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Wine List

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Sparkling Wine & Champagne

	125ml	Bottle
1 Prosecco, Cá Del Console - Italy <i>A lively, refreshing and dry example of this popular Italian sparkling wine, with bright flavours of pear and crisp green apple.</i>	£4.50	£24.50
2 Charles de Fère, Blanc de Blancs Réserve - France <i>Made by a Champagne family in the Champagne method, but twenty miles outside the border of the Champagne region. This exquisite sparkling wine has elegance, texture and refinement and outclasses many of its more costly near-neighbours.</i>		£28.50
3 Rotari Rosé, Metodo Classico - Italy <i>This elegant sparkling rosé, from the cool climate of Northern Italy, is made in the Champagne method from Pinot Noir and Chardonnay, the two main grapes of Champagne. The quality is stunning, with delicate berry flavours and a sublime texture.</i>	£5.50	£30.50
4 Champagne Testulat, Carte D'Or, Blanc de Noirs - France <i>Sumptuous Champagne from a small, fifth-generation family producer. Made with Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier to give a rich, concentrated texture and a long, elegant finish.</i>	£8.50	£50.00
5 Champagne Laurent-Perrier, Brut - France <i>Elegant Champagne showing a symphony of citrus fruit flavours in perfect harmony.</i>		£60.00
6 Vintage Champagne Laurent-Perrier 2004/2006 - France <i>From a magnificent year in the region, a Champagne full of refinement and sophistication.</i>		£75.00
7 Champagne Laurent-Perrier, Rosé - France <i>The benchmark in pink Champagne - succulent and elegant, with exquisite flavours of freshly picked summer berries.</i>		£80.00
8 Champagne Laurent-Perrier, Grand Siècle - France <i>The flagship offering from the house of Laurent-Perrier, luxurious in the extreme, a very special Champagne for a very special occasion.</i>		£160.00

White Wines

	175ml	250ml	Bottle
9 Chardonnay, Santa Alegra - Chile <i>Delightfully bright and fresh, with zingy flavours of melon, pineapple and grapefruit, and a lingering, juicy palate.</i>	£4.50	£6.25	£17.95
10 Chenin Blanc, Kleinkloof - South Africa <i>Enticing tropical aromas and a juicy palate of apple, grapefruit and water melon.</i>			£18.95
11 Chardonnay / Gewürztraminer, Tamarind Garden - Chile <i>Blended to our wine merchant's design, a white that will partner spicy and fuller flavoured dishes, including curry. Truly inspired and thoroughly recommended.</i>			£18.95
12 Sauvignon Blanc, Terres D'Azur - France <i>Zesty aromas of lemon, grapefruit and elderflower give way to a classically crisp palate with hints of white peach.</i>	£5.50	£7.75	£21.50
13 Pinot Grigio, Terre del Noce, Mezzacorona - Italy <i>Fragrant, fruity and flavoursome - an Italian favourite.</i>	£5.75	£8.00	£22.50
14 White Rioja, Bodegas Valdemar - Spain <i>Delightful aromas of fruits and white flowers, with apple and pear nuances. Fruity and fresh on the palate with a pleasant finish.</i>			£22.50
15 Picpoul de Pinet, Beauvignac - France <i>From the Languedoc coast with its celebrated oyster beds, a delightfully crisp white which bursts with citrus flavours and makes a magnificent partner to fish and seafood.</i>			£23.50
16 Riesling, Deakin Estate - Australia <i>Crisp, dry and refreshing, with lively lemon and lime flavours that linger on the finish.</i>			£24.00
17 Sauvignon Blanc, Coopers Creek - New Zealand <i>Alluring, grassy aromas and a vibrant palate of gooseberry, passion fruit and nectarine - classic Marlborough Sauvignon.</i>			£28.00
18 Petit Chablis, Domaine Hamelin - France <i>Steely dry citrus flavours with zesty lemon accents and a fresh mineral twist on the finish.</i>			£29.50
19 Sancerre La Croix du Roy, Lucien Crochet - France <i>Elegant Loire Valley Sauvignon with gassy, herbaceous aromas and a crisp palate of fresh green fruits.</i>			£37.50
20 PUILLY-FUMÉ, Les Chailloux, Domaine Chatelain - France <i>Elegant, focused and intense, with characteristic flinty aromas and a zippy citrus freshness on the finish.</i>			£40.00

Delightfully Pink Wines

	175ml	250ml	Bottle
21 White Zinfandel Blush, Nina - Italy <i>A sweeter style of blush with sumptuous aromas and flavours of ripe summer berry fruits.</i>	£5.50	£7.75	£21.50
22 Pinot Grigio Rosé, Nina - Italy <i>A delicate rosé with lifted aromas of spring flowers and strawberries, red berry fruit on the palate and a crisp, dry finish.</i>	£5.75	£8.00	£22.50

Red Wines

	175ml	250ml	Bottle
23 Tempranillo, Valdemoreda - Spain <i>Juicy flavours of strawberry and cherry with a long, smooth finish - easy and versatile.</i>	£4.50	£6.25	£17.95
24 Shiraz, First Fleet - Australia <i>Taking its name from the first pioneers to settle in Australia, an approachable, versatile and easy drinking style of Shiraz with succulent berry fruit flavours.</i>			£18.95
25 Cabernet / Merlot / Carmenère, Tamarind Garden - Chile <i>The second wine designed by our wine merchant specifically to partner fuller flavoured cuisine, this red will perfectly complement the spiciest and richest of dishes.</i>			£18.95
26 Merlot, Terres D'Azur - France <i>Vibrant flavours of plum and damson, with hints of white pepper and a long, mellow finish.</i>	£5.50	£7.75	£21.50
27 Shiraz / Cabernet, Thorne Hill - Australia <i>Succulent Shiraz with concentrated dark berry fruit flavours and notes of exotic spices.</i>	£5.50	£7.75	£21.50
28 Cabernet Sauvignon, Pionero Reserva, Morandé - Chile <i>Deliciously juicy flavours of blackberry and blackcurrant, finishing with just a hint of fresh mint.</i>			£21.50
29 Malbec, Finca La Colonia, Bodega Norton - Argentina <i>Intense, dark bramble fruit flavours with accents of chocolate, coffee and exotic spices.</i>			£22.50
30 Rioja Tempranillo, Bodegas Valdemar - Spain <i>Lovely smooth young Rioja, with bright cranberry and cherry fruit to the fore, backed with hints of creamy vanilla.</i>	£5.75	£8.00	£22.50
31 Corbières, Château Serres Saint Lucie - France <i>A truly sumptuous, hearty wine from the picturesque Languedoc, with all the rocky, mineral herb character of the region. Robust, fruity, and very smooth on the finish.</i>			£24.50
32 Côtes-du-Rhône, Saint-Ésprit, Delas - France <i>From the heat of the Rhône Valley, this wine has a generous, rounded palate and a long, elegant finish.</i>			£26.50
33 Chianti Superiore, Santa Cristina, Marchesi Antinori - Italy <i>Succulent Chianti, with aromas of red berries and violets, and a smooth palate with hints of spice on the finish.</i>			£28.00
34 Pinot Noir, Coopers Creek - New Zealand <i>Seductive, almost savoury aromas lead to a juicy palate of redcurrant and black cherry with subtle oak and a lingering finish.</i>			£34.00
35 Rioja Reserva, Conde de Valdemar - Spain <i>Ripe strawberry flavours with subtle oak and creamy vanilla accents, and a velvety smooth finish.</i>			£37.50
36 St Émilion Grand Cru, Château Cardinal Villemaurine - France <i>Superb "right bank" Bordeaux with smooth red berry fruits and cedar wood accents on the palate - a charming and elegant wine of the highest calibre.</i>			£55.00

Dessert Wine

Our "pudding" wine is rich and sweet to taste, yet finishes with a zesty freshness, and will partner a wide range of desserts, including cheese.

	50ml
37 Moscatel Naturalmente Dulce Finca Antigua - Spain <i>A stunning mixture of concentration and freshness, with floral aromas and zesty citrus flavours. From grapes laid out on straw mats to dry in the sun, and guarded around the clock from wild boar!</i>	£4.50