

## BISTRO DU VIN WINE LIST

*Wine; the very lifeblood of our Hotels & Bistros. You will find us passionate, but not pretentious; excited, but not elitist. We are here to help you explore, discover, or simply enjoy your favourites. Our expert in-house wine ambassadors and bar teams can draw from a cellar with an extensive mix of wines from around the world. It promises something for everyone ~ from a simplified selection of quaffable wines by the glass, to sophisticated and complex varieties from leading wine makers from every continent.*

*French food and wine are at the heart of Bistro du Vin and we have a selection of wines we are immensely proud of, from across the many of the notable wine appellations in France. Here you will find an overview of each of the regions and the wines currently featured within this list:*

### CHAMPAGNE

\* Cuvée Hotel du Vin, Lombard

\* Lanson Père et Fils

\* Lanson Rosé

Lombard, Blanc de Noirs, Brut Nature, Grand Cru, Verzenay

Lanson, Blanc de Blancs

Laurent-Perrier Vintage

Grand Siècle By Laurent-Perrier

### CHABLIS

Chablis 1ER Cru, Montmains, Olivier Tricon

### ALSACE

Riesling, Trimbach, Ribeauvillé

Gewurztraminer, Classic, Hugel

### LOIRE VALLEY REGIONS

\* Muscadet, Sèvre-et-Maine sur Lie La Brêtesche, Jérémie Huchet

Vouvray, Marc Bredif

Pouilly-Fumé, Villa Paulus, Domaine Masson-Blondelet

Sancerre, 'Le Pierrier', Domaine Thomas

### BURGUNDY

Meursault, Bouchard Père & Fils

Maranges 1ER Cru, La Fuisse

Puligny Montrachet, Domaine Pernot Belicard

Chassagne-Montrachet, Thomas Morey, Rouge Vieilles Vignes

Gevey-Chambertin, Joseph Drouhin

### BEAUJOLAIS

\* Brouilly, Louis Tête

Chénas, Château Belleverne

### BORDEAUX

\* Bordeaux Supérieur 'Tradition' Château Penin

Bordeaux Supérieur, Château de Cazenove

Saint-Émilion Grand Cru, Château Tour Baladoz

Château Talbot, Grand Cru Classé Saint-Julien

Château Tronquoy, Saint-Estèphe

Margaux, Château Tayac

Pomerol, Château Mazeyres

### RHÔNE VALLEY REGIONS

Condrieu, La Petite Côte, Yves Cuilleron

Châteauneuf du Pape, Domaine Chante Cigale

Côte Rôtie, Guigal, Brune et Blonde

Cairanne, Argiles Blanches Blanc, Domaine Boutinot

### SOUTH OF FRANCE

\* Maison Blanc, Rouge & Rosé by Anciens Temps, Vin de France

\* Viognier, Les Iles Blanches, Cellier des Chartreux, IGP Gard

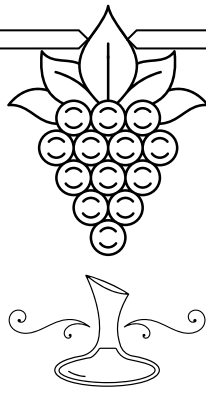
\* Merlot, Domaine La Croix Belle, Côtes de Thongue, Pays d'Oc

### PROVENCE

\* Provence Rosé, Château Léoube, Côtes de Provence, France [Organic]

Secret de Léoube Rosé, Côtes de Provence, France [Organic]

\* This symbol shows wines that are available by the glass.



### TO DECANT OR NOT TO DECANT?

The question of 'should wine always be decanted' is regularly asked by our guests. Before we can answer this let us look at the two main reasons why we decant wine. Firstly, to oxidate the wine through the transfer of wine from the bottle to the decanter, and the increased surface area of the wine to air contact in the decanter. This oxidation helps to soften the acidity in the wine and makes the wine 'smoother' and more enjoyable to drink. Secondly, the process of decanting helps to remove any sediment from the wine. However, does this mean that all wines should be decanted, and the answer is no!

Styles of wine that get the most benefit from being decanted are those either with high levels of sediment or bigger more full-bodied reds such as Barolo from Italy and Cabernet based wines. These styles of wine are full bodied and high in tannins, the decanting process therefore helps to make these wines softer and more enjoyable to drink. Other wines, for instance most whites and lighter reds such as Pinot Noir, tend not to benefit from the decanting process and may even deteriorate from being decanted. However, ultimately the choice of whether you wish to have your wine decanted or not is yours, we will just recommend the wines that benefit most from the decantation process.

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#### CHAMPAGNE & SPARKLING WINE

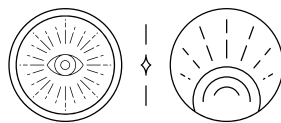
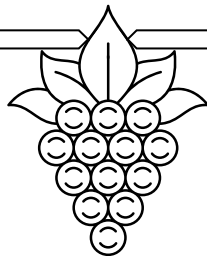
	glass 125ml	bottle 750ml
<b>EINS, ZWEI, ZERO, SPARKLING RIESLING</b> Leitz, Germany [Alcohol-Free]	£4.95	£27.95
<b>PROSECCO, EXTRA DRY NV</b> Fiol, Veneto, Italy	£7.95	£42.95
<b>HENNERS BRUT NV</b> East Sussex, England	£11.95	£67.95
<b>CUVÉE HOTEL DU VIN</b> Lombard, France	£12.50	£72.95
<b>LANSON PÈRE ET FILS</b> France	£15.95	£92.95
<b>LANSON ROSÉ</b> France	£16.95	£99.95

#### WHITE WINE

	glass 175ml	glass 250ml	carafe 500ml	bottle 750ml
<b>MAISON BLANC</b> Anciens Temps, Vin de France	£6.95	£9.95	£18.95	£27.95
<b>MUSCADET</b> Sèvre-et-Maine sur Lie La Bretesche, Jérémie Huchet, France	£7.95	£11.50	£22.50	£32.95
<b>RIESLING</b> Hills & Valleys, Pikes, Clare Valley, South Australia	£7.95	£11.50	£22.50	£32.95
<b>PINOT GRIGIO</b> Puiatti, Friuli-Venezia Giulia, Italy	£8.95	£12.50	£24.95	£36.95
<b>VIOGNIER</b> Les Iles Blanches, Cellier des Chartreux, IGP Gard, France	£9.50	£13.50	£26.95	£39.95
<b>VERDEJO</b> Elias Mora, Rueda, Spain	£9.50	£13.50	£26.95	£39.95
<b>SAUVIGNON BLANC</b> Crowded House, Marlborough, New Zealand	£9.50	£13.50	£26.95	£39.95
<b>CHARDONNAY</b> Kendall Jackson, Vintners Reserve, California, USA	£11.95	£16.95	£33.50	£49.95

#### ROSÉ WINE

	glass 175ml	glass 250ml	carafe 500ml	bottle 750ml	magnum 1500ml
<b>MAISON ROSÉ</b> Anciens Temps, Vin de France	£6.95	£9.95	£18.95	£27.95	
<b>ROSÉ SAUVAGE BY HOTEL DU VIN</b> Clare Valley, South Australia	£8.95	£12.50	£24.95	£36.95	
<b>PROVENCE ROSÉ</b> Chateau Léoube, Côtes de Provence, France [Organic]	£11.95	£16.95	£33.95	£49.95	£97.95
<b>SECRET DE LÉOUBE ROSÉ</b> Côtes de Provence, France [Organic]				£59.95	



## OLD WORLD vs NEW WORLD

Terms used frequently in the wine world, but what do they really mean? Well, there are a number of differences between New World and Old World wine growing countries and all of them have exceptions to the rules! Primarily most European countries are classed as Old World, since wine making originated in these countries and dates back hundreds of years. However, a more significant difference is the labelling terminology. Most wines that originate from Old World countries, such as France, Spain and Italy, are named after the place where they are produced. Whereas wines from the New World are often named after the grape variety or the brand name given by the producer, or both! For example, Chablis, Bordeaux, Rioja, Barolo, Sancerre and Champagne are all places that are iconic for producing wines and they all have strict laws over what they can and cannot do in their grape growing and wine making, even down to which varieties they can or cannot grow. The New World does not have the same type of laws, hence you can have a 'Chardonnay' labelled wine from all over the world. However, unless you know which Old World wine region is permitted to grow which varieties you may not know that Chablis make wines from Chardonnay grapes and Sancerre from Sauvignon Blanc grapes!

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### RED WINE

	glass 175ml	glass 250ml	carafe 500ml	bottle 750ml
<b>MAISON ROUGE</b> <i>Anciens Temps, Vin de France</i>	£6.95	£9.95	£18.95	£27.95
<b>NERO D'AVOLA</b> <i>La Segreta, Planeta, Sicily, Italy</i>	£7.95	£11.50	£22.50	£32.95
<b>MERLOT</b> <i>Domaine La Croix Belle, Côtes de Thongue, Pays d'Oc, France [Organic]</i>	£8.95	£12.50	£24.95	£36.95
<b>MALBEC BY HOTEL DU VIN</b> <i>Mendoza, Argentina</i>	£9.50	£12.95	£24.95	£37.95
<b>BEAUJOLAIS</b> <i>Brouilly, Louis Tete, France</i>	£9.50	£13.50	£26.95	£39.95
<b>BORDEAUX SUPÉRIEUR</b> <i>'Tradition' Château Penin, France</i>	£11.50	£15.95	£31.50	£46.95
<b>PINOT NOIR</b> <i>Seifried Estate, Nelson, New Zealand</i>	£11.95	£16.95	£33.50	£49.95
<b>RIOJA RESERVA</b> <i>Lealtanza, Altanza, Spain</i>	£12.50	£17.95	£35.50	£52.95

### DESSERT WINES & PORT

	glass 50ml	glass 100ml	bottle 750ml
<b>MOSCATO D'ASTI</b> <i>Alasia, Italy [750ml bottle]</i>			£26.95
<b>TOKAJI</b> <i>Late Harvest by Royal Tokaji, Hungary [500ml]</i>	£5.00	£9.95	£46.95
<b>LICOR DE TANNAT</b> <i>Familia Deicas, Uruguay [500ml]</i>	£6.00	£11.95	£56.95
<b>RESERVE BLENDED PORT</b> <i>Six Grapes by Graham's, Portugal [750ml]</i>	£3.00	£5.95	£36.95
<b>10 YEAR OLD TAWNY</b> <i>Graham's, Portugal [750ml]</i>	£4.00	£7.95	£49.95
<b>20 YEAR OLD TAWNY</b> <i>Graham's, Portugal [750ml]</i>	£6.00	£11.95	£84.95

125ml glasses also available on bottles with by the glass prices, excluding Dessert Wines & Port.  
A discretionary service charge of 12.5% will be added to your bill. All prices in GBP and include VAT.  
For special dietary requirements or allergy information, please speak with our staff before ordering.