcin	£14.35
2021 Pécharmant	£13.04
2021 Hecate	£18.60
2021 Monbazar	£14.24

Domaine Elian da Ros

Region: Marmandais, South West France

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 116

Created in 1998, the estate is located in the Southwest of France and covers 19ha. Certified organic since 2000, and also following biodynamic principles, they harvest everything by hand, only use natural yeasts and very little SO₂. Their focus is to take care of the vineyard, believing that working organically is the least they can do and that they need to take this further to enhance the life of the land. Understanding how nature functions is a must in order to respond appropriately. Natural wine making is based on daily observations, adaptations, anticipations and hard team work! Producing wine with low SO₂ is the final step but it can only be possible if the farming work is done with conscience and comprehension of the living elements. "We should never forget that Terroir is made of minerals but also of living organisms who deserve our respect".

2022 Le Vin est une Fête Rouge £14.05

2021 Abouriou £17.35

2020 Chante Coucou Rouge £21.90

Further notes

Distillerie & Domaine Cazottes

Region: Villeneuve-sur-Verre, Tarn, South West France

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 117

These are "haute de vies" from a distillerie artisanale. Made without sulphur, artificial yeasts or enzymes, Laurent Cazottes lets nature do the talking. It is all about picking the fruits when they touch the ground. The work is a labour of love and totally artisanal.

2021 VdF Champêtre Mauzac Blanc sec	£13.30
2021 VdF Rackham Rouge	£14.65
2020 Aperitif aux Noix Vertes – 50cl	£26.70
2017 Liqueur de Folle Noire – 50cl	£26.70
2022 Aperitif du Fleurs du Sureau – 50cl	£28.15
2019 Liqueur de Coing Sauvage – 50cl	£33.30
2021 Liqueur de Tomate – 50cl	£36.15
2021 Cedrat – 50cl	£40.80
2017 Liqueur de Prunelle – 50cl	£39.10
2019 Liqueurs de Guignes & Guins	£41.15
2022 Goutte de Reine-Claude Dorée- 50cl	£73.05
2020 Goutte de Poire Williams Passerillé – 50cl	£69.70
NV Bitter Vermouth	N/A

Domaine de Calmette, Maya & Nicolas Fernandez

Region: Cahors, South West France

Agent/Distributor: Modal Wines

Table: 118

A small winery since 2017. They farm a few plots of old vines on the Jurassic limestone plateau of Cahors, following the principles of regenerative agriculture: green manure, compost addition, minimal tillage. Their wines attempt to express the finest and most delicate facets of Malbec, and the unique combination of maturity and freshness of their terroirs.

2022 Serpent à Plumes £15.80

2022 Trespotz £16.90

2021 Vignes Noires £22.00

NV Espace Bleu Entre Les Nuages £22.00

2020 Butte Rouge £29.50

2022 Nyctalope £17.75

2021 Résurgences £24.50

Further notes

Château du Cèdre, Famille Verhaeghe

Region: Cahors, South West France

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 119

Château du Cèdre has been run by the Verhaeghe brothers – Pascal and Jean-Marc for over twenty years. The vineyards have been tended in accordance with an organic approach since 2000 and the estate was certified organic in 2012. The Malbec grape makes unique wines. Thriving on the great Château du Cèdre terroir and pampered by the meticulous approach of the Verhaeghe brothers, long ageing periods in oak barrels and 57hl casks, it gives birth to wines with floral (violet) and black fruit aromas, wines that are dense, long and particularly elegant. The vineyards' 3 parcels are made up of the two best types of soil in the Cahors appellation: the larger one (13 hectares) is situated on colluvial limestone soils which produce straightforward wines with fine tannins, particularly long on the palate. Both other parcels (6 & 8 hectares) have pebbles mixed with ferruginous sand on the surface and siliceous earth and clay beneath. The wines they produce are rich and powerful.

2022 Héritage Blanc du Cèdre	N/A
2022 Camille Malbec	£8.00
2020 Héritage du Cèdre	£10.40
2022 Château du Cèdre, Cahors	£16.10
2022 L'Improbable	N/A
2022 Cahors Extra Libre	£17.10
2020 Le Cèdre, Cahors	£33.15
2020 Le Grand Cèdre GC	£74.05

Further notes

Clos Lapeyre, Jean-Bernard Larrieu

Region: Jurançon, South West France

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 120

For three generations, the Larrieu family has been growing vines on the steep hillsides facing the Pyrenees. "Our wish is to make highly expressive wines which reveal our terroir and express a sense of place. On converting to organic methods of agriculture, we had to rethink the way we grow vines at Clos Lapeyre: no more weedkiller, the use only of organic manures, a return to ploughing the land and to using sulphur compounds and plant extracts for protective spraying. We also selectively harvest and ferment different plots separately." These wines are about the glory of the Manseng – Gros Manseng for dry aromatic wines and the noble Petit Manseng for hedonistic late harvest nectars.

2022 Jurançon Sec £12.35

2018 Jurançon sec "Mantoulan" N/A

2022 "Evidençia de Lapeyre" £16.65

2020 Jurançon Sec, « Vitatge Vielh » £15.50

2022 Jurançon Moelleux £15.00

2019 La Magendia de Lapeyre £21.80

Further notes

LANGUEDOC & ROUSSILLON

Mas de Daumas Gassac, Guibert Family, Vallée de Gassac

Region: Languedoc

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 121

Within 50 years the Mas de Daumas Gassac wines have reached the rare status of 'cult wine' that is only given to a limited number of exceptional estates in the world. The estate had been farmed in the traditional and natural way for thousands of years before the Guibert family established the Grand Crus vineyard of the Gassac valley. Divided into sixty-three small vineyard plots amongst 3,000 hectares of protected forest cultivated without any chemical or pesticide, Mas de Daumas Gassac remains a virgin land farmed with total respect of Mother Nature to preserve its balance. With the specific soil of the Gassac valley, a very cool microclimate, more than forty different grape varieties and winemaking, ageing, 'savoir-faire' inspired by the great Emile Peynaud, the wines from Mas de Daumas Gassac are incomparable to any other and have established a style of their own. There are few wineries on earth that one can point to as being responsible for creating revolutions, let alone one in a country with as esteemed a wine tradition as France.

2022 Mas de Daumas Gassac Rosé Frizant £17.40

2023 Mas de Daumas Gassac Blanc £41.90

2020 Mas de Daumas Gassac Rouge £37.95

2014 Mas de Daumas Gassac Rouge POA

2020 Vin de Laurence Doux ~ 50cl £79.60

Further notes

Clos du Gravillas, Nicole & John Bojanowski

Region: St-Jean-de-Minervois, Languedoc

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 122

Nicole & John Bojanowski grow frank and elegant wines and champion the cause of old local varieties – inviting them back to their place in the tale of Languedoc. Clos du Gravillas is 8 hectares, home to 15 grape varieties on a 300-metre-high plateau of crushed white gravel chips in the Parc Naturel de Haut Languedoc. Vines are worked organically (Ecocert). Pickers throw any grapes not good enough to eat on the ground. They believe that in the south they should make wine from ripe grapes (God gave us the sun) and balance the acidity by using old adapted varieties like Carignan, high altitude vines on limestone, and working organically.

2023 Emmenez-Moi au Bout de Terret £15.50

2022 Minervois Blanc « L’Inattendu » £18.95

2022 A Fleur de Peau Muscat £18.95

2022 Sous Les Cailloux des Grillons £13.20

2022 Rendez-Vous Sur La Lune £15.50

2021 « Lo Vielh » £18.95

2023 Muscat de Saint-Jean de Minervois
« Douce Providence » - 50cl £12.55

Further notes

Mas Foulaquier, Pierre Jéquier & Blandine Chauchat

Region: Pic Saint-Loup, Languedoc

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 123

With its old stone farmhouse built over centuries, Mas Foulaquier is situated at the northern edge of the designated Pic Saint Loup 'cru'. The farm overlooks a large plot of 8 hectares of sloping vines, similar to an enclosed Burgundy parcel. In addition to this lovely setting, the property is part of the exceptional Pic-St-Loup terroir: a pebbly landscape warmed by the southern sun and cooled by the climate of the lower reaches of the Cévennes. The vines are cultivated and treated with biodynamic preparations applied in accordance with the biodynamic sowing calendar. The grapes are harvested by hand, transferred into vats by gravity and fermented using only indigenous yeasts, without the addition of oenological products. No synthetic substances are used on the vines, nor any oenological products in the wine production.

2022 Into The White	N/A
2022 Orange à la Mer	£19.25
2019 Les Montagnes Bleues	£13.45
2020 L'Orphée	£16.85

Further notes

Domaine Le Roc des Anges, Marjorie Gallet

Region: Montner, Roussillon

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 124

Roc des Anges was created in 2001 in Montner, North Catalogne. The vineyard lies on a northern exposed schist hill and is mainly planted with Mediterranean grape varieties which are admirably adapted to the Roussillon climate such as Grenache Gris, Macabeu, and Carignan. Biodynamic farming is practiced producing mineral and vibrant wines perfectly made for food. Terres de Fagayra was created in 2008 and is dedicated to fortified wines made only from old vines planted on schist and calco-schist soils. It is a special place for unique wines where sugar and alcohol are the basis of terrific minerality. In these two projects, there is one philosophy: to take pleasure in everyday farming, produce authentic wines perfectly reflecting their terroir, farm naturally and sensibly and to find balance and energy in the wines.

2022 Llum Blanc Vieilles Vignes £21.80

2022 Segna de Cor £15.50

NV Alquimia Vin de Voile £22.55

Domaine Terres de Fagayra

Region: Maury, Roussillon

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 124

2022 Maury Vintage Blanc £28.60

Further notes

Domaine Padié, Jean-Philippe Padié

Region: Calce, Roussillon

Agent/Distributor: Provisions

Table: 125

After growing up in Burgundy and studying in Montpellier, Jean-Philippe Padié found himself making wine in the tiny village Calce, Roussillon. Just 20 mins north of Perpignan, Calce is known for its strong community of natural winemakers. Jean-Philippe learnt his craft with respected Roussillon winemakers like Domain Gauby and Olivier Pithon, before buying his first land in 2003. Jean-Philippe now farms 18ha, some owned and some rented, and also buys fruit from some villages a little higher up into the hills.

2021 Fleur de Cailloux £18.50

2022 Milouise £28.20

2020 Petit Taureau £17.20

2022 Gibraltar £23.60

2020 Cailhoum £23.40

Further notes

RHONE

Les Vignerons d'Estézargues

Region: Southern Rhône

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 126

Les Vignerons d'Estézargues is a co-operative cellar in the heart of the Côtes du Rhône Villages near Avignon. Since 1995 the Co-op has taken a fundamentally different approach to the production of wine from other co-ops in the country; rather than producing large batches of wine from grapes from many different vineyards the ten growers began to vinify their wine separately and make single cuvées from the best plots. Natural winemaking is practiced; no external yeasts or enzymes are used, and the wines are unfiltered and unfinned.

2022 Les Galets Rouges £8.60

2022 Côtes-du-Rhône « Les Olivers” Bio £8.95

2023 Taparas Côtes-du-Rhône Rosé N/A

Further notes

Mas de Libian, Famille Thibon

Region: St Marcel de l'Ardèche, Southern Rhône

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 127

Located in Saint Marcel d'Ardèche on the western side of the Rhône river, at the very end of the gorge of the Ardèche, Mas de Libian has belonged to the Thibon family since 1670. A family winery handed down from generation to generation, these 23 hectares have always been worked organically and are certified biodynamic by Demeter; the soils have been subjected to neither pesticides nor weed-killers. The vineyards are ploughed by horse. A terroir bathed in sunlight, Mas de Libian proudly identifies as a southern French winery by producing wines from a blend of different grape varieties (Grenache, Mourvèdre, Syrah, Counoise, Vaccarese, etc.) from a classically Rhône terroir of rounded river rocks and red clay.

2023 Cave Vinum Blanc	£15.60
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2023 VDF Vin de Pétanque	£11.45
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2022 Côtes-du-Rhône « Bout d'Zan »	£12.50
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2022 Côtes-du-Rhône "Khayyam"	£15.05
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Further notes

PROVENCE

Domaine Les Terres Promises, Jean Christophe Comor

Region: Var, Provence

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 128

Les Terres Promises is on the eastern flank of Mont Saint-Baume and comprises 15-hectares of organically-farmed vineyards. In order to offer live and “Inimitable” wines, they work the land and vineyards. Work in the cellar is done with the same meticulous attention to detail, in order to preserve the fruit and freshness. Their aim is simply to highlight what makes wine: the earth in which the roots of the vines plunge, the climate, the vintage and the actions of the vigneron to help bring the wines to life.

2023 Appel d’Air Blanc N/A

2023 A Bouche Que Veux Tu Blanc N/A

2023 L’Apostrophe Rosé £14.25

2023 L’Antidote Rouge £14.90

2023 Anachronie Rouge N/A

Further notes

Domaine de la Tour du Bon, Agnès Henry

Region: Bandol, Provence

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 129

The Domaine de la Tour du Bon is located in « Le Castellet », a village between Marseille and Toulon, 10km away from the Mediterranean sea, on a clay-limestone plateau, surrounded by pine trees. Family owned since 1968, at first considered as a holiday spot, the domain has always been taken care of with a special attention to the environment. It has grown in size progressively to attain 15 hectares of vines, leaving to wild nature a full space : hills, woods, garrigue. Their aim is for the vines to grow with the same pleasure as the family have living there. They have always abided by AOC Bandol requirements (no irrigation, green harvesting, limited yield to 40hL/ha, hand harvest, ...) to ensure a durability for the vines, and a quality for the wines. The relatively small size of the estate allows the same team to take care of both the vines and the cellar, keeping the same philosophy from start to finish. Historically, the domain has always produced red, rosé and white Bandol wines. The rosé and red wines are mainly made from Mourvèdre. Trying to keep freshness and fruits, they seek the right equilibrium between strength, tannins, acidity and aromas. And in 2013, they began their journey with amphora: "100% Mourvèdre macerated in 4hL clay pots surprised us : Mourvèdre, returning to earth – with no wood contact, expressed itself very differently than what everyone was used to." They started with « En Sol » in IGP Méditerranée but have kept on having fun, creating small cuvées to explore the surprising Mourvèdre world!

2023 Bandol Blanc £21.35

2023 Bandol Rosé £19.20

2021 Bandol Rouge £28.90

2022 IGP Méditerranée « En Sol » £40.65

Further notes

LOIRE

Domaine Saint Nicolas, Thierry Michon

Region : Fiefs-Vendéen, Loire

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 130

Three generations of wine producers in the heart of the Loire champion biodynamics and religiously ensure that no chemical spreads from other winemakers seep into their land. Beginning their vinification story back in 1960 when Patrice Michon settled in Brem-sur-Mer and inherited several acres of vines that belonged to his father. In 1970 Patrice Michon moved to Ile d'Olonne and built a winery, where in 1984 he was joined by his two sons Thierry and Eric, over time their land has expanded, today covering 32 hectares. Due to its proximity to the ocean, Domaine Saint Nicolas benefits from a micro-climate: sea, woodland and the marshes of the Ile d'Olonne.

2023 Vin de Thierry £14.10

2021 VdF Le Haut Chemin Blanc £27.45

2021 Cuvée Roche Blanche POA

2021 Vin d'Antoine £14.10

2019 Cuvée Jacques POA

Further notes

Domaine Luneau-Papin, Marie Chartier-Luneau & Pierre-Marie Luneau

Region : Muscadet, Pays Nantais, Loire

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 131

Pierre Luneau and Monique Papin set up the Domaine Luneau-Papin in 1993. Their son, Pierre-Marie (who is the eighth generation of the family to be a vigneron) joined them in the family venture in 2005. Pierre and Monique were both born into prominent local wine-producing families; Pierre's family, the Luneau family, in Le Landreau since 1680, and Monique's family, the Papin family, in La Chapelle-Heulin since 1660. Now in its 9th generation, 20 kilometres from Nantes at the heart of the Muscadet Sèvre et Maine wine-growing region, Marie and Pierre-Marie Luneau farm 28 vine plots using organic and biodynamic methods. Two winegrowers who combine artisan expertise and the dedication of farmers in defence of living things. A DNA that shapes the brand's strength and image.

2022 Muscadet « Terre de Pierre » £20.80

2022 Muscadet « Vera Cruz » £20.80

2020 Muscadet « Le Clos des Noëlls » Excelsior £28.15

PM & M Luneau, Marie Chartier-Luneau & Pierre-Marie Luneau

Region : Muscadet, Pays Nantais, Loire

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 131

This innovative and future-oriented project was born from the desire to offer clients a different and complementary offer from their Luneau-Papin muscadet collection. They have been raising Muscadet for 9 generations and do it well so why not weave another collection that could be distributed in larger networks at fair price/pleasure ratios for all.

2022 PM & M Folle Blanche £11.55

2022 PM & M Muscadet « Garance » £11.85

Domaines Jo Landron

Region : Pays Nantais, Loire

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 132

The domaine was first established by Pierre Landron in 1945. In 1979 Joseph, his son, joined him and took on the running in 1990. In 1999 Jo converted the vineyards to 100% organic viticulture and in 2008 took the leap to full biodynamic viticulture achieving Biodyvin certification in 2011. The 46 ha of vineyards are planted mostly with Melon Blanc (90%) with the final 10% split between Folle Blanche, Chardonnay and Pinot Noir. Wines are aged on the lees for 8 to 24 months allowing them to develop their own personalities and a deep mineral expression.

2023 Grains de Raisins Muscadet Nouveau £12.70

2022 Muscadet Amphibolite £15.60

2022 Le Clos de la Carizière £14.35

2021 Melonix £17.20

2018 « Le Fief du Breil » £22.40

Domaine de la Sénéchalière, Marc Pesnot

Region : Pays Nantais, Loire

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 133

The domaine comprises approximately 13-hectares of vines, mostly Melon de Bourgogne although in recent years Marc has also been working with Abouriou (q.v. Elian da Ros and Marmandais). The soils are schistous, and many of the vines well over 50 years of age; for Miss Terre, the vines are up to 80 years old. He works organically, labouring the soil and opting for essential oils and copper treatments over synthetic products. This 'natural' feel continues into the cellar where he uses a minimal amount of sulphur, which is only ever at the time of bottling.

2023 VdF Cœur de Raisins £14.90

2022 VdF Melon « La Bohème » £16.15

2022 Melon « Miss Terre » £19.40

2022 VdF Folle Blanche vieilles vignes £18.75

Further notes

Domaine Lise & Bertrand Jousset

Region : Montlouis, Loire

Agent/Distributor : The Winemaker's Club

Table : 134

Bertrand, a former soldier, and Lise, a trained sommelier, moved to Montlouis-sur-Loire in 2003. Their 11-hectare estate has vineyards ranging between 30 and 130 years of age. So delicate and fragile are their vineyards and terroir, and so committed are they to natural farming and winemaking, that like many in the Loire, the Joussets have seen three out of the last five vintages fail. As a result, they have resourcefully decided to make a few wines from grapes bought from other areas and regions, even as far away as Gaillac in the South West.

2022 Exilé blanc sparkling~ Chenin & Colombard £15.64

2022 Bubulle ~ Chenin £21.48

2022 Rose à lies ~ Gamay/Grolleau £16.81

2022 Exilé Blanc £14.47

2022 Premier Rendez-Vous £20.31

2020 Premier Rendez-Vous Version Longue £24.99

2022 Peaux à Peaux £20.31

Further notes

Domaine des Roches Neuves, Thierry Germain

Region : Saumur, Loire

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 135

Roches-Neuves covers 28-ha in a superb viticultural location in the heart of Saumur. Thierry Germain comes from a long line of Bordeaux winemakers and arrived in the Loire in 1991, attracted by the region's climate and terroir which he considers to be amongst the finest in France. His vineyards are worked with horses and with care and love to bring the soil to health and the vines to balance. Harvest is manual and vinification is precise and at cool temperature to bring out the sapidity and fruit in the wine.

2022 Saumur Blanc « Insolite » £22.80

2022 Saumur Blanc « Clos Romans » £47.10

2021 « Terres » Amphore Blanc £50.10

2023 Saumur-Champigny £14.90

2021 Saumur-Champigny « Terres Chaudes » £22.80

2021 Saumur-Champigny « Franc de Pied » £31.90

2021 Saumur-Champigny « Clos de l'Echelier » £33.50

2021 Saumur-Champigny « Les Memoires » £36.50

Domaine Jeanne Germain, Saumur**Region** : Saumur, Loire**Agent/Distributor** : Les Caves de Pyrène**Table** : 136

The love of wine and the passion for horses have driven Jeanne for a long time, prompting her to take the leap and make her first vintage in 2019. Since then, with the help of her companion Florent, they have tended the 1.7 hectares of their vines in the Loire Valley in Saumur-Champigny with the help of their horses Ben and Contesse in a search for harmony with nature. Since their first release of La Foulee, they continue to expand their estate and discover other terroirs, inspired by the philosophy of biodynamics and keen to work with the plant in its environment.

2021 Saumur-Champigny « La Foulée » £21.30

2022 Saumur-Champigny « La Foulée » £21.30

Further notes

Domaine de la Chevalerie, Famille Caslot

Region : Bourgueil, Loire

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 137

The Caslot family have been farming their domaine of thirty-three hectares since 1640 from their farmhouse which sits on the hill overlooking the vines in the heart of the superb terroir of Restigné. Several cuvées of varying degrees of intensity and complexity are made from different soils and organically (and biodynamically) farmed vines. Some wines are to be quaffed with a smile and some smoked meats, the more profound versions (which will age decades) should be decanted to allow the fruit and mineral perfumes to mingle.

2020 Bourgueil « Franco de Porc » £11.80

2017 Bourgueil « Les Galichets » £14.80

2018 Bourgueil “Les Galichets” £14.80

2015 Bourgueil “Bretèche” £16.30

2017 Bourgueil “Bretèche” £16.30

Further notes

Domaine Catherine & Pierre Breton

Region : Bourgueil & Vouvray, Loire

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 138

The Breton philosophy stems, in their own words, from a love of the land. The vineyards see ultra-intense organic care; no chemicals are used; yields are restricted, and harvest is by hand. Once the grapes have arrived at the cellars they are fermented according to terroir, with those from gravelly soils going into stainless steel, whereas those from clay-limestone vineyards are fermented in old oak vats. Indigenous yeasts are used and their desire for "natural" winemaking comes through strong in their resistance to the use of sulphur, with as little used as possible, and the wines are bottled unfiltered.

NV Vouvray Brut « La Dilettante »	£16.90
2022 Vouvray « La Dilettante »	£16.00
1989 Vouvray Demi Sec "Bois Guyon"	£54.50
2022 Bourgueil « Trinch! »	£15.30
2023 Bourgueil « Avis de Vin Fort »	£15.30
2023 IGP Val de Loire Grolleau	£14.95
2021 Bourgueil « Dilettante »	£17.20
2022 Bourgueil "Dilettante"	£17.20
2022 Chinon « Les Beaux Monts »	£17.20
2020 Bourgueil « Perrières »	£24.90

Domaine Sébastien David

Region: Saint-Nicolas de Bourgueil, Loire

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 139

The David family have had a vineyard in Saint Nicholas de Bourgueil since 1634. Sébastien practices organic farming at his estate and is certified by ECOCERT. Grapes are fermented as whole bunches with wild yeasts and using carbonic maceration, followed by a light pressing in order to preserve the maximum of the fruit characteristics. The wines are bottled without filtration, fining and virtually no sulphur.

2023 Hurluberlu £12.75

2021 Kezako N/A

2020 Saint-Nicolas de Bourgueil « Coëf » N/A

Further notes

4 Ever Wine, Vinmouth, Jean-Luc Josse

Region: Montlouis, Loire

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 140

As far as the vermouth production process is concerned, Jean-Luc Josse aims to make them according to the grape variety and the vintage. The wine's structure allows them to adjust the alcohol and aromatics to preserve the wine's typical character. They only work with the natural sugars found in the wine. The residual sugar content depends on the grape variety (acidity) and the vintage. They are unfiltered, with little or no sulphur added (depending on the vintage). They co-work with natural winemakers (such as Nicolas Reau) to provide the highest quality products.

2021 Vermouth Original Blanc	£31.05
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2021 Vermouth Cabernet Franc	£43.40
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Further notes

Domaine Le Clocher, Brendan Tracey

Region: Vendôme, Loire

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 141

Former journalist, punk and radio presenter, Brendan Tracey hails from the USA where he was inspired in the 1970s by the punk anarchist mentality. He then came to his adoptive country, France, and spent his training partly under Thierry Puzelat, taking advantage of Thierry's rigorous winemaking and vineyard management expertise. He started his own business in 2010 making wines from purchased grapes (the equivalent of 2 hectares then) and from the start he vinified the natural way, using only wild yeast and working like Thierry on reds, with semi-carbonic macerations. Now the overall vineyard surface is 5 hectares and Brendan makes various wines from Sauvignon, Pinot Noir, Gamay, Côt, Romorantin, Cabernet Franc and Pineau d'Aunis.

2022 « Capitalisme Rouge » £14.90

2021 Pour Un Poignée de Bouteilles £14.90

2020 Wah Wah Light N/A

2021 Fuzz N/A

Further notes

Hervé Villemade

Region: Cellettes, Cheverny, Loire

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 142

In 1939 Désiré and Gilberte Villemade arrived at the small farm in the heart of the Cheverny appellation in Cellettes. In 1999 their grandchildren, Hervé and Isabelle took over the domaine from their parents and converted it to organic farming. Harvests are manual and vinification is carried out without any chemicals, just a small dose of sulphur when bottling.

2022 Cheverny Blanc	£14.35
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2022 Cheverny Blanc « Montcrochet »	POA
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2020 Cour-Cheverny « Acacias »	£27.25
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2022 Cheverny Rouge	£14.65
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2022 VdF « Pivoine »	£17.80
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2023 Rosé VdF	£13.90
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Further notes

Clos du Tue-Bœuf, Famille Puzelat

Region : Les Montils, Cheverny & Touraine, Loire

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 143

Jean-Marie and Thierry Puzelat converted the estate to organic viticulture in 1996. Grape harvest is performed by hand, in order to sort grapes and keep only healthy and ripe ones. The vinification process involves no manipulation or input. Only very low doses of sulphites may be added upon bottling. For the Puzelats, making wine means positioning oneself as an intermediary between the soil and the glass of wine. It is to enhance the diversity of the plot of vines. It is to imprint the characteristics of the terroir and the vintage. It's offering cuvées that express the place where they come from and the climate in which they came from.

2023 Vin Blanc	£14.05
2022 VdF Romorantin	£22.95
2022 Buisson Pouilleux	£20.55
2022 Brin de Chèvre	£22.95
2022 VdF Vin Rouge	£14.05
2022 Cheverny Rouge "Rouillon"	£18.30
2022 Cheverny Rouge "Caillère"	£22.70
2022 Touraine Rouge « La Guerrierie »	£20.10

Les Chemins de l'Arkose, Yvan Bernard & Audrey Baldassin

Region : Côtes d'Auvergne, Auvergne, Loire

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 144

The Les Chemins de l'Arkose is located in the heart of Montpeyroux in the Auvergne region. Yvan Bernard and Audrey Baldassin cultivate 8-hectares of vines on the various beautiful terroirs of Puy-de-Dôme. The soils are clay-limestone, more or less mixed with volcanic ash with basaltic intrusions. In a vineyard area that is very fragmented and therefore difficult to mechanise, they work by hand and with respect for the environment and according to the precepts of organic culture, in other words without insecticides, fungicides or synthetic chemical treatments.

2022 Le Clos Rouge £14.95

2021 Arkose Rouge vieilles vignes £17.95

2022 VdF « Les Terrasses » £21.30

Further notes

Cave Verdier-Logel, Odile Verdier & Jacky Logel

Region : Côtes du Forez, Loire

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 145

The Cave Verdier-Logel's vineyard is situated in the central massif of France (100km from Lyon), close to the Loire's source. Two soils are characteristic of the Forez region: granitic and volcanic. The Gamay grapes, traditionally grown (AOP, Côtes du Forez since 2000), develop fruity and light aromas on the granite but can be strong and concentrated on the basalt stone. Employing organic agriculture since 1997, their wish is to pass the terroir onto the wine as much as possible.

2023 Côtes du Forez « Les Gourmets » £12.20

2023 Côtes du Forez « Volcanique » Rouge £13.10

2022 Côtes du Forez « Poycelan » £15.45

Further notes

ALSACE

Domaine Pierre Frick, Jean-Pierre Frick

Region: Pfaffenheim, Alsace

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 146

The Pierre Frick Estate has had close ties with the region for twelve generations and looks after 12 hectares of vineyards today. Organic farming has been practiced since 1970 and biodynamic farming since 1981. Grapes are picked and selected by hand. The juice is fermented using only indigenous yeasts. Because there is no added sugar, no correction to acidity levels, no physical treatment and no additives except some sulphur, each cuvee is a faithful and balanced reflection of the vineyard site, the vintage and the treatment of the vines during the year. Many wines are vinified without adding sulphur. Jean Pierre does not "make" wines, rather allows them to develop their own lively, healthy and authentic character.

2018 Riesling B	£22.85
2021 Pinot Blanc	£22.90
2016 Sylvaner Bergweingarten	£24.20
2020 Riesling Grand Cru Steinert	£31.15
2020 Riesling Grand Cru Vorbourg Maceration	£31.15
2021 Pinot Gris V Maceration	£25.10
2021 Pinot Noir Fischbach	£24.95
2019 Pinot "Nobilis"	£32.25

Domaine Christian Binner**Region:** Ammerschwihr, Alsace**Agent/Distributor:** Les Caves de Pyrène**Table: 147**

The Binner family has owned vines in Alsace since 1770 and operates 11 ha of vineyards in the Colmar region known for its excellent climate receiving the least amount of rain in the whole of France. Organic and biodynamic agriculture is practiced, and wines are vinified using only natural yeasts and minimal sulphur. Wines are aged in 100-year-old large foudres, undergo malolactic fermentation and are neither fined nor filtered.

2021 Riesling Le Champ des Alouettes £22.30

2022 Les Saveurs Macérées £14.70

NV VdF Si Rose £24.35

2019 Riesling Grand Cru "Schlossberg" £33.45

2022 Pinot Noir £24.35

2015 Pinot Noir "Excellence" £37.20

2003 Muscat Grains Nobles "Hinterberg" ~ 37.5 cl £21.50

Domaine de l'Achillée & Pépin, Yves, Pierre & Jean Dietrich

Region: Scherwiller, Alsace

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 148

The Dietrich family has farmed land in Alsace since 1600, mostly in the village of Scherwiller, but also in an adjacent village. In the past the family farm used to be run on the basis of polyculture but these days the family concentrates on growing grape vines and other fruit. In 1999, Yves converted the estate to organic farming, then Pierre and Jean took over the responsibility of the winery in 2016 and were the first members of the family to bottle the estate's wines. The estate has been farmed biodynamically ever since 2003 and includes 18.5 hectares of vines and 6 hectares of fruit trees from which the family produce Pet Nats from black and red cherries, damsons and Victoria plums. The cellar, located in the centre of Alsace wine road, is the largest building in Europe made out of straw.

2020 Crémant Zero Dosage	£21.95
2021 Alsace Blanc	£17.25
NV Riesling Regular	£18.40
2021 Riesling Scherwiller	£27.40
2019 Riesling "Schieferberg" ~ magnum	N/A
NV Pépin Blanc Lot 14	£15.25
NV Pépin Orange Lot 26	£16.75
NV Pépin Rouge 09	N/A
NV Pépin Pet Nat 06	N/A
2021 Pinot Noir Libre	£22.80
2017 Pinot Noir "Granite" ~ magnum	N/A

BUGEY

La Cuverie, Aurélien Beyeklian

Region: Bugey

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 149

At "La Cuverie", Aurélien Beyeklian believes in a natural, humble, and friendly approach to wine with determination & passion. After a first professional career around the world with the Red Cross, he decided, at 40, to start all over again! A few essential encounters (apprenticeship with the Bret brothers in Vinzelles), the need of a different life and the conviction that Bugey is home of wonderful wines: this is what pushed him to become a winemaker.

2022 Patchwork Chardonnay £17.70

2022 Gloussard Plouplou £19.90

NV Cerdon Rosé £15.60

Further notes

HAUTE-SAVOIE

Les Vignes de Paradis, Dominique Lucas

Region: Haute-Savoie

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 150

Dominique Lucas was born and brought up in the Burgundy region where his family has owned vines in various parcels all around Pommard, and where five generations of the Lucas family have produced wine. He now runs two wine estates: his family's vines in Burgundy, in and around the village of Pommard, and his own domaine in the department of Haute-Savoie which he purchased in 2008. The domaine is 8 hectares near Lake Léman. Dominique farms 8 different grape varieties biodynamically and produces 14 different cuvées. Vinification takes place in cement egg tanks, terracotta amphorae, demi-muids and pyramid shaped tanks.

2022 Savagnin Allobroges £27.75

2022 Chasselas "Face au Lac" £27.75

2022 Chenin N/A

2021 Vin des Allobroges Rouge "Comme Une Evidence" N/A

Further notes

BORDEAUX

Château Lamery, Jacques Broustet

Region: Bordeaux

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 151

Jacques' grandfather bought the domaine situated 50km south east of Bordeaux at the Garonne side of Entre Deux Mers back in 1935. Surrounding the two-century old residence and cellar is the south facing vineyard of 4.3 hectares of well drained sandy-clay soil. The vines, aged from 25 to over 70+ years are planted with the three classic Bordeaux grape varieties – Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc and Merlot as well as the rarer grape Côt, or Malbec. In 2006, Jacques turned his back on classical viticulture and vinification with chemicals and fertilisers and made the change to biodynamics.

2016 Autrement de Lamery

£18.30

Further notes

Château Bois de la Gravette, Lucie Maçais

Region: Moulis & Listrac, Médoc, Bordeaux

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 152

25-year-old Lucie Maçais runs an organic vineyard of 4.5 hectares in the Médoc on the commune of Moulis and Listrac Medoc (probably the youngest female winemaker in all the Médoc). She produces red and rosé wines for the moment with a project of planting some white grapes in Moulis. Part of the vineyards she manages belongs to her grandfather who still lives in the house next to it. Supported by her family, her objective is to acquire 6 hectares of vines, producing fresh and authentic wines from the Medoc. In the cellar, Lucie experiments with different containers and uses minimum sulphites. Her philosophy and personality is really refreshing.

2022 VdF « Oups! » £19.70

2022 Moulis « Idyllik » £21.90

2020 Listrac Médoc £19.25

Further notes

BEAUJOLAIS

Domaine Jean-Claude Lapalu

Region: Brouilly, Beaujolais

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 153

With Jean-Claude Lapalu's wine you can detect the fists behind the fruit. This is one of the new crew of sternly-made rock steady cru Beaujolais. Grapes are hand-picked and sorted, loaded by conveyor to avoid damage, and given neither SO2 nor cultured yeasts during the fermentation. During the 8-10 days maceration, a wooden grill is used to enhance extraction. The wine stays at least a half year on its fine lees gaining power and complexity. And yet the Brouillys are neither heavy nor clumsy and one could easily imagine them ageing ten to fifteen years. Croix des Rameaux, from beautifully exposed prime parcels of eighty-year-old vines and aged in three-to-five-year-old barriques after a long cuvaison, disports a wonderfully wild nose of leather, tar and red cherry and palate-punching dark fruits: stylistically it seems to straddle Burgundy and the Rhône.

2019 Feu Follet Brut Zero	£27.30
2022 Beaujolais-Villages Vieilles Vignes	£16.60
2022 Brouilly Vieilles Vignes	£19.95
2021 VdF Eau Forte	£24.90
2022 VdF Eau Forte	POA
2020 Brouilly « Croix des Rameaux »	£24.90
2019 Beaujolais-Villages « Le Rang de Merle »	£27.00

Domaine Thillardon, Paul-Henri Thillardon

Region: Chénas, Beaujolais

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 154

Paul-Henri Thillardon, originally from Frontenas in the south of the Beaujolais region (where his father was a vigneron), settled in the appellation of Chénas in Beaujolais in 2008 at the ripe young age of 22. In 2009, he met Fleurie winemakers and movers-and-shakers of the Fleurie natural winemaking scene, Jean-Louis Dutraive and Yvon Métras, who took the young Paul-Henri under their wing. His own enthusiasm encouraged his brother Charles to join him in 2012, followed by his youngest brother Jean-Baptiste in 2017, and finally his sister Aude in 2018. The family domaine is in the village of Chassignol where they have four hectares of stunning very old vineyards (including some 80–100-year-old vines). In Chénas, the soils on the left of the river are sedimentary, whereas (decomposed) granite soils dominate on the right. This granite is very old, because there has never been any glacial erosion. Today, they cultivate a total of twelve hectares of vines, spread over the appellations of Chénas, Moulin-à-Vent and Chiroubles. They work according to the precepts of organic and biodynamic agriculture and are in conversion to full certification.

2021 VdF Georges Blanc £30.60

2022 Chénas “Les Carrières” £23.50

2022 Chénas « Vibrations » £24.25

2022 Chénas « Chassignol » £31.30

2022 Chénas « Blémonts » £25.80

2022 Moulin-à-Vent vieilles vignes « Alizes » £26.80

Domaine Guérin, Elisa Guérin

Region: Moulin-à-Vent & Chiroubles, Beaujolais

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 155

The Guerin's family estate, Domaine du Moulin D'Eole was established in 1907, and has developed and expanded over the years within the Moulin-à-Vent appellation. Philippe Guérin took over the domain in 1985 and widened it by buying vines over the emblematic terroir "Les Thorins". "Family of wine producers for 3 generations, in true craftsman, we dedicate ourselves to vines and the wines". In 2005, Philippe Guérin and his wife Nathalie, with whom he works on the estate, added Chiroubles to their domaine. Philippe is always in search of the expression of the terroirs, and they work with respect for the environment, he currently maintains 4ha in Moulin-à-Vent, along with 1ha in Chiroubles, with plans to transfer more vineyards to his daughter, Elisa, in the future. Each wine is harvested by hand, and all are vinified and bottled at the domain. This family of winegrowers is deeply rooted in the terroir.

2021 Moulin-à-Vent "Les Thorins"

£21.05

Further notes

Domaine Marcel Lapierre, Camille and Mathieu Lapierre

Region: Villié-Morgon, Beaujolais

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 156

Domaine Lapierre's vines have been cultivated organically since 1981 and are spread over 13ha in the Villié-Morgon area of Beaujolais. Today, this family estate is run by Camille and Mathieu Lapierre who took over operations with the passing of their father, Marcel. Work in the vineyards continues to respect ancient methods to reveal the unique terroir of the area; chemical fertilizers and synthetic products are eschewed in favour of compost, ploughing the vines and non-aggressive treatments to preserve the natural yeast living on the skins of the grapes. In the cellar fermentation occurs spontaneously due to the presence of these natural yeasts and without the addition of sulphur. The wines are bottled unfiltered and with a small addition of sulphur to stabilise the wine.

2023 Raisins Gaultois

£14.00

Vinoclat, Marie Lapierre & Jean Claude Chanudet

Region: Beaujolais

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 156

2021 VdF Cuvée du Chat

£15.50

Further notes

Château Cambon, Alexandre Iwasuila

Region: Beaujolais

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 157

The Cambon estate was planted originally in 1914 in three parcels in an area between Morgon and Brouilly on mixed clay-granite and calcareous sands. The plantings were expanded to make use of the diverse terroir and to create a harmonious definition of the entire plot of land. The vines are tended without chemicals or inorganic fertilisers, natural yeasts are used in the cellar and the wines are raised in 200-year-old foudres.

2023 Pet Nat	N/A
2022 Beaujolais Blanc	£17.30
2022 Château Cambon Beaujolais	£15.35

Further notes

BURGUNDY

Domaine de la Cadette, Famille Montanet

Region : Vézelay, Burgundy

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 158

Catherine and Jean Montanet created Domaine de la Cadette in 1987. It took them ten years to clear land and replant vines in an area that was, at the time, little known. By 1997, Vézelay was awarded its own AOC – in no small part down to the noble work they had carried out. Domaine Montanet-Thoden was created in 2000 by Catherine Montanet and an associate of hers, Tom Thoden, with vineyards inherited from Catherine's family. The region is cooler than Chablis, and the Pinots and Chardonnays have a wonderful precision. These are organically farmed, naturally-made wines and are super-consistent.

2022 Melon Blanc £17.00

2022 Bourgogne Vézelay « Clos du » £19.70

2022 Bourgogne Vézelay « Les Saulniers » £20.55

2021 Chablis £28.35

2022 Bourgogne Rouge « L'Ermitage » £21.30

2022 Bourgogne Rouge « Garance » £21.30

CHAMPAGNE

Champagne Hugues Godmé

Region : Verzenay, Montagne de Reims, Champagne

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 159

After Emile, Joseph and Bertrand, Hugues is the fifth generation to grow champagne in Verzenay. He has provided 40 years of technical knowledge necessary for the management of the vineyards and the development of their wines. He owns 11 hectares, 40 plots of vines spread over 4 villages of the Montagne de Reims Verzenay, Verzy, Villers-Marmery and Villedommange. Since 2006, they began farming organically (certified in 2013) then biodynamically (certified in 2014). For Godmé, top-quality vineyard work is of utmost importance for later quality in the glass. "When I see the grapes hanging on the vine, I already know how the champagne will taste later". This philosophy allows Godmé to produce Champagnes expressing the subtlety and strength of the terroirs of which they are from.

NV Les Terres d'Unions £42.50

NV Le Blanc de Noirs £49.35

2012 Les Alouettes St Bets £74.35

2013 Les Champs St Martin £80.40

2018 Rosé de Macération N/A

Further notes

Champagne Marie Copinet, Sézannais

Region : Sézannais, Champagne

Agent/Distributor : Modal Wines

Table : 160

Marie joined forces with her husband in 2015 and completely changed the vision for their wines. The entire estate is now certified organic – the spirit and vision are holistic, low intervention, single expressions of individual soil types and vinifications take place in eggs made from white clay from their village.

2019 Nos Pas Dans La Craie £32.50

2021 Nos Pas Dans L'Argile £32.50

2019 Nos Pas Dans La Terre £32.50

2018 Rupture Sans Sulfites £40.00

2019 Argilla Villonissa £45.00

2018 Kim & The Bear £29.50

Further notes

Champagne Thomas de Marne (Des Cotannes)

Region : Ville-sur-Arce, Champagne

Agent/Distributor : Les Caves de Pyrène

Table : 161

Thomas de Marne runs what was previously his family estate in the village of Ville-sur-Arce and is building on the work of his parents (Thierry de Marne and Valerie Frison) who took over the vines in 1997. After initially selling their grapes to the local cooperative, they began converting the vineyards to organic viticulture in 2003, and in 2007, the first vintage eligible for organic certification, they began to make small quantities of their own champagne under the name De Marne Frison. Thierry and Valerie separated in 2013 at which time the estate was relaunched by Valerie as Champagne Val Frison. Thomas, now in his 30s, returned to the 6-hectare estate in 2018 to run things alongside his mother, before taking over all operations in 2020.

NV Goustan Brut Nature	£40.30
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NV Lalore Blanc de Blancs	£44.05
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NV Holistique	£43.40
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Further notes

ARGENTINA

40/40, Lucas Pfister

Region: Mendoza, Argentina

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 162

After finishing his studies in France and some harvests around the world, Lucas decided to start this small project back home using only his favourite plots. The idea is to express as much as possible the terroir in the wines by avoiding over manipulation and winemaking tricks in the winery. The vineyard is located at 890m above sea-level. With a continental dry climate Ugartheche is known for very cold nights and very warm days. 40/40 is a blend of two parcels of Malbec. One richer in deeper clay soils and the other with some clay but a high percentage of gravels.

2022 Cuarenta Malbec £14.10

2020 Otro Andar Malbec £14.45

2022 Cuarenta Cabernet Sauvignon £14.75

Further notes

CHILE

Mauricio González Carreño

Region: Yumbel, Bío Bío, Chile

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 163

Mauricio is part of the Asociación de Productores de Vino Campesino de Chile, organised by natural wine advocate and sommelier Macarena Lladser. Their group of four, all practice within the wine regions inside of the Secano Interior. They dry farm their organic land and mostly old ungrafted vines. Devoted to low intervention winemaking they are committed to revitalizing the local heritage of the pipeño, a refreshing wine, low in alcohol, made from the grape País, raised in *pipas* – barrels made from the local wood raulí. Mauricio has 4 hectares of land to work, just himself, and his wife. Two hectares are planted to País, 1.5 to Malbec and 0.5 to Carignan. The Malbec and Carignan are grafted to País rootstock. He has a good amount of volcanic soil. Mauricio's harvests are manual, the wine ferments in a large traditional Raulí Lagar...open top. He does not use sulphur, except to clean...and no chemicals or modern technique of any kind to 'correct' the wine. The wine is aged in old *pipas* and *tinajas* (barrels and amphorae), and the result is authentic.

2022 Moscatel de Alejandria Tinaja £12.40

2021 Pipeño País £11.05

Further notes

Tara, Viña Ventisquero

Region: Atacama, Chile

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 164

Tara is a project born in the extremes of the Atacama Desert, known for being the driest on earth. The lack of rain, incredibly salty soils, and strong winds all contribute to Tara's unique and pure flavours. A place of mystery and silence, these wines are made in harmony with their surroundings. With a very hands-off approach, the wine is pressed by feet, bottled by hand, and unfinned and unfiltered. No additions are made to these wines, other than just enough sulphur to help preserve their clean, pure and mineral flavours.

2020 Tara White 1 ~ Chardonnay £26.55

2020 Tara Red 1 ~ Pinot Noir £26.55

2016 Tara Red 2 ~ Syrah £26.55

Further notes

GREECE

Georgas Family, Dimitris Georgas

Region: Spata, Attica, Greece

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 165

Dimitris Georgas is the fourth generation of the Georgas family to farm this estate and to produce wines, he took over the running of the family estate twenty years ago. The family's wine-making techniques have evolved over the years, responding to changes in the consumer palate, for instance, less resin is incorporated into the Retsina wines, and cold maceration is used. The family's 6-hectare estate comprises 12 small, but different plots.

2022 Malagouzia-Savatiano Black Label	N/A
2023 Yomatari Ancestral Pet Nat	N/A
2022 Retsina of Mesogaia	£14.45
2020 Seira #3 Red	£14.55
NV Aged Sweet Wine ~ 50 cl	£15.85

Further notes

Sclavos Zisimatos Winery

Region: Kefalonia, Greece

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 166

The Sclavos family traces its roots back for centuries in Cephalonia. A branch of the family immigrated in 1700 to the Black Sea port of Odessa in modern day Ukraine. As early as 1860 records exist of Evriviadis' great-great grandfather owning a large winery and family estate in Odessa. In 1919, following the Russian revolution, Evriviadis grandfather returned back to the island of Cephalonia to their property of 6 hectares in the Paliki peninsula where he planted his first vines of Mavrodaphne and Vostilidi, some of which are still in use today. Two generations later the domaine vineyards are assiduously cared for and have been cultivated for the past 20 years biodynamically. In addition to this Sclavos Wines also sources another 4 hectares from local farmers in the Robola zone of the island and have recently planted their own vines within the area.

2022 Efranor White	£15.25
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2023 Muscatus Temulentus	N/A
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2023 Vino di Sasso Robola	£16.95
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2022 Orgion Mavrodaphne	£17.90
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2021 Monambeles Red	N/A
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2022 Alchymiste Rosé	N/A
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Further notes

Kamara Estate, Kioutsoukis Family

Region: Oreokastro Thessaloniki, Greece

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 167

What happens when an entire family is passionate for nature? They abandon city life and move to the countryside. This is the story of the Kioutsoukis family (Dimitrios, Eleftheria and their children). Dimitrios Kioutsoukis with his family's assistance and inspiration planted 11 hectares of vines (mainly Greek grape varieties: Assyrtiko, Malagousia, Roditis, Xinomavro) in northern Greece near Thessaloniki, an area well known from ancient times for its wines.

Dimitrios, with his daughter Ria and sons Athanasius and Tolis carrying on the family tradition, are passionate about permaculture principles, and use organic methods. Their main goal is to create versatile wines that express both their philosophy and the terroir. All Kamara pure wines are naturally fermented with indigenous yeasts, have no oenological substances added and are bottled without filtration and no added sulphites.

2022 PGI Thessaloniki "Stalisma" ~ Malagousia £17.55

2022 PGI Thessaloniki "Shadow Play" White ~ Assyrtiko £17.55

2022 Retsina "Nimbus Ritinitis" £17.85

2022 Pet Nat Orange "Blooming Mountain" N/A

2022 Pet Nat Rosé "Blooming Island" POA

2020 Nimbus Russus N/A

2020 PGI Thessaloniki "Shadow Play" Red £18.65

2020 Keramos Orange £25.85

2020 Keramos Red £25.85

CROATIA

Piquentum, Dimitri Brečvić

Region: Istarka, Croatia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 168

Piquentum is a small family estate situated near the village of Buzet, in the peninsula of Istria, Croatia. With 5 hectares under vine they practice organic farming and work exclusively with indigenous varieties, such as Istrian Malvasia, Teran and Refošk. The vineyards are planted on hills ranging from 200 to 400m in altitude, and about 15km from the Adriatic Sea, with soils of white clay and limestone. Their geographic position – close to the sea but also not far from the Dinaric Alps – means they enjoy a Mediterranean climate with a big influence of continental winds which makes for ideal conditions for the vines. Colombera was a joint project between Dimitri & Marko Kovac to make Croatia's first out-an-out natural wine, being Malvazija from an untended, unpruned vineyard, wild-fermented and aged in barrel with zero sulphur additions.

2022 Malvazija £15.95

2021 Refošk £18.50

2021 Crno Vino £17.75

Further notes

SLOVENIA

Klabjan, Uroš Klabjan

Region: Istria, Slovenia

Agent/Distributor: Roland Wines

Table: 169

Uroš Klabjan cultivates wines in Istria 20km south of Trieste on the Slovenian side. The vineyards are located 3km from the Adriatic Sea near the Gulf of Trieste at an altitude of 45 to 120m above sea level. Klabjan's Malvasia and Refosco varieties are planted in a funnel-shaped valley that narrows down towards the Karst Hill further away from the sea. The 50-year-old wines benefit from a mixture of soils; limestone from the north and marl from the east. The Mediterranean climate has an intense maritime influence. The Burja (bora wind) moderates the diurnal temperature range and extends the growing season, which facilitates the optimal ripening for the ungrafted vines. Due to the organic farming and the natural balance, irrigation is not necessary even during hotter vintages. Uroš applies the same principles in the cellar as in the vineyards, no intervention. The wines ferment spontaneously with a relatively short skin maceration in order to preserve a pure expression of the fruit.

2020 Malvasia White Label £17.20

2019 Malvasia Black Label £24.70

2020 Muscat Black Label £28.20

2019 Refosk White Label £17.20

2016 Refosk Black Label £29.50

Further notes

Burja Estate, Primož Lavrenčič

Region: Vipava, Slovenia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

Table: 170

Strongly believing in respecting local grape varieties, Burja Estate winemaker Primož Lavrenčič bought a 60-year-old Malvasia vineyard in the Vipava Valley along the northern Adriatic coast some years ago. Today he produces Zelen, Pokalca (Schioppettino), Refošk (Refosco), Rebula (Ribolla Gialla), Malvazija (Malvasia d`Istria), Laški rizling (Italian Riesling, Welschriesling), Modra frankinja (Blaufränkisch) wines, ensuring that the principals of organic and biodynamic production are followed. Primož works with nature to encourage character and authenticity in his wines, always looking for spontaneous fermentation and diversity. Burja is now a Demeter biodynamic-certified estate.

2022 Zelen Vipava White	£16.55
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2021 Bela Vipava White	£19.15
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2022 Bela Vipava White	POA
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2020 Burja Reddo	£24.90
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2022 Burja Noir	N/A
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Further notes

CZECH REPUBLIC

Krásna Horá, Ondrej Dubas

Region: Moravia, Czech Republic

Agent/Distributor: Basket Press Wines

Table: 171

Krásná Hora is a small family-run winery based in Stary Poddvorov in Southern Moravia, Czech Republic. Certified organic, in the process of getting biodynamically certified and following low intervention principles in the cellar. The name Krásná Hora comes from their oldest vineyard which was planted in the 13th century.

2022 La Blanca £12.15

2022 Herr Gewurz £14.10

2022 Anna £14.10

2021 Blanc de Noir Sekt £18.50

2022 Ruby £12.15

2022 Pinot Noir £15.00

Further notes

Koráb, Petr Koráb

Region: South Moravia, Czech Republic

Agent/Distributor: Basket Press Wines

Table: 172

Koráb have biodynamically farmed 3 hectares of vineyards in the south Moravian wine region of the Czech Republic since 2006. They enjoy making sparkling, carbonic and orange wines in addition to still whites and reds. The focus from the beginning has been on old vineyards. Their intention is, first of all, to make authentic living wines. Work in the cellar is of minimum intervention, with no or little SO2 added.

2022 Malá Hora	POA
2022 Pinot Blanc Family Reserve	£18.00
2022 Ambero	£18.00
2022 Natur Ryšák	£17.50
2022 Karmazín	£16.00
2022 Dark Horse Pet Nat	£15.90
2022 Orange On Leaves	£16.90
2021 Quasi Crémant	£21.00

Further notes

Syfany, Jakub Zborovský

Region: South Moravia, Czech Republic

Agent/Distributor: Basket Press Wines

Table: 173

Grapes from Vrbice, cooper from Vejkovice and wood from the Ždánický forest – this is Jakub's winery and his belief in true terroir in the vicinity of 20 km. They take care of the vineyard with regard to long-term sustainability and the diversity of animal and plant species in their landscape. Therefore, it's necessary to support the natural functions of the agroecosystem, which are directly or indirectly influenced by agricultural production. They must combine their requirements for the vineyard and have to keep the land full of life so that it can serve the next generations as well.

2022 The Beast	£15.95
2018 Ryzlink Vlašský	£11.70
2019 Just White	£12.15
2017 Just Red	£12.15
2018 Just Rosé	£12.40
2017 André	£11.70
2021 Panic	£15.90
2020 Push Up	£14.70
2023 Pet Nat André Rosé	£14.70
2020 Blanc de Blancs	£16.80
2020 Rosé de Saignée	£21.00
NV Secondary Welschriesling	£14.90

Further notes

Jaroslav Osicka, Lubos Osicka

Region: Moravia, Czech Republic

Agent/Distributor: Basket Press Wines

Table: 174

Jaroslav Osicka is a small family-run winery located in Velké Bílovice, where they manage 3.5 hectares of vines. The winery is growing and producing wines in harmony with nature.

Characteristic traits of the winery: environmentally friendly production, the vineyards and grapes are treated in the organic regime for the last 20 years, spontaneously fermented wine, extended ageing in oak and acacia barrels. The wines are not filtered, and sulphites are added in small amounts before bottling.

2022 Moravian Rhapsody £13.80

2021 Pinot Gris £17.50

2022 Oranž £18.00

2022 Ryšák £13.50

2021 P.A.N Red £14.50

2020 Chardonnay £23.00

2021 BB POA

Further notes

SLOVAKIA

Magula Family Estate, Vladimír Magula

Region: Malokarpatská, Slovakia

Agent/Distributor: Basket Press Wines

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All of Magula's wines are made from grapes farmed organically (certified) and biodynamically (not certified yet) in their farm in Suchá nad Parnou, Malokarpatská region (southwestern Slovakia). The soil is loess, with high content of calcium, the climate is very dry (600 mm of rain/year). Vineyards are dry farmed; grapes are manually harvested. The wines are spontaneously fermented with native yeasts, there is no temperature control during fermentation, no fining, or filtration for any of the wines. As a rule, no additives are used in the cellar, with the exception of small amounts of sulphur (generally less than 20 mg/l).

2022 Jungberg Devín	£19.50
2022 Ružový VLK	POA
2022 Oranžový VLK	£19.50
2022 Carboniq	£14.50
2021 Teufelstal Pinot Noir	POA
2019 Baccara Rosé	£19.35
2019 Rosenberg Francovka	£19.30

HUNGARY

Tokaj-Hétszőlő Organic Vineyards

Region: Tokaji, Hungary

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

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The creation of the Royal Imperial Estate of Tokaj-Hétszolo estate owes nothing to chance: in 1502 the Garai family simply selected the best 7 parcels of the land in the region, hence the name – Hét Szolo which means “7 parcels of vineyard” in Hungarian, it has been under vine ever since. The site certainly has an illustrious history having been owned by the Habsburg royal family for two centuries. Now the vineyard is tended in line with environmental principles and the estate is cultivated organically. Ecological islands have been established next to vine parcels to increase biodiversity. Allied to these changes is a move towards more natural winemaking, using indigenous yeasts and spontaneous fermentation.

2021 Tokaji Dry Furmint Organic £12.55

2018 Tokaji Dry Furmint Selection – 50cl £17.05

2021 Tokaji Late Harvest – 50cl £14,20

2010 Tokaji 5 Puttonyos – 50cl £40.15

2017 Tokaji 6 Puttonyos Oulo 1er Cru POA

Further notes

GEORGIA

Pheasant's Tears, John Wurdeman & Gela Patalishvili

Region: Kakheti, Georgia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

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Pheasant's Tears was formed in 2006 as a collaboration between John Wurdeman, an artist from the US, and Gela Patalishvili, a multi generation vigneron. A winery devoted to showcasing the rare varieties and terroirs of Georgia they have multiple small vineyards in various regions, all of which are farmed organically. A wide range of varieties are used, and all are fermented and aged in qvevri, no additives are used except a minimum of SO2 in some bottlings, only when deemed necessary.

2022 Rkatsiteli Tibaani £15.10

2022 Rkatsiteli Bakurtsikhe £15.90

2022 Kisi £15.90

2021 Madlieri Red £10.60

2022 Chkhaveri Red £16.90

2021 Saperavi £15.65

Further notes

Okro's Wines & Sister's Wines, John Okruashvili

Region: Kakheti, Georgia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

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Okro's Wines is a family-run cellar in the small town of Signaghi in the Kakheti region. Established in 2004, the estate covers 5.5ha of vineyards, two cellars and a natural wine restaurant in the town. Six Georgian varieties of grapes are grown on the estate: Rkatsiteli, Mtsvane, Saperavi, Budeshuri, Tsolikouri and Tavkveri. Focus is placed on natural winegrowing and winemaking and no additives or sulphur are used in the making of the wine.

2021 Zvari Rkatsiteli	£12.85
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2021 Saperavi Budeshuri	£18.15
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2020 Sister's Tavkveri Rosé	£17.25
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Further notes

Nika Winery, Nika Bakhia

Region: Kakheti, Georgia

Agent/Distributor: Basket Press Wines

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From the very start in 2006, when Nika Bakhia, Georgian-German artist and sculptor, bought an abandoned vineyard in a little village Anaga, Kakheti, he made wines naturally, farming using organic practices and traditional Georgian qvevri vessels.

2020 Rkatsiteli Mtsvane Ma Fille POA

2021 Rkatsiteli Toco Poco POA

2021 Rkatsiteli Dato Noah POA

2021 Saperavi Amor POA

2020 Saperavi Nika POA

2020 Nika Saporto ~ fortified wine POA

Further notes

Vintners & Vagabonds (Igavi Wines), Aidan Raftery

Region: Imereti, Georgia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

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On his first visit, Aidan fell completely in love with the Georgia its people, culture and of course the wine, so much so that he decided to move there in 2019 and purchased a house and vineyard in Western Georgia in a small village called Zeindari. Igavi in Georgian means a fable or folk story and the name was inspired by a story he was told when he first visited Georgia which goes as follows; When young soldiers would go off to battle they would take a cutting from their family vineyard and tuck it by their heart, under their armour, so that if they were killed in battle their family's vine would grow up from their dead body. This tale is illustrated by different artists for each cuvée, but each is their individual interpretation of the story.

2022 Tsolikouri Imereti £17.40

2022 Aladasturi £16.40

2022 Chkhaveri Vani £16.60

2022 Mgaloblishvili £19.95

2022 Orbeluri Ojaleshi £19.80

Further notes

Iago Winery, Iago Bitarishvili

Region: Chardhaki Village, Kartli Region, Georgia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

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Situated in the Chardhaki village, Iago's vineyard is over 50 years-old. The 2ha of vines are farmed organically and planted with Chinuri, a traditional Georgian variety. Grapes are harvested when not only the grapes are ripe, but the stems are ripe as well, and both are put in the qvevris without pressing. This approach allows Iago to make wine without filtration or sulphur as the stems naturally filter the wine as they settle. All wines are produced in qvevri, some of which are over 300 years-old. Currently Iago produces around 5000 bottles of Iago's Wine.

2022 Iago Chinuri with skin contact £17.40

2022 Iago Pet Nat £18.15

Further notes

Marina's Wine, Marina Kurtanidze

Region: Chardhaki Village, Kartli, Georgia

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

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Marina Kurtanidze had been helping her husband Iago Bitarishvili (Iago's Wine) in their cellar in the village of Chardhaki in Kartli in central Georgia. Her first wine was made with her friend, Tea, and was indeed the first wine to be made by a woman to be commercialised in Georgia. Since then, she has made every vintage from the native Mtsvane grape, always in the traditional style of extended maceration on grape skins and stems in terracotta pots called qvevri which are buried in the floor of the cellar. Recently, the nature of the vintages has not allowed her to make her Mtsvane, so she has produced a red made from a blend of the local Chinuri white grape and the Tavkveri red grape. All the wines are natural, made with wild yeast ferments, unfiltered, unfinned and without added sulphites.

2022 Marina's Rose (Tavkveri-Chinuri)

£17.40

Further notes

LEBANON

Mersel Wine, Eddie & Michelle Chami

Region: Lebanon

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

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Mersel Wine is about embedding our culture with our wines. Lebanese people are warm and hospitable, they open their hearts and homes and welcome those around them. We wanted to create wines that fit with the Lebanese character, wines that are for everyone to enjoy. Mersel Wine is committed to producing high-quality wines and spirits that are not mainstream, wines that are earth-friendly.

2022 Lebat Petnat Gold £18.40

2022 Phoenix Merwah Skin Contact £16.65

2022 Phoenix Field Blend £16.65

2022 Red Velvet £15.35

2021 Elevate Daw al Amar £19.40

2021 Elevate Marini £19.40

Further notes

OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD

TERROIRS PROJECT

Agent/Distributor: Les Caves de Pyrène

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A collaboration between a wine company and growers and winemakers throughout the world to produce delicious organic low-intervention wines at an affordable price. The principles are as follows: organic farming, native/wild ferment, light or zero filtration, low sulphite additions.

ITALY

2022 Catarratto Maremosso (Orange), Sicilia	£11.95
2022 Nero d'Avola Maremosso, Sicilia	£11.95
2022 Vincenzo Orange (Falanghina-Trebbiano), Molise	£10.50
2020 Vincenzo Rosso (Montepulciano-Sangiovese), Molise	£10.15
2022 Barbera "Brich", Piemonte	£10.25
2022 Grignolino "Brich", Piemonte	£10.25
2022 Fratelli Felix (Fiano-Falanghina), Campania	£10.35
2023 Fratelli Felix Rosso (Barbera-Sangiovese-Aglianico), Campania	POA
2023 Trebbiano U.V.A. Passione Natura, Abruzzo	POA
2022 Montepulciano U.V.A, Passione Natura, Abruzzo	£10.85

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SPAIN

2023 Caminante Tempranillo, Rioja	£6.85
2022 Gre2 Garnacha, A Pie de Terra, Sierra de Gredos	£11.00
2022 Terra de Cadiz Palomino "El Pinto", Andalucia	£10.20
2023 Terra de Cadiz Tintilla de Rota "El Pinto", Andalucia	£11.40

FRANCE

2022 Muscadet sur lie "La Pentière", Loire	£12.90
2022 Chenin Blanc, Les Grandes Hermines, Anjou, Loire	£13.60
2022 Saumur-Champigny "Guinguette", Clos Maurice, Loire	£14.40
2022 Côtes-du-Rhône "Les Oliviers", Estézargues, Rhône	£8.95
2023 Salamandre Orange, VdF	£10.35
2023 Salamandre Rouge VdF	£9.40
2022 Les Bardets Blanc Mauzac Loin de l'Oeil, Gaillac	£10.20
2022 Les Bardets Rouge, Braucol Blend, Gaillac	£9.80
2020 Chardonnay "Le Glanon", Arbois, Jura	£17.95
2022 Trousseau "Le Glanon", Arbois, Jura	£18.80

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CHILE & ARGENTINA

2023 La Cueva, Inacayal, Maule, Chile £7.40

2023 La Patagua, Inacayal, Colchagua, Chile £7.40

2022 Semillon-Torrontes, Ballena del Sur, Argentina £9.20

2022 Malbec, Ballena del Sur, Argentina £9.20

AUSTRALIA

2022 Mappinga Hills Chardonnay, Adelaide Hills £11.10

2022 Stone Spring Shiraz, Barossa Valley £10.20

2022 Riesling, Sandgrove, Eden Valley £10.95

2022 Semillon, Karri Vineyard, Margaret River £9.60

2022 Cabernet Sauvignon, Karri Vineyard, Margaret River £10.75

NEW ZEALAND

2023 Sauvignon Blanc, Selection Massale, Marlborough POA

2023 Pinot Noir, Selection Massale, Central Otago £15.05

ARTISAN SUPPLIERS & STREET FOOD IN THE COURTYARD

"Food without wine is a corpse; wine without food is a ghost; united and well matched they are as body and soul, living partners."

– André Simon (1877-1970)

Fancy a snack? Eat on the hoof or relax in the courtyard to enjoy your tasty morsels with a glass of something nourishing.

CURING REBELS

[Curing Rebels](#) are a creative team of Rebels with a passion for high welfare, sustainable produce, making inspired charcuterie and smoking salmon on the South East coast, since 2020. They butcher, ferment, cure and age all of their products in house.

naïfs

[Naïfs](#) is a small family run vegan bistro that's been focused on making simple and delicious food in Peckham, since 2019. For The Real Wine Fair, Naïfs will be transplanting their offering with indulgent plant-based fare such as spoon salads, dips, braises and quality bread.



[Jumi Cheese](#) have been making raw milk cheeses in the Emmental Valley, Switzerland since 1896. From the cows that graze the green pasture and brought in to the dairy twice a day, to the artisan who watches the cheese mature for month and years, the entire process is non-industrial and done with the utmost care. Marcello and Tomi head up two locations in London supplying this fantastic cheese to the UK market. They will bring a selection of cheeses and their fabled raclette toasties to this year's fair!



[Burro e Salvia](#) - Fresh pasta is simply a return to basics. It is about a process, small rituals and slowing down: making things instead of buying them ready-made or enjoying a meal at home with family and friends. At The Real Wine Fair, Burro e Salvia will be present with two of its signature hand-made pastas.



[Moon Roast Coffee](#) - You can't have a wine fair without coffee! A wholesale speciality coffee roastery based in Hampshire, specialise in high quality coffee roasting, barista training and events. Moon Roast's focus is on ethical sourcing and sustainability. They will be serving their award-winning coffee at this year's fair.



[London Shell Co.](#) - were established in 2015 with the sole purpose of serving the freshest fish they could source, delivered in unique and entertaining environments. Or in their own words for Tommy Tuckers who like a Lilian Gish! Wine enthusiasts themselves, they love attending The Real Wine Fair.

FORNO

[Forno](#) - from the people who brought you [Ombra](#) Restaurant in Hackney, will be providing breakfast pastry goodies and all-round sweet treats throughout the day.

OTHER – GREAT GALLERY

MY POSTER SUCKS

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Great Gallery

Gianluca Cannizzo, also known as MYPOSTERSUCKS, is a creative professional with expertise in art direction, graphic design, and illustration. He helped establish Laboratorio Zanzara, a social cooperative that enhances creativity in people with mental illness while promoting their work. Over thirty years ago, Gianluca found his love for designing posters, feeling that his personality is most fitting for this medium, which he sees as a blend of expression and communication. His fondness for wine brings about a playful, amusing, and mischievous atmosphere – painting a light-hearted picture of the Natural Wine World.

The posters will be available to buy.

COMING SOON

REAL WINE MONTH

REAL WINE MONTH is an exciting, innovative promotion of organic, biodynamic and natural wines made by artisan growers and winemakers. Throughout **May 2024**, selected wines will be poured by the glass or featured on wine lists in many restaurants and independent retailers across the UK.

From pubs, bars and bistros to Michelin-starred establishments, everyone is getting involved to spread the word about REAL wine.

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