

ULTIMATE BEVERAGE CHALLENGE

2014 GUIDE

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WINES & SPIRITS



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DELICATO FAMILY VINEYARDS

SHINES

at the Ultimate Wine Challenge



BELLE AMBIANCE FAMILY VINEYARDS

2013 Pinot Grigio – 90pts, Great Value

BLACK STALLION ESTATE WINERY

2011 Cabernet Sauvignon – 93pts, Finalist, Tried & True
2012 Chardonnay – 90pts, Tried & True
2012 Pinot Noir – 91pts, Finalist

BRAZIN

2011 Zinfandel – 92pts, Finalist, Great Value, Tried & True

DOMINO

2012 Moscato – 91pts, Finalist, Great Value

GNARLY HEAD

2012 Zinfandel – 92pts, Finalist, Great Value
2012 Chardonnay – 91pts, Finalist, Great Value, Tried & True
2012 Merlot – 91pts, Finalist, Great Value
2012 Authentic Red – 91pts, Finalist, Great Value, Tried & True
2012 Malbec – 90pts, Finalist, Great Value

HANDCRAFT ARTISAN COLLECTION

2012 Petite Sirah – 92pts, Finalist, Great Value
2012 Inspiration Red – 91pts, Finalist, Great Value
2012 Chardonnay – 90pts, Great Value

IRONY

2012 Cabernet Sauvignon – 91pts, Great Value
2012 Chardonnay – 91pts, Finalist, Great Value

LA MERIKA

2012 Cabernet Sauvignon – 93pts, Finalist, Great Value
2012 Pinot Noir – 92pts, Finalist, Great Value

NOBLE VINES

2012 446 Chardonnay – 92pts, Finalist, Great Value
2012 1 Red Blend – 91pts, Finalist, Great Value
2012 667 Pinot Noir – 90pts, Great Value





THE JUDGES FOR ULTIMATE SPIRITS CHALLENGE 2014: Back row, L to R: Ultimate Beverage Challenge (UBC) partner and judging co-chairman Sean Ludford, UBC partner David Talbot, Steve Olson, UBC partner Sue Woodley, Dan Nicolaescu, UBC partner and judging chairman F. Paul Pacult, Dave Wondrich, Jim Meehan. Front row, L to R: James Conley, Jennifer Simonetti-Bryan MW, Tad Carducci, Andy Seymour, Jacques Bezuidenhout, Dale DeGross

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ABOUT ULTIMATE BEVERAGE CHALLENGE

ULTIMATE BEVERAGE CHALLENGE...Like no other competition and doesn't want to be!

A veritable multitude of beverage alcohol competitions have been held around the world since the 1870s when the concept of wine contests gained popularity in Europe. Today, there are numerous competitions set in Europe, Asia, Australia and, of course, North America. Going against tradition, ULTIMATE BEVERAGE CHALLENGE, does not follow the model fixed in the nineteenth century, which dictates: taste as many samples as possible, then bestow as many medals as possible. Industry observers rightly point out that after over 140 years this model has lost its relevance.

In the modern era of fast-advancing technology and instantaneous communication, a new model dawned in 2010: ULTIMATE BEVERAGE CHALLENGE (UBC), which hosts **Ultimate Spirits Challenge** and **Ultimate Wine Challenge**. Based in New York, UBC has established a more credible, stricter standard of spirits, cocktail, and wine evaluation and quality analysis. UBC Judging Chairmen F. Paul Pacult and Sean Ludford have instituted an innovative approach for the meticulous appraisal of beverage alcohol products in order to provide unbiased, meaningful results. UBC doesn't give medals.



It arms spirits and wine producers with useful product quality data that bolsters their marketing programs.

UBC's specialized methodology includes working only with the world's most qualified independent judges; serving each entry at their optimum serving temperature in fine thin crystal glassware; keeping flights to less than eight products to avoid judges' palate fatigue; multiple-round blind-tasting to ensure a level playfield for every entry, no matter its retail value; employing the most accomplished back of house staff; scoring on the consumer-friendly 100-point scale; writing helpful tasting notes for entries scoring 85 or above; and holding each round of competitions in a specially designed, pristine, and clinical environment operated by UBC.

Acutely aware of the marketing needs of wine and spirit brands in today's crowded marketplace, UBC provides free marketing collateral such as Great Value recognition for products which have a favorable price/quality ratio, Tried & True Awards for products that have shown consistent quality over the course of three or more UBC competitions, shelf talkers, certificates, and much more.

This guide cites the top-scoring products from 2014's Ultimate Spirits Challenge and Ultimate Wine Challenge. For complete results from both Challenges, go to www.ultimate-beverage.com.

SCORE: The results published in this Ultimate Guide represent all products that scored 89 points and above (out of a maximum score of 100 points) in the 2014 Challenges. A complete list of all products scoring 80 points and higher can be viewed at www.ultimate-beverage.com. Online results include tasting notes for all products scoring 85 points and higher, product images and marketing collateral.

AWARD: Top scoring products in each category are recognized based upon their results in each Challenge: Chairman's Trophy and Finalist. The number of Finalists per category will

vary depending on product type, number of submissions and overall quality.

PRICE: All prices listed are based upon information from the producer, and may vary by market. Products available in the U.S. are quoted in dollars; those not imported show prices as available in the country of origin.

ACCOLADE: In addition to the score, products are further distinguished as a guide to consumers: 95-100 points: Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation; 90-94 points: Excellent, Highly Recommended. 85-89 Very Good, Strong Recommendation.

TRIED & TRUE AWARD (🏆): Products that were entered in 2014 and a minimum of two prior challenges and have scored 85 or higher each time, are recognized for consistency of product quality with this new award.

GREAT VALUE (💰): Indication of products with a favorable relationship between their price and final score.

SIZE: All sizes are 750 ml unless otherwise noted.

Ultimate Beverage Challenges are conducted throughout the year. For more information, or to enter products in the Challenges, please inquire at info@ultimate-beverage.com or go to www.ultimate-beverage.com/contact.



ULTIMATE SPIRITS CHALLENGE 2014



What is it that makes a brandy, whiskey, vodka, gin, liqueur, rum or tequila great or, perhaps, not so great? At Ultimate Spirits Challenge (USC), judging panels of renowned international buyers, journalists, authors, educators, and consultants painstakingly labor over each spirit's unique and individual color, aroma, taste, texture and mouth-feel. Is this spirit clean and visually appealing? Is sediment or haziness present? Is the aroma fresh, vigorous and vivid or dull, attic-like and musty? Does the bouquet reflect its category's established standards? Does the taste affirm the findings ascertained in the aroma? Is it silky, sharp, sweet, dry or bitter in the finish?

These are just a few of the numerous questions asked of each USC entry as they are blind tasted in small flights. In truth, they endure many more levels of testing as the judges put each spirit through its paces in UBC's multiple panel system. Price is inconsequential. Quality is all that matters.

The end results, through multiple panels and much careful comparison and rating, are what lie before you now. The spirits cited in this guide put a spotlight on many of the best distillates in the world, hailing from many nations and even more distillers. When USC says it's good, you can be certain it's really good.

Ultimate Spirits Challenge... Like no other competition and doesn't want to be!

APERITIF

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Luxardo Aperitivo Aperitif Italy, 11% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.99	\$	
Finalist	91	BarSol Perfecto Amor Aperitif Peru, 17% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.99	\$	
Finalist	91	Breckenridge Bitters United States, 36% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.00		
	89	Lillet Jean de Lillet 2010 Aperitif France, 17% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$39.99		

VODKA UNFLAVORED

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Absolut Vodka Sweden, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$20.00	\$	
Finalist	95	Belvedere Intense Vodka Poland, 50% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$43.00		★
Finalist	93	American Harvest Organic Spirit Vodka United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$23.99	\$	
Finalist	93	Finlandia Vodka Finland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	\$	★
Finalist	93	Rock Town Small Batch Hand Crafted Vodka United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	\$	
Finalist	92	Grand Teton Potato Vodka United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.95	\$	
Finalist	92	Russian Standard Original Vodka Russia, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	\$	
Finalist	92	Luksusowa Vodka Poland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.99	\$	★
Finalist	92	Soyombo Super Premium Mongolian Vodka Mongolia, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		
Finalist	91	Khortytsa Platinum Vodka Ukraine, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$13.99	\$	
Finalist	91	Kremlin Award Vodka Russia, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	n/a		
Finalist	91	Vermont Spirits Gold Vodka United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$36.99		★
Finalist	91	Fuzzy's Ultra Premium Vodka United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99	\$	★
Finalist	91	Karlsson's Gold Vodka Sweden, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		
Finalist	91	Menage à Trois Vodka United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.99	\$	
Finalist	91	Aylesbury Duck Vodka Canada, 40% abv (1L)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99	\$	
Finalist	91	ERISTOFF Premium Vodka Russia, 37.5% abv (700ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	£13.00		★
Finalist	91	Khortytsa Ice Vodka Ukraine, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$13.99	\$	
	90	Bainbridge Legacy Organic Vodka United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.95		
	90	Deep Run Vodka United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.99		
	90	Door County Distillery Luminous Vodka United States, 42% abv (1L)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99	\$	

90	LEAF Rocky Mountain Mineral Water Vodka United States, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$17.99	🇺🇸
90	Russian Speech Classic Vodka Russia, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	€8.00	
90	Purity Vodka Sweden, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99	🇸🇪
90	Chinggis Khan The Original Mongolian Vodka Mongolia, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99	
90	LEAF Alaskan Glacial Water Vodka United States, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$17.99	🇺🇸
89	Belvedere Pure Vodka Poland, 40% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$29.99	
89	Real Russian Vodka United States, 40% abv (500ml) Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$21.99	
89	Arkhi The Original Mongolian Vodka Mongolia, 40% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$19.99	

VODKA FLAVORED

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Belvedere Lemon Tea Flavored Vodka Poland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.00		
Finalist	92	ZU Bison Grass Flavored Vodka Poland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99	🇺🇸	
	90	Finlandia Grapefruit Flavored Vodka Finland, 37.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$17.99	🇺🇸	🇸🇪
	89	Prairie Organic Cucumber Flavored Vodka United States, 35% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$24.99		

AQUAVIT

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	96	Linie Aquavit Norway, 41.5% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$27.99	🇺🇸	🇸🇪

GIN

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Tanqueray No. Ten London Dry Gin United Kingdom, 47.3% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$29.99	🇺🇸	🇸🇪
Finalist	94	Citadelle Reserve 2013 Gin France, 44% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.99		
Finalist	93	Fifty Pounds London Dry Gin United Kingdom, 43.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$32.99		🇸🇪
Finalist	93	Beehive London Dry Gin United Kingdom, 47% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.00	🇺🇸	🇸🇪
Finalist	93	Fords Gin United Kingdom, 45% abv (1L) Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$32.99	🇺🇸	
Finalist	92	Beehive 24 London Dry Gin United Kingdom, 45% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		🇸🇪
Finalist	92	Plymouth Gin United Kingdom, 41.2% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		🇸🇪
Finalist	92	Tanqueray London Dry Gin United Kingdom, 47.3% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	🇺🇸	🇸🇪
Finalist	91	Door County Distillery Ridges Lighthouse Gin United States, 47% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	🇺🇸	
Finalist	91	Beehive Burrough's Reserve London Dry Gin United Kingdom, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$70.00		🇸🇪
Finalist	91	Caorunn Small Batch Scottish Gin Scotland, 41.8% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.99		🇸🇪
Finalist	91	Martin Miller's Westbourne Strength Gin England/Iceland, 45.2% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$32.99		
Finalist	91	Hendrick's Gin Scotland, 44% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.99		🇸🇪

95 ABSOLUT VODKA

Sweden, 40% abv \$20.00

Aromas of lychee and minerals are subtle on the nose. In the mouth there are notes of confectionary and herbs. The texture is incredibly soft with a silky roundness all the way through to the finish.



CHAIRMAN'S TROPHY, GREAT VALUE
Category: Vodka, Unflavored



93 BELVEDERE LEMON TEA FLAVORED VODKA

Poland, 40% abv \$39.00

Plentiful aromas of lemon zest, black tea leaves and honey blend with nuanced hints of cocoa and orange blossom. Round and zesty on the palate with a distinct and pleasantly astringent lemon and brewed tea flavors. Finishes soft and smooth.



CHAIRMAN'S TROPHY
Category: Vodka, Flavored



92 ZU BISON GRASS FLAVORED VODKA

Poland, 40% abv \$24.99

Very slightly green-straw colored. The aromas are earthy and fresh, reminiscent of grassy fields. The palate has mineral and cucumber flavors up front, turning into gentle spice on the tongue with sweet spice aromas lasting long through the finish.



FINALIST, GREAT VALUE
Category: Vodka, Flavored



92 RUSSIAN STANDARD ORIGINAL VODKA

Russia, 40% abv \$19.99

A telling nose of wild clover, honeysuckle, wet grass and grapefruit zest leap from the glass. In the mouth, citrus and a subdued trace of ripe tropical fruit show themselves before a very crisp and concise finish.



FINALIST, GREAT VALUE
Category: Vodka, Unflavored



90	Plymouth Navy Strength Gin United Kingdom, 57% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$35.00		
90	Prairie Organic Gin United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		
89	BLOOM London Dry Gin United Kingdom, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$29.99		★
89	Monkey 47 Schwarzwald Dry Gin Germany, 47% abv (375ml)	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$44.99		
89	Seagram's Extra Dry Gin United States, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$12.00		💰

RUM

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	96	Don Q Gran Añejo Rum Puerto Rico, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$59.99		★
Finalist	94	Appleton Estate 21 Years Old Rum Jamaica, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$139.99		
Finalist	94	Bacardi Reserva Limitada Rum United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$109.99		★
Finalist	94	Mount Gay Extra Old Rum Barbados, 43% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99		★
Finalist	94	Denizen Merchant's Reserve 8 Years Old Rum Jamaica & Martinique, 43% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		
Finalist	94	Plantation 2005 Rum Guyana, 45% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99		
Finalist	93	George Bowman Small Batch Dark Rum United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		
Finalist	93	Ron Virgin Heavy Bodied Rum West Indies, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.99	💰	
Finalist	93	Balcones Texas Rum United States, 58.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$70.00		
Finalist	93	Wray & Nephew White Overproof Rum Jamaica, 63% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		★
Finalist	93	Diplomatico Reserva Exclusiva 12 Years Old Rum Venezuela, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$40.00		★
	92	Screech Rum Jamaica, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.99	💰	
	92	Brugal Papa Andres Rum Dominican Rep., 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$1,200		
	92	Facundo Rum Exquisito 7 Years Old Rum United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$90.00		
	92	Penny Blue XO Rum Mauritius, 44% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$78.99		
	92	Bacardi 8 Rum United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.99	💰	★
	92	Bartlett Rusticator Rum United States, 45% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$38.99		
	92	Pampero Aniversario Rum Venezuela, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$33.99		★
	92	The Real McCoy 12 Years Old Rum Barbados, 45.99% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$45.99		
	92	Amrut Two Indies Rum India, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$26.99		
	91	Privateer True American Amber Rum United States, 45% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.00		
	91	Ron Viejo de Caldas Carta de Oro 8 Years Old Rum Colombia, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	💰	★
	91	Amrut Old Port Rum India, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	💰	
	91	Don Q Añejo Rum Puerto Rico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.99	💰	★
	91	Bayou Silver Rum United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$21.99	💰	
	91	Denizen Aged White Rum Trinidad & Jamaica, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$16.99	💰	★
	90	Phraya Deep Matured Gold Rum Thailand, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99		
	90	The Real McCoy 3 Years Old Rum Barbados, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	💰	
	90	Plantation 2003 Rum St. Lucia, 43% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$59.99		
	89	Brugal Añejo Rum Dominican Rep., 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$19.99	💰	
	89	10 Cane Rum Barbados, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$26.99		
	89	Appleton Estate V/X Rum Jamaica, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$19.99		
	89	Facundo Rum NEO 8 Years Old Rum United States, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$45.00		

RUM RHUM AGRICOLE

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	96	Clement Canne Bleue Rhum Agricole Martinique, 50% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$34.95	💰	
Finalist	93	Damoiseau VSOP Guadeloupe Vieux Rhum Agricole French West Indies, 42% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$42.95		
Finalist	92	Damoiseau Virgin Cane Guadeloupe Blanc Rhum Agricole French West Indies, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.95		
	90	Rhum J.M. XO Rhum Agricole Martinique, 45% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$100.00		
	89	Clement Select Barrel Rhum Agricole Martinique, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$29.95		

RUM FLAVORED

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Selvarey Cacao Flavored Rum Panama, 35% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended		\$	

RUM SPICED

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	91	Lemon Hart Navy Spiced Rum Guyana, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99		
Finalist	91	Ron Cortez Reserve Spiced Rum Panama, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	RUB 905.00		
Finalist	91	Ron Virgin Black Spiced Rum West Indies, 47% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.99		
	89	Bayou Spiced Rum United States, 40% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$21.99	\$	

CACHAÇA

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Sagatiba Velha Aged Cachaça Brazil, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99	\$	
Finalist	92	Yaguara White Blended Cachaça Brazil, 41.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$44.90		
Finalist	90	Ypioca Prata Aged Cachaça Brazil, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99	\$	
	89	Pirassunga Cachaça Brazil, 40% abv (1L) Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$17.99	\$	
	89	Ypioca Crystal Cachaça Brazil, 40% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$17.99	\$	

TEQUILA BLANCO, 100% AGAVE TEQUILA

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Siete Leguas Blanco, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$39.99		+
Finalist	94	El Tesoro Platinum, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$50.00		
Finalist	93	Casamigos Blanco, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$42.99		
Finalist	93	Cruz Silver, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$45.99		
Finalist	93	Olmecca Altos Plata, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.00	\$	+
Finalist	92	Tequila Cabeza Blanco, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$36.99		
Finalist	92	Sauza 901 Blanco, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv (1L) Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		
	89	AGAVE 99 Silver, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 49.5% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$39.99		
	89	Titanium Blanco, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$39.99		
	89	Tres Agaves Blanco, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$27.99		+

TEQUILA REPOSADO, 100% AGAVE TEQUILA

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	94	Blue Nectar Reposado, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99		
Finalist	92	Espolon Reposado, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99	\$	

93 FORDS GIN

United Kingdom, 45% abv \$32.99 (1L)

Soft juniper leads with supplementary notes of black pepper. The palate is soft and floral with bursts of bright citrus and complex spicy undertones.



FINALIST, GREAT VALUE
Category: Gin



92 TEQUILA CABEZA BLANCO, 100% AGAVE TEQUILA

Mexico, 43% abv \$36.99 (1L)

Strong aromas of roasted earth and moss are integrated on the pungent nose. There is a nice salinity in the mouth followed by charred green vegetables and herbs, finishing with notes of lime rind. Texturally fine grained and suede-like.



FINALIST
Category: Tequila, Blanco
100% Agave Tequila



90 LEAF ALASKAN GLACIAL WATER VODKA

United States, 40% abv \$17.99

Crystal clear in the glass. Very pure on the nose with only the most delicate floral and citrus aromas coming through. Light on its feet in the mouth with a rush of sea minerals giving way to grapefruit before finishing effortlessly.



GREAT VALUE
Category: Vodka, Unflavored



90 BERENTZEN APPLE LIQUEUR

Germany, 20% abv \$19.99

Ripe Granny Smith apple and delicate almond milk aromas leap from the glass. In the mouth it is juicy and soft with ripe apple flavors taking center stage. Refreshing and mouth-watering on the finish. A pure joy.



GREAT VALUE
Category: Liqueur



Finalist	92	Olmecca Altos Reposado, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.00	🏆
Finalist	92	Ambhar Reposado, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$48.00	🏆
Finalist	92	KAH Reposado, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 55% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$45.99	
Finalist	91	El Tesoro Reposado, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$55.00	
Finalist	91	Siete Leguas Reposado, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$42.99	🏆
Finalist	91	Casamigos Reposado, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99	
Finalist	90	Tres Agaves Reposado, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$32.99	🏆

TEQUILA AÑEJO, 100% AGAVE TEQUILA

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Siete Leguas Añejo, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$44.99		🏆
Finalist	94	El Tesoro Añejo, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$60.00		
Finalist	93	KAH Añejo, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99		
Finalist	91	el Jimador Añejo, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.99	🏆	🏆
Finalist	90	Tres Agaves Añejo, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$37.99		🏆
	89	Herradura Añejo, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$49.99		🏆
	89	Ambhar Añejo, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$53.00		🏆

TEQUILA EXTRA AÑEJO, 100% AGAVE TEQUILA

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	94	Herradura Seleccion Suprema Extra Añejo, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$350.00		🏆
	89	Malinalli 4 Years Old Extra Añejo, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$96.00		
	89	San Matias Gran Reserva Extra Añejo, 100% Agave Tequila Mexico, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$49.99		

MEZCAL

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Del Maguey Iberico Single Village Mezcal de Oaxaca Mexico, 49% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$200.00		

WHISKEY AMERICAN

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	94	Wild Turkey Forgiven American Whiskey United States, 45.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99		
Finalist	92	Balcones Fifth Anniversary Straight Bourbon II American Whiskey United States, 65.7% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$95.00		
Finalist	92	Bernheim Original Kentucky Straight Wheat Whiskey United States, 45% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		🏆
Finalist	92	Woodford Reserve Master's Collection Straight Malt Whiskey United States, 45.2% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$99.99		
Finalist	91	Balcones Texas Straight Malt I American Whiskey United States, 57.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$95.00		
Finalist	91	Balcones 1 Texas Single Malt American Whiskey United States, 53% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$65.00		🏆
Finalist	90	Dark Corner Moonshine Corn American Whiskey United States, 50% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.95		
Finalist	90	Rock Town Hickory Smoked American Whiskey United States, 45% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		
Finalist	90	Woodford Reserve Classic Malt American Whiskey United States, 45.2% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$99.99		
Finalist	90	Bainbridge Battle Point Organic American Whiskey United States, 43% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$48.95		
	89	Tincup American Whiskey United States, 42% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$27.99		
	89	Vermont Spirits Black Snake American Whiskey United States, 27.99% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$27.99		
	89	Clyde May's American Whiskey United States, 42.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$31.00		🏆

WHISKEY BOURBON

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	97	George T. Stagg Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 64.1% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$69.99		
Finalist	96	Abraham Bowman Virginia Straight Bourbon United States, 50% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$69.99		

Finalist	96	John J. Bowman Single Barrel Virginia Straight Bourbon United States, 50% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$49.99	★
Finalist	96	Knob Creek 9 Years Old Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 50% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$30.99	
Finalist	95	Four Roses Single Barrel Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 50% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$40.00	★
Finalist	95	Old Forester Birthday 2013 Bourbon United States, 49% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$54.99	
Finalist	95	Elijah Craig Barrel Proof Small Batch 12 Years Old Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 66.6% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$49.99	
Finalist	95	Jim Beam Single Barrel Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 47.5% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$34.99	
Finalist	94	Blanton's Gold Edition Single Barrel Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 51.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$65.00	
Finalist	94	Jim Beam Signature Craft 12 Years Old Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99	
Finalist	94	Barrell Bourbon Cask Strength Straight Bourbon United States, 60.8% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$74.99	
Finalist	94	Pappy Van Winkle Family Reserve 15 Years Old Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 53.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.99	
Finalist	94	Woodford Reserve Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 45.2% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$32.99	★
Finalist	94	Blanton's Original Single Barrel Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 46.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$50.00	★
Finalist	94	Bowman Brothers Small Batch Virginia Straight Bourbon United States, 45% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99	
Finalist	94	Benjamin Prichard's Double Barreled Bourbon United States, 45% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$72.95	★
Finalist	94	Four Roses Limited Edition Single Barrel 2014 Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 56.6% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$125.00	
Finalist	94	Four Roses Limited Edition Small Batch 2013 Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 51.6% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$99.00	
	93	Bulleit Frontier Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 45% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.99	★
	93	Elmer T. Lee Single Barrel Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 45% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.99	★
	93	Old Forester Signature Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 50% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.99	★
	93	Parker's Heritage Collection 7th Edition "Promise of Hope" Single Barrel Straight Bourbon United States, 48% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$90.00	
	93	Four Roses Small Batch Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 45% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00	★
	93	Old Forester Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	★
	93	Knob Creek Single Barrel 9 Years Old Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 60% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$40.99	★
	93	Woodford Reserve Double Oaked Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 45.2% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99	
	93	Breckenridge Bourbon United States, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.00	★
	93	Bulleit 10 Years Old Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 45.6% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$44.99	
	92	Blanton's Straight from the Barrel Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 66.6% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$80.00	
	92	Stagg Jr. Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 67.2% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99	
	91	Four Roses Yellow Label Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$20.00	★
	91	Larceny Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 46% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99	★
	91	Zackariah Harris Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$11.99	★
	91	Kentucky Tavern Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.99	★

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95 TULLIBARDINE 225 SAUTERNES BARREL SINGLE MALT SCOTCH WHISKY

Scotland, 43% abv \$65.00

Aromas are decidedly earthy with hints of orange zest showing through. On the palate there are notes of burnt orange peel, fresh twigs and dark roast coffee. Caramel and a slightly sweet floral note last long on the finish.



FINALIST
Category: Whisky,
Single Malt Scotch Whisky



94 THE IRISHMAN FOUNDER'S RESERVE BLENDED IRISH WHISKY

Ireland, 40% abv \$28.99

Distinct wild clover and candied grapefruit peel aromas mingle with more classic toasted oats and vanilla bean notes. In the mouth it is rich and honeyed with robust flavors of tropical fruits, toasted walnuts and dried herbs. These characteristics lead into a long, smooth finish.



FINALIST
Category: Whiskey,
Blended Irish Whisky



93 THE IRISHMAN 12 YEARS OLD SINGLE MALT IRISH WHISKY

Ireland, 43% abv \$59.99

Powerful aromas of overripe banana are balanced by citrus pith, wet stones and campfire smoke. Once in the mouth it is semisweet with banana continuing to shine through alongside dark cherry and cinnamon. A delicate, yet deep and tropical finish ensues.



FINALIST
Category: Whiskey,
Single Malt Irish Whisky



92 THE IRISHMAN SINGLE MALT IRISH WHISKY

Ireland, 40% abv \$45.99

Almond-tinged and quite floral at first sniff. Orange blossom and toasted oats are rounded off by a sherry-like brininess. Textured, breadly and honeyed in the mouth before giving way to a finish that, while toasty in character, displays fresh stone fruits.



FINALIST
Category: Whiskey,
Single Malt Irish Whisky



91	Jim Beam Devil's Cut Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 45% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$23.99	\$
91	Whiskey Sister 4 Years Old Bourbon United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.00	
90	Hillrock Estate Distillery Solera Aged Bourbon United States, 47.3% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$80.00	
89	Evan Williams Single Barrel Vintage 2003 Straight Bourbon United States, 43.3% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$26.99	
89	Taughannock Bourbon United States, 40% abv (700ml)	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	RUB 1010.00	
89	Benchmark Old No. 8 Kentucky Straight Bourbon United States, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$11.99	\$ *

WHISKEY RYE WHISKEY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Bulleit 95 Small Batch Rye Whiskey United States, 45% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$27.99	\$	
Finalist	94	Knob Creek Rye Whiskey United States, 50% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99		
Finalist	94	Lock Stock and Barrel 13 Years Old Rye Whiskey United States, 50.65% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$119.00		
Finalist	93	Rittenhouse Bottled-in-Bond Straight Rye Whiskey United States, 50% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$21.99	\$	
Finalist	92	Sazerac Kentucky Straight Rye Whiskey United States, 45% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$26.99		*
Finalist	92	Russell's Reserve 6 Years Old Rye Whiskey United States, 45.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.99		
	91	Templeton Rye Whiskey United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99		
	89	Hillrock Estate Distillery Double Cask Rye Whiskey United States, 45% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$90.00		

WHISKEY BLENDED IRISH WHISKEY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Tullamore D.E.W. Special Reserve 12 Years Old Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$40.00		*
Finalist	95	Kilbeggan 18 Years Old Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$115.99		
Finalist	94	Bushmills Original Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.00		
Finalist	94	The Irishman Founder's Reserve Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$28.99		*
Finalist	93	Jameson Black Barrel Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$35.00		*
Finalist	93	Jameson Gold Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$60.00		*
Finalist	93	Jameson 18 Years Old Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$85.00		*
Finalist	93	Jameson Rarest Vintage Reserve Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 46% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$250.00		*
Finalist	93	Midleton Very Rare Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$125.00		*
Finalist	93	Teeling Small Batch Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 46% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99		
Finalist	92	Jameson 12 Years Old Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$50.00		
Finalist	92	Powers Gold Label Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 43.2% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		*
Finalist	92	Cavanagh Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	\$	
Finalist	92	Bushmills Black Bush Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.00		*
	91	Tullamore D.E.W. Phoenix Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 55% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$55.00		
	90	Irish Mist Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$28.99		
	90	Kilbeggan Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$23.99	\$	*
	89	Jameson Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$28.00		*
	89	Tullamore D.E.W. Blended Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$24.00		*

WHISKEY IRISH POT STILL WHISKEY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	100	Redbreast 21 Years Old Irish Pot Still Whiskey Ireland, 46% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$250.00		
Finalist	96	Powers Signature Irish Pot Still Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$45.00		
Finalist	95	Powers John's Lane Release 12 Years Old Irish Pot Still Whiskey Ireland, 46% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$65.00		
Finalist	95	Redbreast 12 Years Old Irish Pot Still Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$40.00		*
Finalist	95	Redbreast 15 Years Old Irish Pot Still Whiskey Ireland, 46% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$75.00		*
Finalist	94	Redbreast Cask Strength 12 Years Old Irish Pot Still Whiskey Ireland, 57.7% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$65.00		*
Finalist	93	Midleton Barry Crockett Legacy Irish Pot Still Whiskey Ireland, 46% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$240.00		*
Finalist	92	Green Spot Irish Pot Still Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$50.00		

WHISKEY SINGLE MALT IRISH WHISKEY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	96	Bushmills 16 Years Old Single Malt Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$91.00		★
Finalist	95	Tullamore D.E.W. 10 Years Old Single Malt Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$35.00		★
Finalist	95	Bushmills 21 Years Old Single Malt Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$120.00		★
Finalist	93	Bushmills 10 Years Old Single Malt Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$58.00		★
Finalist	93	The Irishman 12 Years Old Single Malt Irish Whiskey Ireland, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$59.99		
Finalist	93	Connemara Peated Single Malt Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$44.99		★
Finalist	92	Knappogue Castle 12 Years Old Single Malt Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$42.00		
Finalist	92	Tyrconnell Single Malt Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.99		★
Finalist	92	The Irishman Single Malt Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$45.99		

WHISKEY SINGLE GRAIN WHISKEY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
	89	Greenore 8 Years Old Single Grain Irish Whiskey Ireland, 40% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$49.99		★

WHISKEY CANADIAN WHISKEY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Alberta Premium Dark Horse Canadian Whisky Canada, 45% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.95	💰	
Finalist	92	Collingwood Canadian Whisky Canada, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.00		★
Finalist	91	Caribou Crossing Single Barrel Canadian Whisky Canada, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99		★
	89	Wiser's 18 Years Old Canadian Whisky Canada, 40% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$85.00		★

WHISKEY JAPANESE WHISKEY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Nikka Coffey Grain Japanese Whisky Japan, 45% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$66.99		

WHISKEY BLENDED SCOTCH WHISKEY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	97	Ballantine's 17 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$80.00		
Finalist	96	Chivas Regal 25 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$250.00		★
Finalist	96	Royal Salute 38 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$600.00		
Finalist	95	Johnnie Walker Platinum Label Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$110.00		
Finalist	95	Buchanan's Special Reserve 18 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$69.00		
Finalist	95	Johnnie Walker Blue Label Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$225.00		★
Finalist	94	Dewar's Signature Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$199.99		★
Finalist	94	Johnnie Walker Black Label Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$35.00		★
Finalist	93	Ballantine's 12 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		
Finalist	93	Johnnie Walker Gold Label Reserve Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$87.00		
Finalist	93	Buchanan's Red Seal 21 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$149.00		★

93 BOULARD XO AUGUSTE CALVADOS, PAYS D'AUGE

France, 40% abv \$250.00

Bright aromas of apples and citrus peel. In the mouth it's soft and velvety. Flavors are delicate with notes of red apples, flowers and confectionary. The finish is just a touch spicy and very pleasant.



FINALIST
Category: Brandy, Calvados

93 BOULARD XO CALVADOS, PAYS D'AUGE

France, 40% abv \$99.99

Fresh golden apple juice, honeysuckle, muscat, toffee, and toasted almond provide an incredibly aromatic nose. Honeyed sweetness and baked apple appear on the palate, contributing to a rich flavor profile with a surprisingly dry, clean finish.



FINALIST
Category: Brandy, Calvados

91 BOULARD GRAND SOLAGE VSOP CALVADOS, PAYS D'AUGE

France, 40% abv \$49.99

An aromatic nose of honey, creme brûlée, and toasted almonds leads to a medium-bodied, fruit-driven, yet bone dry palate. Fresh and baked apples and mild warming spices linger in a subtle dry finish.



TRIED & TRUE
Category: Brandy, Calvados

90 SINGANI 63 GRAPE BRANDY

Bolivia, 40% abv \$29.99

The nose is fruity and bright with grapes and hints of tropical fruits. It is tangy on the palate with mouth-watering acidity, bright fruit, and earthy herbal flavors that are long lasting. The texture is almost chalky and very clean.



GREAT VALUE
Category: Brandy, Grape Brandy - World

Finalist	93	Campbeltown Loch Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$35.99	
Finalist	93	Dewar's 18 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$79.99	★
Finalist	93	Grand Macnish Dual-Cask Aged 12 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$26.99	
Finalist	93	Chivas Regal 18 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$75.00	★
Finalist	93	Grand Macnish Sherry-Cask Aged 15 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$37.99	
Finalist	93	Dewar's 12 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$28.99	★
	92	Johnnie Walker Double Black Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$42.00	
	92	Ballantine's Finest Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.00	🇸
	92	Buchanan's Deluxe 12 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$31.00	★
	92	Grand Old Parr 12 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99	
	91	Buchanan's Master Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$48.00	★
	90	Royal Thistle Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	🇸
	90	Johnnie Walker Red Label Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.00	★
	90	Chivas Regal 12 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00	★
	89	Dewar's White Label Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$21.99	★
	89	Royal Salute 21 Years Old Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$200.00	★
	89	The Fat Trout Blended Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$24.99	★

WHISKY BLENDED MALT SCOTCH WHISKY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	96	Big Peat Blended Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 46% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$59.99		
Finalist	92	Sallywag Blended Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 46% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$59.99		
Finalist	91	Wemyss Malts Peat Chimney 12 Years Old Blended Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$67.00		

WHISKY SINGLE MALT SCOTCH WHISKY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	98	Glenmorangie Quarter Century 25 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$579.00		
Finalist	97	The Glenlivet 21 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$130.00		★
Finalist	96	Balblair 2002 Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 46% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$69.99		
Finalist	96	Highland Park 30 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 45.7% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$700.00		
Finalist	96	Glenfarclas 25 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$149.99		★
Finalist	96	Highland Park 15 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$80.00		★
Finalist	96	Glenmorangie Nectar D'Or 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 46% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$69.99		★
Finalist	96	Highland Park 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$50.00		★
Finalist	96	The Glenlivet Nadurra 16 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 48% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$60.00		★
Finalist	96	Aberlour 18 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$100.00		★
Finalist	96	The Glenlivet 18 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$60.00		★
Finalist	95	BenRiach Solstice 17 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 50% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$102.99		
Finalist	95	Glenmorangie Extremely Rare 18 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$119.99		★
Finalist	95	The Glenlivet XXV 25 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$250.00		
Finalist	95	Aberlour 16 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$65.00		★
Finalist	95	Longmorn 16 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 48% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$76.00		
Finalist	95	The Macallan 18 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$209.99		
Finalist	95	Tullibardine 225 Sauternes Barrel Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$65.00		
Finalist	95	Glenmorangie Signet Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 46% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$199.00		★
Finalist	95	Highland Park 18 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$120.00		★
Finalist	95	Laphroaig Quarter Cask Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 48% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$54.99		
Finalist	95	The Glenlivet 15 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$45.00		

Finalist	95	The Macallan Fine Oak 15 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$99.99	★
Finalist	95	Ardbeg Uigeadail Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 54.2% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$78.99	★
Finalist	95	Auchentoshan Three Wood Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$59.99	★
Finalist	95	Talisker Storm Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 45.8% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$66.00	★
Finalist	94	Aberfeldy 21 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$169.99	★
Finalist	94	Glenmorangie Companta Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 46% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$99.00	★
Finalist	94	The Macallan Fine Oak 17 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$179.99	★
Finalist	94	Glenmorangie Quinta Ruban 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 46% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99	★
Finalist	94	Highland Park Loki 15 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 48.7% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$249.00	★
Finalist	94	The Macallan 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$56.99	★
Finalist	94	Glenmorangie The Original 10 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$40.99	★
Finalist	94	Glenfarclas 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99	★
Finalist	94	Laphroaig 18 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 48% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$84.99	★
	93	Bowmore Darkest 15 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$69.99	★
	93	Bowmore Small Batch Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99	★
	93	Glen Garioch Founder's Reserve Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 48% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$44.99	★
	93	Glen Garioch Virgin Oak Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 48% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$109.99	★
	93	Laphroaig Original Cask Strength 10 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 57.2% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$69.99	★
	93	anCnoc Highland 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99	★
	93	Scapa 16 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$75.00	★
	93	Glenronach Tawny Port Wood Finish 15 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 46% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$79.99	★
	93	Ardbeg 10 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 46% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$56.99	★
	93	Ardbeg Corryvreckan Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 57.1% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$89.99	★
	93	Glenfarclas 10 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$44.99	★
	93	Auchentoshan Virgin Oak Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 46% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$129.99	★
	93	Glenmorangie Lasanta 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 46% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99	★
	92	Speyburn 10 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.99	★
	92	Speyburn Bradan Orach Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	★
	92	The Glenlivet 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00	★
	92	Glenrothes Alba Reserve Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$54.99	★
	92	Aberlour A'bunadh Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 59% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$70.00	★
	92	Auchentoshan American Oak Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99	★

96 CLEMENT CANNE BLEUE RHUM AGRICOLE

Martinique, 50% abv \$34.95

Fresh pressed cane and dusty marshmallow meet zippy lime zest on the nose. Spring pea shoots, asparagus, watercress, and subtle hints of anise and clove provide a complex palate, with a spicy profound finish.



CHAIRMAN'S TROPHY,
GREAT VALUE
Category: Rum,
Rhum Agricole



93 DAMOISEAU VSOP GUADELOUPE VIEUX RHUM AGRICOLE

French West Indies, 42% abv \$42.95

Supple nose of dried apricot, orange blossom and caramel-covered apple lead into a tender and honeyed mouthfeel brimming with tropical fruit and smoke. The herbal finish lingers on the palate.



FINALIST
Category: Rum,
Rhum Agricole



92 DAMOISEAU VIRGIN CANE GUADELOUPE BLANC RHUM AGRICOLE

French West Indies, 40% abv \$29.95

A musty earthy vegetal nose melds with the aroma of fresh cane. On the palate, freshness prevails with a clear expression of freshly cut grass, and a soft rounded finish. The liquid is bright in flavor, and clear in color.



FINALIST
Category: Rum,
Rhum Agricole



89 CLEMENT SELECT BARREL RHUM AGRICOLE

Martinique, 40% abv \$29.95

Dark brown sugar, prunes, stewed fruit and a creme brulee nose lead to an earthy and vegetal palate. Nutty overtones meet baking spices for a warm, spiced palate. The finish is herbaceous and sustained.



Category: Rum,
Rhum Agricole



92	Benromach Organic Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$79.99		
92	Laphroaig 10 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99		
92	Aberlour Non-Chill Filtered 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 48% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$60.00		
92	Glenfarclas 17 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$89.99		★
91	BenRiach Horizons 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 50% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$83.99		
91	Glen Garioch 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 48% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$64.99		★
90	Glenfarclas 105 Proof Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 60% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$89.99		
90	Aberfeldy 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99		★
90	Aberlour 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$42.00		★
90	McClelland's Highland Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		
89	Old Pulteney 12 Years Old Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$59.99		★
89	Tullibardine 228 Burgundy Barrel Single Malt Scotch Whisky Scotland, 43% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$65.00		

WHISKY BRETON WHISKY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
	90	Armorik Single Malt Breton Whisky France, 46% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$54.00		

WHISKEY FLAVORED WHISK(E)Y

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
	90	Knob Creek Smoked Maple Flavored Whiskey United States, 45% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.99		

BRANDY AMERICAN

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	96	Osocalis Heritage American Brandy United States, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$150.00		
Finalist	90	E&J Gallo XO American Brandy United States, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	★	★

BRANDY ARMAGNAC

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	98	Chateau de Laubade 1959 Bas-Armagnac France, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$799.99		
Finalist	96	Armagnac Castarède Reserve de la Famille 20 Years Old Armagnac France, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$105.00		
Finalist	95	Chateau du Busca Hors d'Age 15 Years Old Armagnac France, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$110.99		
Finalist	94	Chateau de Laubade Extra 35 Years Old Bas-Armagnac France, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$349.99		
Finalist	92	Larresingle XO Armagnac France, 43% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$79.99		
Finalist	90	Marie Duffau Hors d'Age 12 Years Old Bas-Armagnac France, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$58.00		

BRANDY CALVADOS

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	97	Pere Magloire 20 Years Old Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$90.00		
Finalist	95	Lecompte 18 Years Old Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$150.00		
Finalist	95	Lecompte 25 Years Old Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$279.00		
Finalist	93	Calvados Christian Drouin 1990 Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 42% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$195.00		
Finalist	93	Lecompte 12 Years Old Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$70.00		★
Finalist	93	Roger Groult 8 Years Old Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 41% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$68.00		
Finalist	93	Boulard XO Auguste Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$250.00		
Finalist	93	Boulard XO Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$99.99		
Finalist	93	Pere Magloire VSOP Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$40.00		★
	92	Calvados Christian Drouin XO Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$110.99		
	92	Lecompte 5 Years Old Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$48.00		
	92	Roger Groult Venerable Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 41% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$105.00		
	91	Boulard Grand Solage VSOP Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99		★
	91	Calvados Christian Drouin 1984 Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 42% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$235.00		
	91	Pere Magloire XO Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$65.00		
	91	Calvados Christian Drouin VSOP Pale & Dry Calvados, Pays d'Auge France, 42% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$60.00		
	91	Calvados Christian Drouin Selection Calvados France, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		
	89	Pere Magloire Isadora Calvados France, 40% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$150.00		

BRANDY COGNAC

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	96	Delamain Pale & Dry Cognac Grande Champagne France, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$119.99		
Finalist	95	Louis Royer XO Cognac France, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$139.00		🏆
Finalist	95	Delamain Extra Cognac Grande Champagne France, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$199.99		🏆
Finalist	95	Bache-Gabrielsen Natur & Eleganse VSOP 4 Years Old Cognac France, 40% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$62.95		
Finalist	94	D'USSÉ XO Cognac France, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$225.00		
Finalist	93	Louis Royer Force 53 Cognac Fine Champagne France, 53% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.00		
Finalist	92	Bache-Gabrielsen Natur & Eleganse XO 6 Years Old Cognac France, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$119.95		
Finalist	92	Remy Martin XO Cognac Fine Champagne France, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$140.00		
Finalist	92	François Voyer XO Gold Cognac Grande Champagne France, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	€110.00		
	91	Louis Royer VS Cognac France, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$35.00		
	91	Merlet Cognac Brothers Blend Cognac France, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99		
	91	Louis Royer VSOP Cognac France, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$42.00		
	89	Hardy VSOP Cognac France, 40% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$59.99		
	89	D'USSÉ VSOP Cognac France, 40% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$50.00		
	89	Louis Royer VSOP Preference Cognac France, 40% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$44.00		

BRANDY EAU-DE-VIE

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
	89	Bartlett Spirits of Maine Pear Eau-de-Vie United States, 40% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$29.99		🏆

BRANDY GRAPPA

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Bocchino Riserva Carlo Bocchino Grappa Italy, 42% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	€150.00		
Finalist	92	Nonino Il Moscato di Grappa Italy, 41% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$73.00		
	89	Nonino Antica Cuvee Riserva Grappa Italy, 43% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$114.00		

BRANDY PINEAU DES CHARENTES

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Jean Filloux Vieux Pineau des Charentes France, 17% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$40.00		

BRANDY PISCO

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	92	KAPPA Pisco Chile, 42.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.99	💰	🏆
Finalist	91	BarSol Supremo Mosto Verde Torontel Pisco Peru, 41% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99		
Finalist	91	Pisco Porton Mosto Verde Quebranta 2011 Pisco Peru, 43% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$40.00		
	90	Alto del Carmen Pisco Chile, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.99	💰	
	90	BarSol Selecto Torontel Pisco Peru, 40% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.99		
	89	Pisco Porton Mosto Verde Torontel 2011 Pisco Peru, 43% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$40.00		

96 DON Q GRAN AÑEJO RUM

Puerto Rico, 40% abv \$59.99

Dried sage and candied orange peel are apparent on the nose with additional earthy notes of root vegetables. Meaty and deep on the palate with tropical fruits mingling with caramel and vanilla. The finish is wonderfully dry and reminiscent of sea-like minerals.



CHAIRMAN'S TROPHY, TRIED & TRUE
Category: Rum



93 OLMECA ALTOS PLATA, 100% AGAVE TEQUILA

Mexico, 40% abv \$24.00

Piquant aromas of green grass and minerals. In the mouth it is incredibly refreshing and light with notes of ripe lemons, limes and a balanced jalapeno spice running throughout.



FINALIST, GREAT VALUE, TRIED & TRUE
Category: Tequila, Blanco, 100% Agave Tequila



90 RHUM J.M. XO RHUM AGRICOLE

Martinique, 45% abv \$100.00

Brown sugar, cinnamon, star anise and molasses notes leap from the glass. Star anise again appears on the palate comingling with sage, thyme, and winter savory. The finish is soft, round, and complex.



Category: Rum, Rhum Agricole



89 SEAGRAM'S EXTRA DRY GIN

United States, 40% abv \$12.00

Warm baking spice, sweet orange and a cereal driven nose lead into a soft, smooth flavor profile. Hints of sweetness complement the combination of citrus and soft pine, leading into a round, full-bodied finish.



GREAT VALUE
Category: Gin



BRANDY SPANISH

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	94	Cardenal Mendoza Carta Real Brandy de Jerez Spain, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$100.00		
Finalist	93	Cardenal Mendoza Brandy de Jerez Spain, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$44.99		★

BRANDY GRAPE BRANDY - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
	90	Singani 63 Grape Brandy Bolivia, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99	💰	

LIQUEUR

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Cointreau Liqueur France, 40% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$39.99		★
Finalist	94	Sorel Artisanal Liqueur United States, 15% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		
Finalist	93	Bushmills Irish Honey Whiskey Liqueur Ireland, 35% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.00		★
Finalist	93	Kuemmerling Herbal Half Bitter Liqueur Germany, 35% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$8.99		
Finalist	92	Barenjager Honey & Bourbon Whiskey Liqueur Germany, 35% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$28.99		
Finalist	92	Galliano Ristretto Liqueur Italy, 30% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$23.99	💰	
Finalist	91	Amaretto di Puglia Almond Liqueur Italy, 28% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$13.99	💰	
Finalist	91	Sambucca di Puglia Anise Liqueur Italy, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	💰	
Finalist	91	Merlet Crème de Cassis, Blackcurrant Liqueur France, 20% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.99		★
Finalist	91	Merlet Crème de Fraise, Strawberry Liqueur France, 18% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.99		★
Finalist	91	Merlet Lune d'Abricot, Apricot Brandy Liqueur France, 25% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		
Finalist	91	Plymouth Sloe Gin United Kingdom, 26% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$37.00	💰	★
Finalist	91	Belle de Brillet Liqueur France, 30% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$45.99		
Finalist	91	Merlet C2 Citron & Cognac Liqueur France, 33% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.99		
	90	Ancho Reyes Chili Liqueur Mexico, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$32.99		
	90	Merlet Trois Citrus Liqueur France, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		
	90	Pavan Liqueur France, 18% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		
	90	Rivulet Pecan Liqueur United States, 30% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.95		
	90	St-Germain Artisanal French Liqueur France, 20% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99		★
	90	Berentzen Apple Liqueur Germany, 20% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	💰	
	89	Kringle Cream Liqueur United States, 15% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$19.99	💰	
	89	Lejay Crème de Cassis, Blackcurrant Liqueur France, 18% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$30.00		
	89	Pallini Limoncello Italy, 26% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$24.00		
	89	Cabo Diablo Coffee Liqueur made with Tequila Blanco Liqueur Mexico, 35% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$22.99		
	89	Joseph Cartron Crème de Peche, Peach Liqueur France, 18% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$28.99		

ABSINTHE

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
	90	Lucid Supérieure Absinthe France, 62% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$69.99		

VERMOUTH DRY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Maurin Dry Vermouth France, 17% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$23.99	💰	

SOJU/SHOCHU/BAIJIU

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	iichiko Frasco Shochu Japan, 30% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$60.00		
Finalist	91	iichiko Super Hita Shochu Japan, 30% abv (720ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	JPY 2000.00		
Finalist	90	byejoe Red Baijiu China, 40% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		

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CHAMPAGNE/SPARKLING WINES CHAMPAGNE - FRANCE

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	94	Moët & Chandon Imperial Brut Epernay (France) 12% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$41.00		★
Finalist	93	Moët & Chandon Brut Grand Vintage Epernay 2006 (France) 12.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$60.00		
Finalist	92	Moët & Chandon Grand Vintage Rosé Epernay 2004 (France) 12.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$65.00		
Finalist	92	Moët & Chandon Imperial Rosé Epernay (France) 12% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$50.00		

CHAMPAGNE/SPARKLING WINES CAVA - SPAIN

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
	89	Anna de Codorniu Brut Penedes (Spain) 11.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$14.99	💰	

CHAMPAGNE/SPARKLING WINES PROSECCO - ITALY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Astoria Millesimato Valdobbiadene Prosecco Superiore 2013 (Italy) 11.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	💰	
Finalist	92	La Gioiosa Treviso Prosecco (Italy) 11% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$13.99	💰	
Finalist	92	Mionetto "IL" Lambrusco Veneto IGT (Italy) 8% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.00	💰	
Finalist	91	La Gioiosa Extra Dry Valdobbiadene Prosecco Superiore (Italy) 17% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.99	💰	
Finalist	91	Prosecco2 Certified Organic Prosecco Veneto IGT (Italy) 11% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.00	💰	
Finalist	90	Barefoot Bubbly Prosecco Italy (Italy) 11% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.99	💰	
Finalist	90	Caposaldo Brut Prosecco Veneto IGT (Italy) 11.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.99	💰	
	89	VOGA Italia Treviso 2012 (Italy) 11% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$15.99		

CHAMPAGNE/SPARKLING WINES ASTI/MOSCATO D'ASTI - ITALY

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
	94	Asti La Selvatica Asti (Italy) 7% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$17.99		

CHAMPAGNE/SPARKLING WINES SPARKLING - USA

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Domaine Careros by Taittinger Brut Rosé Cuvée de la Pompadour Careros Napa (United States) 12% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$36.00		★
Finalist	92	Domaine Careros by Taittinger Brut Cuvée Careros, Napa 2010 (United States) 12.1% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$32.00		★
Finalist	90	Chateau Frank Brut Finger Lakes 2007 (United States) 12% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		
Finalist	90	Chateau Frank Blanc de Noirs Finger Lakes 2007 (United States) 12% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		★
Finalist	90	Chateau Frank Blanc de Blancs Chardonnay Finger Lakes 2008 (United States) 12% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		

CHAMPAGNE/SPARKLING WINES SPARKLING - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Rotari Talento Rosé Trento NV (Italy) 12.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	💰	
Finalist	92	Helfrich Cremant d'Alsace (France) 12.1% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$21.99		
Finalist	92	Rotari Brut Trento NV (Italy) 12.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	💰	
Finalist	91	De Bortoli Emeri Pink Moscato Southeastern NV (Australia) 8% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.00	💰	
Finalist	91	Cote Mas Brut Cremant de Limoux NV (France) 12.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$17.99	💰	
	89	JCB by Jean-Charles Boisset No. 69 Brut Bourgogne (France) 12% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$25.00		

WHITE WINES CHARDONNAY - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Quails' Gate Stewart Family Reserve Chardonnay Okanagan Valley 2012 (Canada) 14% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	CAD32.00		★
Finalist	92	Noble Vines 446 Chardonnay Monterey 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	💰	
Finalist	92	Buena Vista Winery Chardonnay Careros 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	💰	
Finalist	92	DeLoach Vineyards OFS Chardonnay Russian River Valley 2011 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$35.00		
Finalist	92	Rodney Strong Vineyards Estate Vineyards Chardonnay Chalk Hill 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.00		★
Finalist	92	Chateau Ste. Michelle Canoe Ridge Estate Chardonnay Horse Heaven Hills 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		
Finalist	91	Gnarly Head Chardonnay California 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.99	💰	★
Finalist	91	Girard Chardonnay Russian River Valley 2012 (United States) 13.9% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	💰	
Finalist	91	Irony Chardonnay Monterey 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$13.99	💰	
Finalist	91	Katsaros Chardonnay Mount Olympus 2012 (Greece) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$35.00		
Finalist	91	Louis Jadot Chablis 2012 (France) 12.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.99		
Finalist	91	Quails' Gate Estate Chardonnay Okanagan Valley 2012 (Canada) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	CAD18.00		
Finalist	91	Davis Bynum River West Chardonnay Russian River Valley 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		

93 MONTGRAS RESERVA CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Colchagua Valley 2013 (Chile) 14% abv \$11.99

Dark purple/blood red color. Subtle hints of paraffin, parchment, dried herbs in the nuanced bouquet. Pleasing flavors of tart berries, black cherry, black plum highlight the midpalate phase. Aftertaste is moderately tannic, elegant, silky textured.



FINALIST
GREAT VALUE
Category: Red Wines
Cabernet Sauvignon - World



91 MONTECILLO CRIANZA

Rioja 2010 (Spain) 13.5% abv \$10.00

Deep, brilliant ruby red color. The nose is vibrant with classic Rioja aromatics, dried berries, earth, cigar box, oak, tart cherries and dried herbs. The palate concurs with the nose delivering a wine with a great berry driven fruit core with lovely accents of earth, spice, and cigar box, as well as soft, well-integrated oak notes.



FINALIST,
GREAT VALUE
Category: Red Wines
Spain Reds



91 MONTECILLO GRAN RESERVA

Rioja 2006 (Spain) 13.5% abv \$29.00

Deep ruby to garnet red color. The nose is rich and dense with the scents of freshly crushed blackberries with accents of cigar box, baking spice, earth, herbs, and oak. The palate offers the perfect continuation of the aromatics ideally weaving dried fruit, spice, oak, and cigar box. Ideally balanced with soft, dusty tannins.



FINALIST
Category: Red Wines
Spain Reds



90	Black Stallion Estate Winery Chardonnay Napa Valley 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.99	★
90	Blakeslee Vineyard Estate Chardonnay Willamette Valley 2012 (United States) 13.9% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$38.00	
90	Herzog Winery Reserve Chardonnay Russian River Valley 2011 (United States) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00	
90	Rodney Strong Vineyards Chardonnay Sonoma County 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$17.00	★
90	HandCraft Chardonnay California 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	🏆
90	Snoqualmie ECO Chardonnay Columbia Valley 2012 (United States) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$13.00	🏆
90	First Press Chardonnay Napa Valley 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$16.99	
90	Jim Palmer Vineyards Coast & Canyon Vineyards of Malibu Chardonnay California 2011 (United States) 14.2% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.00	
90	Louis Jadot Pouilly-Fuisse 2012 (France) 12.8% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.99	
89	DeLoach Vineyards Chardonnay Russian River Valley 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$19.99	
89	Barefoot Cellars Chardonnay California NV (United States) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$6.99	🏆 ★
89	Cannonball Chardonnay Sonoma County 2012 (United States) 13.7% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$14.99	🏆
89	Gerovassiliou Chardonnay Epanomi 2010 (Greece) 13% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$44.00	
89	Wild Horse Chardonnay Central Coast 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$17.00	

WHITE WINES SAUVIGNON BLANC - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Astrolabe Wines Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough 2013 (New Zealand) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.99	🏆	
Finalist	92	Harbor Town Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough 2013 (New Zealand) 13.8% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	🏆	
Finalist	92	Gerovassiliou Sauvignon Blanc Epanomi 2012 (Greece) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$35.00		
Finalist	91	Raymond Vineyards R Collection Lot No. 4 Sauvignon Blanc California 2013 (United States) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	🏆	
Finalist	91	Tiki Sound Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough/Waipara Valley 2013 (New Zealand) 13.6% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	🏆	
Finalist	91	Logan Wines Sauvignon Blanc Orange 2013 (Australia) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD28.00		
Finalist	90	Santa Carolina Reserva Estate Sauvignon Blanc Leyda Valley 2013 (Chile) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.99	🏆	
Finalist	90	The Seeker Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough 2013 (New Zealand) 12.9% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$13.99	🏆	
Finalist	90	Tenuta Ca' Bolani Aquilis Sauvignon Blanc Friuli Aquileia 2012 (Italy) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		
Finalist	90	Cannonball Sauvignon Blanc Sonoma County 2013 (United States) 13.2% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	🏆	
Finalist	90	Sauvion Sancerre 2013 (France) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.99		
Finalist	90	Girard Sauvignon Blanc Napa Valley 2013 (United States) 13.9% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.99	🏆	
	89	Barefoot Cellars Sauvignon Blanc California NV (United States) 12.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$6.99	🏆	★
	89	Massimo Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough 2013 (New Zealand) 13% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$12.99	🏆	
	89	J. Lohr Carol's Vineyard Sauvignon Blanc Napa Valley 2013 (United States) 14.9% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$25.00		

WHITE WINES RIESLING - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	96	Dr. Konstantin Frank Reserve Riesling Finger Lakes 2012 (United States) 12% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$24.99	🏆	
Finalist	95	Helfrich Steinklotz Riesling Alsace Grand Cru 2012 (France) 12.52% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$25.00		
Finalist	94	Wollersheim Winery White Riesling American 2013 (United States) 10% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.00	🏆	
Finalist	93	Wagner Vineyards Semi Dry Estate Grown/Estate Bottled Riesling Finger Lakes 2012 (United States) 13.1% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	🏆	★
Finalist	92	Wagner Vineyards Dry Caywood East Vineyard Riesling Finger Lakes 2012 (United States) 13.2% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	🏆	
Finalist	92	Wollersheim Winery Dry Riesling American 2013 (United States) 11.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.00	🏆	
Finalist	92	Lorenzi Estate Riesling Temecula Valley 2012 (United States) 13.2% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$20.00	🏆	

Finalist	92	Sheldrake Point Estate Grown Riesling Cayuga Lake 2013 (United States) 11.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$16.00	\$
Finalist	91	Wagner Vineyards Select Riesling Finger Lakes 2012 (United States) 11.2% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	\$ *
Finalist	91	Snoqualmie Winemaker's Select Riesling Columbia Valley 2012 (United States) 10.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$8.00	\$
	90	Dr. Konstantin Frank Dry Riesling Finger Lakes 2013 (United States) 12.3% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	\$ *
	90	Raidis Estate The Kid Riesling Coonawarra 2012 (Australia) 12.6% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD25.00	
	90	Chateau Ste. Michelle Cold Creek Vineyard Riesling Columbia Valley 2013 (United States) 12.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$20.00	
	89	Chateau Ste. Michelle Dry Riesling Columbia Valley 2013 (United States) 13% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$10.00	\$
	89	Oh Schist Riesling Mosel 2013 (Germany) 9% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$10.99	\$
	89	Eroica Gold Riesling Columbia Valley 2012 (United States) 10% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$28.00	

WHITE WINES PINOT GRIGIO/PINOT GRIS-WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	94	Villa Pozzi Pinot Grigio Sicily IGT 2013 (Italy) 12% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.99	\$	
Finalist	93	Helfrich Steinklotz Pinot Gris Alsace Grand Cru 2011 (France) 12.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.00		
Finalist	92	Sheldrake Point Estate Grown Pinot Gris Cayuga Lake 2013 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$16.00	\$	
Finalist	92	Arancio Stemmari Pinot Grigio Sicily IGT 2013 (Italy) 13% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$8.99	\$	
Finalist	92	Astrolabe Wines Pinot Gris Marlborough 2013 (New Zealand) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.99		
Finalist	91	Barone Fini Pinot Grigio Valdadige 2013 (Italy) 13% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$11.99	\$ *	
Finalist	91	Dr. Konstantin Frank Pinot Gris Finger Lakes 2012 (United States) 12% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	\$ *	
Finalist	91	Ca' Montini Terre di Valfreda Pinot Grigio TrentinoValle dell'Adige 2013 (Italy) 12.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.99	\$	
Finalist	91	Cliffhanger Vineyards Estate Grown Pinot Grigio Trentino 2013 (Italy) 13.9% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	\$	
Finalist	91	Kettmeir Pinot Grigio Alto Adige 2013 (Italy) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.00	\$	
	90	Barone Fini Pinot Grigio Alto Adige 2013 (Italy) 13% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	\$	
	90	Belle Ambiance Pinot Grigio California 2013 (United States) 13% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.99	\$	
	90	Silvan Ridge Winery Pinot Gris Willamette Valley 2013 (United States) 13.3% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.00	\$	
	90	Paracombe Pinot Gris Adelaide Hills 2013 (Australia) 13% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD20.00		
	90	Riondo Monteforte Lot 6 Pinot Grigio Delle Venezie IGT 2013 (Italy) 12.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$8.99	\$	
	90	Logan Wines Pinot Gris Orange 2013 (Australia) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD19.00		
	90	Pelee Island Winery Pinot Grigio Lake Erie North Shore 2013 (Canada) 13% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	CAD13.75		
	90	Caposaldo Pinot Grigio Veneto IGT 2012 (Italy) 12.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.99	\$	
	89	Raidis Estate Cheeky Goat Pinot Gris Coonawarra 2012 (Australia) 13.9% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	AUD25.00		
	89	Spasso Pinot Grigio Veneto IGT 2013 (Italy) 12.9% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$9.99	\$	

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WHITE WINES GEWURZTRAMINER-WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Dr. Konstantin Frank Gewurztraminer Finger Lakes 2013 (United States) 12% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$14.99	🏆	
Finalist	94	Helfrich Steinklotz Gewurztraminer Alsace Grand Cru 2011 (France) 13.8% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.00		
Finalist	91	Wagner Vineyards Estate Grown/Estate Bottled Semi-Dry Gewurztraminer Finger Lakes 2012 (United States) 12.6% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	🏆	

WHITE WINES WHITE BLENDS - EUROPE

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Domaine Gerovassiliou Malagousia Epanomi 2013 (Greece) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.00	🏆	
Finalist	92	Stemmari Dalila Sicily IGT 2012 (Italy) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	🏆	
Finalist	92	Barton & Guestier Charmes de Magnol Blanc Bordeaux 2013 (France) 12.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	🏆	
Finalist	91	Tapada do Barão Colheita Seleccionada White Blend Alentejo 2013 (Portugal) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.00	🏆	
Finalist	91	Monte da Ravasqueira Reserva Branco Alentejo 2013 (Portugal) 12.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	€5.50		
Finalist	91	Barton & Guestier Passeport Blanc Bordeaux 2011 (France) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	🏆	
Finalist	91	Estreia Branco Vinho Verde 2013 (Portugal) 10.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$8.99	🏆	
Finalist	91	Marqués de Riscal White Rueda 2013 (Spain) 12.6% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.00	🏆	
	90	Biblia Chora Ovilos Macedonia 2012 (Greece) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$38.00		
	90	Biblia Chora Estate White Macedonia 2013 (Greece) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$23.00		
	89	Andre Lurton Chateau Bonnet White Bordeaux 2013 (France) 13% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$12.99	🏆	

WHITE WINES WHITE BLENDS - NORTH AMERICA

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	92	Devonian Coast Wineries Mercator White Estate Select Nova Scotia 2012 (Canada) 12% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	CAD22.99		

WHITE WINES MUSCAT/MOSCATO/MUSCATELLE - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Cantine Aurora Moscato Piemonte 2013 (Italy) 5.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$16.99	🏆	
Finalist	91	Domino Moscato Mendoza 2012 (Argentina) 12.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$7.49	🏆	
Finalist	91	Mezzacorona Moscato Vigneti delle Dolomiti IGT 2012 (Italy) 11% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$8.99	🏆	
Finalist	90	Stemmari Moscato Sicily IGT 2012 (Italy) 8.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$8.99	🏆	
	89	Ecco Domani Puglia 2013 (Italy) 12.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$14.00	🏆	

WHITE WINES OTHER WHITE VARIETALS - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	94	Helfrich Pinot Blanc Alsace 2013 (France) 12.9% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$16.99	🏆	
Finalist	93	Sauvion Vouvray 2013 (France) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$11.99	🏆	
Finalist	93	Gerovassiliou Malagousia Epanomi 2013 (Greece) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$23.00		
Finalist	92	Gerovassiliou Viognier Epanomi 2012 (Greece) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.00		
Finalist	92	Hither & Yon White Frontinac McLaren Vale 2012 (Australia) 12.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD20.00		
Finalist	91	Blume Verdejo Pagos del Rey Rueda 2013 (Spain) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.99	🏆	
Finalist	91	Parparoussis Gift of Dionysos Sideritis Peloponnese 2013 (Greece) 12.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.00	🏆	
Finalist	91	Terra Silvestre Arinto Tejo 2013 (Portugal) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	🏆	

Finalist	91	Wollersheim Winery Prairie Fume Seyval Blanc American 2013 (United States) 10% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.00	\$
Finalist	91	Biblia Chora Areti Assyritiko Macedonia 2012 (Greece) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$23.00	
	90	San Felo Le Stoppie Vermentino Toscana IGT 2013 (Italy) 12.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	€24.00	
	90	Vesevo Beneventano Falanghina Campania IGT 2013 (Italy) 13% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$17.00	
	90	Vinkara Reserve Narince Tokat 2011 (Turkey) 14% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99	
	89	Vinas del Vero La Miranda de Secastilla Somontano 2012 (Spain) 13% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$13.99	\$
	89	Vinkara Doruk Narince Tokat 2012 (Turkey) 14% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$14.99	\$
	89	Finca Constanca Parcela 52 Verdejo Castilla 2013 (Spain) 13% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$18.99	
	89	Kettmeir Muller-Thurgau Alto Adige 2013 (Italy) 12.5% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$18.00	
	89	Quinta do Quetzal Reserva Antao Vaz Vidigueira 2011 (Portugal) 13.5% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$38.00	
	89	Sobon Estate Viognier Amador County 2013 (United States) 13.8% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$16.00	

RED WINES CABERNET SAUVIGNON - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	97	Chateau La Haye Majeste Grande Reserve Saint-Estephe 2010 (France) 13.5% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$80.00		
Finalist	95	J. Lohr Hilltop Cabernet Sauvignon Paso Robles 2011 (United States) 14.9% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$35.00		★
Finalist	94	Rodney Strong Vineyards Estate Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon Alexander Valley 2011 (United States) 14% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$28.00		★
Finalist	94	Midsummer Cellars Tomasson Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon Saint Helena 2011 (United States) 14.2% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$44.00		
Finalist	94	Claar Cellars White Bluffs Cabernet Sauvignon Columbia Valley 2010 (United States) 13.8% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.00		
Finalist	94	Raymond Vineyards Reserve Selection Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley 2011 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$40.00		
Finalist	93	J. Lohr Carol's Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon Saint Helena 2011 (United States) 14.9% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$40.00		★
Finalist	93	Black Stallion Estate Winery Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley 2011 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.99		★
Finalist	93	14 Hands Cabernet Sauvignon Columbia Valley 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.00	\$	
Finalist	93	Bazelet ha Golan Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon Galilee 2010 (Israel) 15.8% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$60.00		
Finalist	93	La Merika Cabernet Sauvignon Central Coast 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.99	\$	
Finalist	93	Montgras Reserva Cabernet Sauvignon Colchagua Valley 2013 (Chile) 14% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$11.99	\$	
Finalist	93	Robert Mondavi Private Selection Cabernet Sauvignon Central Coast (United States) 12.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$11.00	\$	
Finalist	92	Midsummer Cellars Cañon Creek Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley 2011 (United States) 13.7% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$44.00		★
Finalist	92	Chateau Ste. Michelle Cold Creek Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon Columbia Valley 2011 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$35.00		

95 DR. KONSTANTIN FRANK GEWURZTRAMINER

Finger Lakes 2013 (United States)
12% abv \$14.99

Greenish yellow color. Impeccable aroma of grass, orange rind, sage, thyme, minerals, quartz, granite, unripened grapes, lemongrass. Tastes of lemon, pineapple, almond. Aftertaste is absurdly long, slinky, edgy, savory. A Gewurztraminer clinic.



CHAIRMAN'S TROPHY,
GREAT VALUE
Category: White Wines
Gewurztraminer - World



95 HELFRICH STEINKLOTZ RIESLING

Alsace Grand Cru 2012 (France)
12.52% abv \$25.00

Brilliant pale straw with hints of gold. The aromatics are complex and a bit understated with scents of ripe apple, white peach, apricot, honeysuckle, and pear accented by mineral and subtle green herbs. The palate affirms the nose delivering waves of ripe and tart fruits enveloped in floral and mineral notes.



FINALIST
Category: White Wines
Riesling - World



94 HELFRICH PINOT BLANC

Alsace 2013 (France) 12.9% abv \$16.99

Oyster shell color. Faint, flinty aromas of vegetation, coins, gun metal, limestone, dry earth make for intriguing sniffing. Citrusy, tangy, peel-like tastes highlight this lean wine's flavor profile, which lends itself perfectly to chicken or game hen.



CHAIRMAN'S TROPHY,
GREAT VALUE
Category: White Wines
Other White Varietals - World



91 CA' MONTINI TERRE DI VALFREDDA PINOT GRIGIO

Trentino Valle dell'Adige 2013 (Italy)
12.5% abv \$15.99

Vivid ecru/tarnished silver color. Almonds, nectarines, and yellow pear aromas highlight the bouquet. Svelte, tight, stone dry on palate, with savory, astringent flavors of spice cake, lemon. Classy.



FINALIST, GREAT VALUE
Category: White Wines
Grigio/Pinot Gris - World



Finalist	92	Hitler & Yon Cabernet Sauvignon McLaren Vale 2011 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD35.00		
Finalist	92	Paracombe Cabernet Sauvignon Adelaide Hills 2009 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD25.00		
Finalist	92	Alto Los Romeros Reserva Cabernet Sauvignon Colchagua Valley 2012 (Chile) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.99	🇺🇸	
Finalist	92	Eldredge RL Cabernet Sauvignon Clare Valley 2010 (Australia) 14.8% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD25.00		
Finalist	92	Lorenzi Estate Varietal Collection Cabernet Sauvignon Temecula Valley 2010 (United States) 13.9% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$75.00		
Finalist	92	Josh Cellars Cabernet Sauvignon Napa 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	🇺🇸	
Finalist	92	Santa Carolina Reserva de Familia Cabernet Sauvignon Maipo Valley 2011 (Chile) 14.3% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$20.00	🇺🇸	
Finalist	92	ESTABLO Vineyard Selection Limited Edition Cabernet Sauvignon Maipo Valley 2011 (Chile) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		
Finalist	92	Howard Park Miampub Cabernet Sauvignon Great Southern 2011 (Australia) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD28.00		
	91	Columbia Crest Grand Estates Cabernet Sauvignon Columbia Valley 2011 (United States) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.00	🇺🇸	
	91	Irony Cabernet Sauvignon North Coast 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.99	🇺🇸	
	91	Chateau Ste. Michelle Canoe Ridge Estate Cabernet Sauvignon Horse Heaven Hills 2011 (United States) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		
	91	Girard Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley 2011 (United States) 15% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		
	91	Gnarly Head Cabernet Sauvignon California 2012 (United States) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$11.99	🇺🇸	🌟
	91	Formby & Adams Leading Horse Cabernet Sauvignon Langhorne Creek 2009 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD19.00		
	91	Fog Head Cabernet Sauvignon California 2012 (United States) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.99	🇺🇸	
	91	Columbia Crest Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon Columbia Valley 2011 (United States) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		
	90	Columbia Crest H3 Cabernet Sauvignon Horse Heaven Hills 2012 (United States) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.00	🇺🇸	
	90	Seven Falls Cabernet Sauvignon Wahluke Slope 2011 (United States) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.00	🇺🇸	
	90	Chateau Ste. Michelle Ethos Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon Columbia Valley 2011 (United States) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$48.00		🌟
	90	Rodney Strong Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon Sonoma County 2011 (United States) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$20.00		🌟
	90	Beelgara Black Label Cabernet Sauvignon Clare Valley 2010 (Australia) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD17.00		
	90	Shottesbrooke Estate Series Cabernet Sauvignon McLaren Vale 2012 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD22.99		
	90	Cannonball Cabernet Sauvignon California 2011 (United States) 13.6% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	🇺🇸	
	90	First Press Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley 2011 (United States) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		
	89	CK Mondavi Wildcreek Canyon Cabernet Sauvignon California 2012 (United States) 13.6% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$7.99	🇺🇸	
	89	HandCraft Cabernet Sauvignon California 2012 (United States) 14% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$12.99	🇺🇸	
	89	Lopez Noceti Cabernet Sauvignon Mendoza 2013 (Argentina) 13.8% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$10.99	🇺🇸	
	89	Noble Vines 337 Cabernet Sauvignon Lodi 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$14.99	🇺🇸	
	89	Wolfgang Puck Cabernet Sauvignon California 2011 (United States) 14.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$14.99	🇺🇸	
	89	Katsaros Estate Cabernet Sauvignon Mount Olympus 2008 (Greece) 14% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$48.00		
	89	One Leaf Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley 2011 (United States) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$25.99		
	89	Forchini Vineyards & Winery Proprietor's Reserve Estate Grown Cabernet Sauvignon Dry Creek Valley 2011 (United States) 14% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$34.00		

RED WINES PINOT NOIR - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	94	DeLoach Vineyards Pinot Noir Russian River Valley 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99	🇺🇸	
Finalist	93	Wild Horse Pinot Noir Central Coast 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$20.00	🇺🇸	🌟
Finalist	93	Rodney Strong Vineyards Estate Vineyards Pinot Noir Russian River Valley 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.00		🌟
Finalist	93	DeLoach Vineyards OFS Pinot Noir Russian River Valley 2011 (United States) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$40.00		

Finalist	92	Sonoma Hills Pinot Noir Russian River Valley 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		
Finalist	92	La Merika Pinot Noir Central Coast 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.99	\$	
Finalist	91	Davis Bynum Jane's Vineyard Single Vineyard Pinot Noir Russian River Valley 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$40.00		
Finalist	91	Black Stallion Estate Winery Pinot Noir Los Carneros 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.99		
Finalist	91	Martellotto Le Bons Temps Roule Pinot Noir Santa Barbara County 2012 (United States) 14.2% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$45.00		
Finalist	91	Mezzacorona Pinot Noir Vigneti delle Dolomiti IGT 2013 (Italy) 13% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$8.99	\$	
Finalist	91	ESTABLO Vineyard Selection Limited Edition Pinot Noir Leyda Valley 2011 (Chile) 14% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		
	90	Noble Vines 667 Pinot Noir Monterey 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	\$	
	90	Animist Pinot Noir Russian River Valley 2012 (United States) 14.4% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$35.99		
	90	Vina Casablanca Nimbus Single Vineyard Pinot Noir Casablanca Valley 2011 (Chile) 14.7% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.99		
	89	HandCraft Pinot Noir California 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$12.99	\$	
	89	Stemmari Pinot Noir Sicily IGT 2012 (Italy) 13.5% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$8.99	\$	
	89	Astrolabe Wines Pinot Noir Marlborough 2011 (New Zealand) 14% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$28.99		
	89	Wine Spots Wines Pinot Noir Carneros 2012 (United States) 14% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$25.00		

RED WINES MERLOT - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	93	Ridge Crest White Bluffs Merlot Columbia Valley 2011 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.00	\$	
Finalist	92	Raymond Vineyards Reserve Selection Merlot Napa Valley 2011 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.00		
Finalist	91	Gnarly Head Merlot California 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.99	\$	
Finalist	90	Alexander Valley Vineyards Estate Merlot Alexander Valley 2011 (United States) 13.9% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$20.00	\$	★
	89	Rodney Strong Vineyards Merlot Sonoma County 2011 (United States) 13.5% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$20.00		★
	89	Domino Merlot California 2012 (United States) 13% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$7.49	\$	
	89	Josh Cellars Merlot Napa Valley 2011 (United States) 14% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$14.99	\$	
	89	Chateau Julien Private Reserve Merlot Monterey County 2011 (United States) 14.5% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$68.00		
	89	Norma Jeane Merlot California 2013 (United States) 12.5% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$13.00	\$	

RED WINES SHIRAZ/SYRAH - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Tellurian Pastiche Shiraz Heathcote 2012 (Australia) 14.4% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	AUD27.00		
Finalist	94	Chateau Paul Mas Clos de Mures Coteaux du Languedoc 2012 (France) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$17.99	\$	
Finalist	92	Kellermeister Icon Collection Wild Witch Shiraz Barossa Valley 2010 (Australia) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD85.00		

94 BARBADILLO SAN RAFAEL OLOROSO DULCE

Jerez-Xeres-Sherry (Spain)
19.5% abv \$28.00

Auburn/tawny color. Smells immediately of raisins, bread dough, fruitcake, dried apricot, nectarine. Semi-dry flavors include baked banana, baked pear, English toffee, salt water taffy, white raisins, all lasting deep into the lush, intensely nutty aftertaste.



CHAIRMAN'S TROPHY, TRIED & TRUE AWARD
Category: Fortified Sherry - Spain



92 BARBADILLO CUCO OLOROSO SECO

Jerez-Xeres-Sherry (Spain)
19.5% abv \$28.00

Gorgeous burnt sienna color. Tantalizing aromas include walnut, almond butter, praline, baker's yeast, citrus, sultana. Taste profile is complex, salty, multilayered with woody tastes of almond paste, raisin, dried quince, hard cheese. Aftertaste is long, zesty, citrusy.



FINALIST, TRIED & TRUE AWARD
Category: Fortified Sherry - Spain



90 BARBADILLO PRINCIPE AMONTILLADO

Jerez-Xeres-Sherry (Spain)
19.5% abv \$28.00

Brilliant copper to golden color. The aromatics are complex and ever evolving with aeration offering scents of roasted nuts, baked green apple, sourdough, dried papaya, and mineral. The palate echoes the nose and delivers a multilayered attack of spice, oak, earth and preserved fruit.



FINALIST
Category: Fortified Sherry - Spain



Finalist	92	Beelgara Black Label Shiraz Clare Valley 2010 (Australia) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD17.00
Finalist	92	Shottesbrooke Estate Series Shiraz McLaren Vale 2012 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD22.99
Finalist	92	Cape Barren Old Vine Reserve Shiraz McLaren Vale 2010 (Australia) 14.6% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD40.00
Finalist	92	Gatt Single Vineyard Shiraz Barossa Valley 2008 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD52.00
Finalist	92	Kellermeister Threefold Farm Collection The Firstborn Shiraz Barossa Valley 2012 (Australia) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD45.00
Finalist	91	Philip Shaw The Idiot Shiraz Orange 2012 (Australia) 12.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD25.00
Finalist	91	Keg Springs Winery Syrah American 2012 (United States) 13.9% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.83
Finalist	91	Eldredge Blue Chip Shiraz Clare Valley 2012 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD28.00
	90	Madison Ridge Shale Line Shiraz Southeastern 2013 (Australia) 13.9% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$11.99 
	90	Kingston Echelon Shiraz South Australia 2010 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.99
	90	Shottesbrooke Reserve Series Eliza Shiraz McLaren Vale 2010 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD49.99
	90	Malibu Vineyards Single Vineyard Selection by Jim Palmer Syrah California 2011 (United States) 14.2% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.00
	90	Paracombe Shiraz Adelaide Hills 2009 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD25.00
	90	Shottesbrooke Single Vineyard Series Shiraz McLaren Vale 2012 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD34.99
	90	Vidal Fleury St. Joseph 2010 (France) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$28.99
	89	[yellow tail] Reserve Shiraz Yenda 2011 (Australia) 14% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$11.99 
	89	Brothers in Arms 6th Generation Shiraz Langhorne Creek 2010 (Australia) 14.8% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	AUD27.00
	89	Cape Barren Native Goose Shiraz McLaren Vale 2012 (Australia) 15.1% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	AUD23.00
	89	ESTABLO Vineyard Selection Limited Edition Syrah Leyda Valley 2011 (Chile) 14% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$30.00
	89	Kellermeister Storyboard Collection Pious Pioneer Shiraz Barossa Valley 2011 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	AUD25.00
	89	Gatt High Eden Shiraz Eden Valley 2009 (Australia) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	AUD52.00

RED WINES MALBEC - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	92	Lopez Noceti 1919 Seleccion Barrica Malbec Mendoza 2012 (Argentina) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99		
Finalist	91	Barefoot Cellars Malbec Argentina NV (Argentina) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$7.99		
Finalist	90	Terra Andina Malbec Mendoza 2013 (Argentina) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.99		
Finalist	90	Gnarly Head Malbec Mendoza 2012 (Argentina) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$11.99		
Finalist	90	Waterbrook Reserve Malbec Columbia Valley 2011 (United States) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.00		

RED WINES ZINFANDEL - USA

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Girard Old Vine Zinfandel Napa Valley 2012 (United States) 14.7% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$23.99		
Finalist	92	Rodney Strong Vineyards Knotty Vines Zinfandel Sonoma County 2012 (United States) 15% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.00		
Finalist	92	Brazin (B) Old Vine Zinfandel Lodi 2011 (United States) 15% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$17.99		
Finalist	92	Gnarly Head Zinfandel Lodi 2012 (United States) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$11.99		
Finalist	91	Zin-Phomaniac Zinfandel Lodi 2012 (United States) 14.9% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$16.99		
Finalist	90	Sobon Estate Paul's Vineyard ReZerve Zinfandel Amador County 2011 (United States) 14.8% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.00		
Finalist	90	Scott Harvey Mountain Selection Zinfandel Amador County 2011 (United States) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.00		
	89	Bota Box Old Vine Zinfandel California 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv (3L)	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$22.99		
	89	Sobon Estate Old Vines Zinfandel Amador County 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$13.00		
	89	Zinsane Zinfandel Lodi 2012 (United States) 14.4% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$13.99		
	89	Zinfandelic Zinfandel Sierra Foothills 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$19.99		

RED WINES SANGIOVESE - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	94	Cantalici L'Antica Fornace di Ridolfo Baruffo Chianti Classico Riserva 2010 (Italy) 14% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.00		
Finalist	92	Lamole di Lamole Estate Grown Chianti Classico 2009 (Italy) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.00	Ⓢ	
Finalist	92	Baccio Brunello di Montalcino 2008 (Italy) 14% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$34.99		
Finalist	91	Querceto Chianti Classico Riserva 2009 (Italy) 13% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	Ⓢ	
Finalist	91	Lamole di Lamole Vigento di Campolungo Chianti Classico Riserva 2009 (Italy) 14% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$35.00		
Finalist	91	Villa Puccini Riserva Chianti 2010 (Italy) 12.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	Ⓢ	
Finalist	90	Castello d'Albola Chianti Classico Riserva 2009 (Italy) 13% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.99		
Finalist	90	Geggiano Pontignano Chianti Classico 2010 (Italy) 13% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	Ⓢ	
Finalist	90	Castello d'Albola Chianti Classico Riserva 2008 (Italy) 13% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.99		
	89	Quercia al Poggio Chianti Classico 2009 (Italy) 14% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$21.00		
	89	Villa Puccini Gold Label Sangiovese Toscana IGT 2009 (Italy) 12.5% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$13.99	Ⓢ	
	89	Alborense Morellino di Scansano 2010 (Italy) 14.5% abv Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$19.99		

RED WINES RED BLENDS - NORTH AMERICA

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME / ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Buena Vista Winery The Count Sonoma County 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$30.00		
Finalist	94	J. Lohr Cuvée POM Paso Robles 2010 (United States) 14.9% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$50.00	⊕	
Finalist	94	Chateau Ste. Michelle Meritage Artist's Series Columbia Valley 2010 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$57.00		
Finalist	93	Malibu Vineyards Meritage Single Vineyard Selection by Jim Palmer California 2011 (United States) 14.7% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$31.00		
Finalist	92	Girard Artistry Napa Valley 2011 (United States) 15% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$39.99		
Finalist	92	J. Lohr Cuvée St. E Paso Robles 2010 (United States) 14.9% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$50.00	⊕	
Finalist	92	Fog Head Red California 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.99	Ⓢ	
Finalist	92	Raymond Vineyards R Collection Lot No. 7 Field Blend California 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	Ⓢ	
Finalist	92	Lorenzi Estate Zin City Temecula Valley 2010 (United States) 13.2% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$48.00		
Finalist	91	Buena Vista Winery Legendary Badge Sonoma County 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	Ⓢ	
Finalist	91	HandCraft Inspiration Red California 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99		
Finalist	91	Noble Vines 1 Red Blend California 2012 (United States) 14% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	Ⓢ	
Finalist	91	Lorenzi Estate The Catalyst Temecula Valley 2009 (United States) 13.9% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$120.00		
Finalist	91	Gnarly Head Authentic Red Lodi 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$11.99	Ⓢ	⊕

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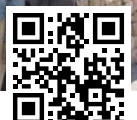
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Finalist	91	Rodney Strong Vineyards Symmetry Meritage Alexander Valley 2011 (United States) 15.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$60.00		
	90	Genoa Cellars Crosswind Super-Tuscan-Style Reserve Red Mountain 2011 (United States) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$37.00		
	90	Cambridge Meritage Napa Valley 2012 (United States) 13.8% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.99		
	90	Forchini Vineyards & Winery BeauSierra Dry Creek Valley Estate Grown & Bottled (United States) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$28.00		
	89	Château Julien Royalty Red Monterey County 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$12.99	\$	★
	89	Belle Ambiance Red Blend California 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$9.99	\$	
	89	Robert Mondavi Private Selection "Coastal Crush" Central Coast 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$11.00	\$	
	89	Robert Mondavi Private Selection Meritage Central Coast 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$11.00	\$	
	89	Geyser Peak Winery Tectonic Alexander Valley 2011 (United States) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$28.00		

RED WINES RED BLENDS - EUROPE

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Spettacolare Real Tuscan Heirloom Edition Estate Grown Toscana IGT 2011 (Italy) 14.5% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$29.00		
Finalist	94	Chateau Paul Mas Clos de Savignac Coteaux du Languedoc 2012 (France) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		
Finalist	94	Evangelo Red Blend Epanomi 2010 (Greece) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$79.00		
Finalist	94	Rocca di Montemassi Sassabruna Monteregio di Massa Marittima 2011 (Italy) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		
Finalist	92	Chateau Qanafar Red Blend Bekaa 2011 (Lebanon) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		
Finalist	92	Bertani Ripasso Valpolicella 2011 (Italy) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.99		
Finalist	91	Avaton Red Blend Epanomi 2011 (Greece) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$55.00		
Finalist	91	Barbare Prestige Thrace 2010 (Turkey) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	n/a		
Finalist	91	San Felo Diciocatore Riserva Morellino di Scansano 2010 (Italy) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	€70.00		
Finalist	90	Cliffhanger Vineyards Proprietary Red Dolomiti IGT 2012 (Italy) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	\$	
Finalist	90	Barbare Elegance Thrace 2010 (Turkey) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	n/a		
Finalist	90	Chateau La Haye Small Step Cabernet Sauvignon/Merlot Saint-Estephe 2011 (France) 12.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.00		
Finalist	90	Vidal Fleury Cotes-du-Rhone 2010 (France) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	\$	
Finalist	90	Andre Lurton Chateau de Rochemorin Red Pessac Leognan 2011 (France) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		
Finalist	90	Farnese Edizione Cinque Autoctoni Abruzzi IGT NV (Italy) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$49.99		
Finalist	90	Kayra Buzbag Rezerv Elazig 2010 (Turkey) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.00	\$	
Finalist	90	Andre Lurton Chateau de Barbe Blanche Lussac-Saint-Emilion 2012 (France) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.99		
Finalist	90	Barbare Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot Thrace 2010 (Turkey) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	n/a		
	89	Spasso Red Toscana IGT 2011 (Italy) 13% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$9.99	\$	
	89	Andre Lurton Chateau Tour de Ségur Lussac-Saint-Emilion 2011 (France) 13% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$24.99		
	89	San Felo Balla La Vecchia Toscana IGT 2011 (Italy) 14.2% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	€20.00		

RED WINES RED BLENDS - SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	92	Kellermeister Storyboard Collection Funk Wagon Barossa Valley 2011 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD25.00		
Finalist	91	Killibinbin Scaredy Cat Cabernet Sauvignon/Shiraz Langhorne Creek 2010 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD19.00		
Finalist	90	Hither & Yon Shiraz/Cabernet Sauvignon McLaren Vale 2012 (Australia) 14.8% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD30.00		
	89	Cape Barren Native Goose Grenach, Shiraz, Mourvedre McLaren Vale 2011 (Australia) 14.2% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	AUD23.00		
	89	Paracombe The Reuben Adelaide Hills 2011 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	AUD25.00		

RED WINES SPAIN

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	96	Marques de Riscal Gran Reserva Rioja 2005 (Spain) 14% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$60.00		
Finalist	95	Scala Dei Garnatxa Priorat 2012 (Spain) 14.5% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$18.00	\$	
Finalist	95	Vinas del Vero Secastilla Somontano 2011 (Spain) 14.5% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	n/a		
Finalist	95	Vinas del Vero Blecua Somontano 2008 (Spain) 15% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$69.00		
Finalist	93	Gonzalez Byass Beronia Gran Reserva Rioja 2007 (Spain) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$28.99		
Finalist	93	Pata Negra Crianza Ribera del Duero 2011 (Spain) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.00	\$	
Finalist	93	Marqués de Riscal Reserva Rioja 2008 (Spain) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.99	\$	★
Finalist	93	Pagos del Rey Altos de Taron Ribera del Duero 2013 (Spain) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.99	\$	
Finalist	93	Pata Negra Roble Rioja (Spain) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.00	\$	
Finalist	93	Clos Mesorah Red Blend Montsant 2010 (Spain) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$80.00		
Finalist	92	Castillo de Albai Tempranillo Pagos del Rey Rioja 2013 (Spain) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.99	\$	
Finalist	92	Vinas del Vero La Miranda de Secastilla Somontano 2011 (Spain) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$13.99	\$	
Finalist	92	Pata Negra Crianza Rioja 2010 (Spain) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.00	\$	
Finalist	91	Vina Pomal Reserva Rioja 2009 (Spain) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$21.00		
Finalist	91	Gandia Raiza Reserva Rioja 2009 (Spain) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.00	\$	
Finalist	91	Montecillo Crianza Rioja 2010 (Spain) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.00	\$	
Finalist	91	Vina Pomal Crianza Rioja 2010 (Spain) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	\$	
Finalist	91	Montecillo Gran Reserva Rioja 2006 (Spain) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.00		
Finalist	91	Marqués de Riscal Proximo Rioja 2009 (Spain) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.00	\$	★



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Chianti Classico 2009
"Excellent,
Highly Recommended."

WINE CHALLENGE 2014
92 POINTS
WINE CHALLENGE 2011
FINALIST

Chianti Classico Riserva 2009
"Excellent,
Highly Recommended."

WINE CHALLENGE 2014
91 POINTS
WINE CHALLENGE 2011
FINALIST

TENUTA
SASSOREGALE
Sangiovese 2010
"Very Good,
Strong Recommendation."

WINE CHALLENGE 2014
86 POINTS
WINE CHALLENGE 2011
GREAT \$ VALUE



KETTMEIR
Pinot Grigio 2013
"Excellent,
Highly Recommended."

WINE CHALLENGE 2014
91 POINTS
WINE CHALLENGE 2011
FINALIST

Muller Thurgau 2013
"Very Good,
Strong Recommendation."

WINE CHALLENGE 2014
89 POINTS
WINE CHALLENGE 2011
GREAT \$ VALUE

Pinot Bianco 2013
"Very Good,
Strong Recommendation."

WINE CHALLENGE 2014
87 POINTS
WINE CHALLENGE 2011
GREAT \$ VALUE



Finalist	91	Felix Solis Viña Albari Crianza Tempranillo Valdepeñas 2011 (Spain) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.99	🇺🇸
Finalist	91	Finca Loranque Estate Grown Red Tierra de Castilla 2008 (Spain) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.00	
Finalist	91	Finca Rio Negro Red Blend Vino de la Tierra de Castilla 2010 (Spain) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99	
	90	Bajoz Tempranillo Pagos del Rey Toro 2013 (Spain) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.99	🇺🇸
	90	Gonzalez Byass Beronia Reserva Rioja 2009 (Spain) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.99	🇺🇸
	90	Pata Negra Roble Ribera del Duero 2012 (Spain) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.00	🇺🇸
	89	Castillo de Albari Crianza Pagos del Rey Rioja 2011 (Spain) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$13.99	🇺🇸
	89	Finca Constancia Altos de la Finca Castilla 2011 (Spain) 14.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$29.99	
	89	Pata Negra Reserva Ribera del Duero 2009 (Spain) 14% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$16.00	
	89	Vina Arnaiz Crianza Ribera del Duero 2010 (Spain) 14% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$25.00	

RED WINES PORTUGAL

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	96	Quinta de Lemos Touriga Nacional Dao 2009 (Portugal) 14.5% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$35.00		
Finalist	95	Quinta do Quetzal Reserva Alentejo 2010 (Portugal) 14% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$38.00		
Finalist	94	Poli Phonia Reserva Red Blend Alentejo 2012 (Portugal) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.00		🇺🇸
Finalist	94	Quinta de Lemos Dona Santana Dao 2009 (Portugal) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.00		
Finalist	94	Tapado do Barao Colheita Seleccionada Alentejo 2013 (Portugal) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.00	🇺🇸	
Finalist	93	Quinta do Quetzal Guadalupe Alentejo 2011 (Portugal) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$16.00	🇺🇸	
Finalist	93	Poli Phonia Signature Alentejo 2011 (Portugal) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$50.00		
Finalist	93	Quinta do Quetzal Guadalupe Winemaker's Selection Alentejo 2010 (Portugal) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.00		
Finalist	92	Tapada do Fidalgo Reserva Alentejo 2012 (Portugal) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$20.00	🇺🇸	
Finalist	92	Tapada do Barão Reserva Alentejo 2012 (Portugal) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$22.00		
Finalist	91	Herdade da Comporta Península de Setúbal 2011 (Portugal) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$19.99	🇺🇸	
Finalist	91	Vinhas do Sado Red Blend Península de Setúbal 2013 (Portugal) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	€3.60		
Finalist	91	Dow's Vale do Bomfim Douro 2011 (Portugal) 13.9% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$13.00	🇺🇸	🇺🇸
Finalist	91	Prats & Symington Prazo de Roriz Douro 2011 (Portugal) 14.3% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$15.00	🇺🇸	
Finalist	91	Quinta de Ramozerios Reserva Tinto Douro 2010 (Portugal) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$8.50	🇺🇸	
	90	Chao das Rolas Red Blend Península de Setúbal 2013 (Portugal) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.99	🇺🇸	
	90	Quinta de Lemos Tinta Roriz Dao 2009 (Portugal) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$32.00		
	90	Herdade Paço do Conde Red Blend Alentejo 2012 (Portugal) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.00	🇺🇸	
	90	Quinta de Lemos Alfocheiro Dao 2009 (Portugal) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$32.00		
	90	Monte da Ravasqueira Tinto Alentejo 2012 (Portugal) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	€5.50		
	89	Tapada do Fidalgo Red Blend Alentejo 2013 (Portugal) 14.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$12.00	🇺🇸	🇺🇸
	89	Terra Silvestre Reserva Tejo 2010 (Portugal) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$19.99		🇺🇸
	89	Herdade do Peso Vinha do Monte Alentejo 2012 (Portugal) 14% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$11.00	🇺🇸	
	89	Monte da Ravasqueira Reserva Tinto Alentejo 2012 (Portugal) 14% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	€7.90	🇺🇸	

RED WINES OTHER RED VARIETALS - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Nederburg Pinotage Paarl 2012 (South Africa) 14% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$9.99	🇺🇸	
Finalist	94	Kayra Okuzgozu Elazig 2011 (Turkey) 14.33% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.00	🇺🇸	
Finalist	94	Stemmari Nero d'Avola Sicily IGT 2012 (Italy) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$8.99	🇺🇸	
Finalist	94	Triopi Reserve Agiorgitiko Nemea 2010 (Greece) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$35.00		
Finalist	94	Parparoussis TAOS Dry Mavrodaphne Peloponnese 2008 (Greece) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$38.00		
Finalist	93	Alexander Valley Vineyards Estate Cabernet Franc Alexander Valley 2012 (United States) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.00		🇺🇸
Finalist	93	Girard Petite Sirah Napa Valley 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$27.99		
Finalist	93	Kingston Echelon Petit Verdot Riverland 2010 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.99		
Finalist	93	Riondo Amarone della Valpolicella 2009 (Italy) 15% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.99		

Finalist	92	HandCraft Petite Sirah California 2012 (United States) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	🏆
Finalist	92	Millaman Estate Reserve Carmenere Leyda Valley 2011 (Chile) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$9.99	🏆
Finalist	92	Stemmari Cantadoro Nero d'Avola Sicily IGT 2011 (Italy) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$12.99	🏆
Finalist	92	Terra Okuzgozu Elazig 2012 (Turkey) 13.6% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	TL37.50	
Finalist	92	Vinkara Reserve Kalecik Karasi Kalecik 2011 (Turkey) 13.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99	
Finalist	91	Santa Carolina Reserva de Familia Carmenere Rapel Valley 2011 (Chile) 15% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$20.00	🏆
Finalist	91	Kingston Echelon Petit Verdot South Australia 2009 (Australia) 14.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.99	
	90	Glenlofty Single Vineyard Nebbiolo Pyrenees 2011 (Australia) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD28.00	
	90	Hither & Yon Tempranillo McLaren Vale 2013 (Australia) 14% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	AUD25.00	
	89	Caldora Montepulciano d'Abruzzo 2012 (Italy) 13% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$12.00	🏆
	89	MandraRossa Nero d'Avola Sicily IGT 2012 (Italy) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$10.99	🏆
	89	Villa Pozzi Nero d'Avola Sicily IGT 2012 (Italy) 15% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$9.99	🏆
	89	Vinkara Kalecik Karasi Kalecik 2012 (Turkey) 14% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$14.99	🏆
	89	Triopi Classic Agiorgitiko Nemea 2012 (Greece) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$22.00	
	89	Feudo Principi Di Butera Estate Nero d'Avola Sicily IGT 2012 (Italy) 13.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$16.99	
	89	Masseria Altemura Sasseo Primitivo Salento IGT 2012 (Italy) 14.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$15.99	
	89	Pelee Island Winery Vinedressers Cabernet Franc Lake Erie North Shore 2010 (Canada) 13% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	CAD19.75	
	89	Sobon Estate ReZerve Primitivo Amador County 2012 (United States) 15.3% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$24.00	

RED WINES SWEET REDS

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	98	Finca Moncloa Tintilla de Rota Cádiz 2011 (Spain) 14.5% abv (375ml)	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	€49.50		
Finalist	92	Cantine Aurora Dolce Stilnovo Vino Rosso Frizzante Piemonte NV (Italy) 6% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$16.99	🏆	
Finalist	90	Quady Winery Red Electra Muscat California 2013 (United States) 6.3% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.00	🏆	

ROSÉ/BLUSH WINES ROSÉ – EUROPE

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	92	Château Léoube Secret de Leoube Cotes-de-Provence 2013 (France) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$40.00		🏆
Finalist	90	Le Caprice de Clémentine Les Valentines Rosé Cotes-de-Provence 2013 (France) 12.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$18.00	🏆	🏆
Finalist	90	Château Léoube Rosé de Léoube Cotes-de-Provence 2013 (France) 13% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		🏆
	89	Marques de Riscal Rosé Wine Rioja 2013 (Spain) 13.7% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$10.00	🏆	
	89	David Maitre Vigneron Syrah/Braucol Cotes du Tarn 2013 (France) 2.8% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	€3.80		

ROSÉ/BLUSH WINES ROSÉ – NORTH AMERICA

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	92	Wollersheim Winery Prairie Blush White Marechal Foch Wisconsin 2013 (United States) 11% abv (375ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$10.00	🏆	
Finalist	91	Blakeslee Vineyard Estate Grown Rosé of Pinot Noir Willamette Valley 2013 (United States) 13.2% abv (375ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$30.00		

DESSERT ICE WINE/EISWEIN – WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	96	Turk Eiswein vom Gruner Veltliner Niederösterreich (Austria) 12.5% abv (375ml)	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$39.99		
Finalist	94	Wagner Vineyards Ice Wine Riesling Finger Lakes 2012 (United States) 13.2% abv (375ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		
Finalist	91	Quady Winery Electra Orange Muscat California 2013 (United States) 5.2% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.00	🏆	
	89	Wagner Vineyards Ice Wine Vidal Blanc Finger Lakes 2012 (United States) 13.5% abv (375ml)	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$24.99		

FORTIFIED SHERRY - SPAIN

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	94	Barbadillo San Rafael Oloroso Dulce Jerez-Xeres-Sherry (Spain) 19.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$28.00		★
Finalist	92	Barbadillo Cuco Oloroso Seco Jerez-Xeres-Sherry (Spain) 19.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$28.00		★
Finalist	91	Gonzalez Byass Tio Pepe Palomino Fino Extra Dry Jerez-Xeres-Sherry (Spain) 15% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$17.99	💰	
Finalist	91	Gonzalez Byass Vina AB Jerez-Xeres-Sherry (Spain) 16.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$23.99		
Finalist	90	Barbadillo Principe Amontillado Jerez-Xeres-Sherry (Spain) 19.5% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$28.00		
	89	Barbadillo Solear Manzanilla Sanlúcar de Barrameda (Spain) 15% abv (375ml)	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$10.00		
	89	Barbadillo La Cilla Jerez-Xeres-Sherry (Spain) 17.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$25.00		★
	89	Barbadillo Obispo Gascon Palo Cortado Jerez-Xeres-Sherry (Spain) 21.5% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$36.00		★

FORTIFIED PORTO - PORTUGAL

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
	89	Dow's Trademark Porto Douro NV (Portugal) 20% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$22.00		

FORTIFIED VERMOUTH - WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	95	Maurin Red Vermouth Burgundy (France) 17% abv	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$24.99	💰	
Finalist	94	Maurin Dry Vermouth Burgundy (France) 17% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		
Finalist	92	Maurin White Vermouth Burgundy (France) 17% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$24.99		

FORTIFIED FORTIFIED (SHERRY, PORT) – NORTH AMERICA

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
	90	Quady Winery Starboard Batch 88 California NV (United States) 20% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$25.00		

SAKE

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
Chairman's Trophy	97	Hizo Otokoyama Junmai Ginjyo Sake Fukuoka (Japan) 16% abv (720ml)	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$19.99	💰	
Finalist	96	One Ten Extra Dry Junmai Sake Gifu (Japan) 16% abv (720ml)	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$27.00		
Finalist	95	One Ten Yamahai Junmai Ginjyo Sake Gifu (Japan) 16% abv (720ml)	Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation	\$30.00		
Finalist	94	Koshi No Iso Muroka Genshu Sake Fukui (Japan) 18% abv (720ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$31.00		
Finalist	93	Azuma Rikishi Junmai Ginjyo Sake Tochigi (Japan) 16% abv (720ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$29.00		
Finalist	93	Mystic Falls Junmai Ginjyo Sake Toyama (Japan) 15% abv (720ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$26.00		
Finalist	92	Koshi No Iso Shunka Shusetsu Echizen Sake Fukui (Japan) 16% abv (720ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$28.00		
Finalist	92	Azuma Rikishi Junmai Sake Tochigi (Japan) 15% abv (720ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$21.00		
Finalist	92	One Ten Junmai Dai-Ginjyo Sake Gifu (Japan) 16% abv (720ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$32.00		
	91	TY KU Junmai Sake Nara (Japan) 15% abv (720ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$14.99	💰	
	91	Golden Amber 12 Year Kosu Junmai Sake Gifu (Japan) 19% abv (720ml)	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$69.00		
	89	TY KU Junmai Ginjo Sake Nara (Japan) 15% abv (720ml)	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$21.99		
	89	TY KU Coconut Nigori Akebono Rice Sake (Japan) 15% abv (720ml)	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	\$14.99	💰	

OTHER MEAD – WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
	90	Black Willow Winery Odin's Nectar Mead Niagara Escarpment NV (United States) 12% abv	Excellent, Highly Recommended	\$17.95		

OTHER MISCELLANEOUS WINE – WORLD

AWARD	SCORE	PRODUCT NAME	ACCOLADE	PRICE	GREAT VALUE	TRIED & TRUE
	89	Jost Vineyards Maple Wine Nova Scotia (Canada) 12% abv	Very Good, Strong Recommendation	CAD19.99		