

BEST BUYS

DOMESTIC PINOT NOIR

COSTCO 555 warehouse stores in North America

World's largest retailer of wines per Wikipedia; TESCO and LCBO also claim.

- 86 \$7 Mirrasou CA 12.** \$7 Costco. \$10 Astor/wine.com. \$7-\$11 wine-searcher. "Simple...basic... really nothing not to like" CostcoWineBlog.com 85. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (153 reviews). "Highly Recommended" HonestWineReviews.com.
- 87 \$12+ Taft Street Russian River Valley CA 12.** \$12.69 Costco. \$15 WClub. \$25 MSRP. \$15-\$25 wine-searcher. **WBB 86.** Cellartracker 89 (1 rating). Hwy 12 Wy Rep 90. [2011 vintage: JS 91. CellarTracker 90 (9 ratings). Silver SFC 13].
- 87+ \$13 Chateau St Jean Sonoma Co CA 08 (not the lesser quality CA label).** \$13 Costco. \$20 B&M. \$21 MSRP. \$15-\$24 wine-searcher. RP 87. WW 88. **WBB 87.** CellarTracker 87.9 (40 ratings).
- NR \$13 Kirkland Signature (Costco label produced by DC Flynt) Russian River Valley CA 12.** \$13 Costco. Cellartracker 82.7 (3 ratings). **WBB 85.** Vivino.com 3 stars (5 ratings). "Not Recommended" WineGuider.com. Not a Best Buy, but we tasted it as a benchmark.
- 88 \$14 Goyette (Robert) Sonoma Co CA 11 (not the lesser 2012 vintage below).** \$14 Costco. \$25 MSRP. \$19.58-\$27 wine-searcher. BTI 89. **WBB 88.** CellarTracker 82 (3 ratings). Double Gold SFC 13. Gold SFI 12. Silver World Wine Awards (BTI). Bronze LA, SFI 13. **HOT BUY.**
- 87 \$14 Goyette (Robert) Sonoma Co CA 12 (not the better 2011 vintage above).** \$14 Costco. **WBB 87.** There are no ratings available, so we tasted it based on the poor ratings of the 2011 vintage.
- 86+ \$15 Acacia Carneros CA 12.** \$14 TW&M. \$15 Costco. \$22 B&M. \$24 average price Snooth.com 3.5 stars (48 reviews). **WBB 86.** WineExpress.com 4 stars (1 review).
- 88 \$15 Acacia Carneros CA 11.** \$14 TW&M. \$15 Costco. \$19 Andys. \$20 Safeway/WhFoods/Sh-L. C\$24 BCLS/LCBO. \$28 MSRP. \$16-\$42 wine-searcher. **WBB 87.5.** CellarTracker 87 (24 ratings). Gold SFC, SFI 13. Silver SD 13. Bronze DA,
- 88 \$15 Willamette Valley Vds Barrel Select Willamette Valley OR 11.** \$15 Costco. Cellartracker 88 (1 rating). "Recommended Buy" ReverseWineSnob.com. (2009 vintage: #5Oregon's 50Best Wines 2012 PortlandMonthlyMag.com 95 points).
- 87 \$15 A to Z Wineworks OR 11 (screw cap).** \$15 Costco/ K&L/TW&M. \$16 WhFoods. \$18 B&M/Zachys. \$19 Sh-L. C\$24 LCBO. \$15-\$31 wine-searcher. "Smart Buy" WS 90. ST 87. W&S Not Recommended. CellarTracker 85 (85 ratings). TW&M 4.5 stars (5 reviews). Double Gold Oregon Wine awards 13. Bronze LA 13.
- ?? \$16 Fotinos Bros FB OSR11 Block Carneros CA 08.** \$16 Costco. \$65 Winery. Exceptional BTI 91. Gold World Wine Awards (BTI). Not enough info for a consensus rating, but the price and the one rating make this wine worth trying.
- 87 \$17 Moshin Barrel Select Sonoma Co CA 10.** \$17 Costco. \$20-\$25 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86.5 (2 ratings). "Wine of the Week" 11/26/12 DailyNews.com.
- ?? \$17+ La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 12 (see the 2011 vintage below).** \$17.79 Costco. \$18 TW&M. \$26 wine.com. \$25 MSRP. \$17-\$27 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 87 (1 rating). Too early for any reliable ratings, but their Pinot is always worth trying.
- 88 \$17+ La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 11 (see the 2012 vintage above).** \$17.79 Costco. \$18 TW&M. \$20 K&L/Cost+/Safeway. \$22 TrJ/WhFoods. \$25 MSRP. ST 89. Cellartracker 87.9 (70 ratings). "Good" PrinceOfPinot.com. "One of the best Pinot Noirs I've experienced over the years" HonestWineReviews.com.
- 88+ \$18 Reata Napa-Sonoma CA 11.** \$18 Costco. \$20 NapaCabs.com. CellarTracker 90.3 (3 ratings). Bronze SFI 13. "Highly recommended and a good

buy at \$30" bachtobacchus.blogspot.com.

- 89 \$22 Schug Carneros CA 10.** \$22 Costco. \$24 Wy Club members. \$30 MSRP. \$20-\$31 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 89.8 (10 ratings). Gold LA 13. Silver SFC 13. Bronze IWSC 13.
- 88+ \$22 Robledo Family Seven Bros Los Carneros CA 11.** \$21.89 Costco. CA 95. Gold CA 12. Silver FLakes 13.
- 88+ \$23 MacRostie Carneros CA 10 (screw cap).** \$23 Costco. \$19-\$40 wine-searcher. \$34 MSRP. Gold LA 13. Bronze SFI 13. (2009 vintage: WE 92).
- 87 \$28 J Vineyards Estate Grown Russian River Valley CA 12.** \$26-\$30 TW&M. \$28 Costco. \$30 K&L. \$37 wine.com/MSRP. \$25-\$37 wine-searcher. PrinceOfPinot 87. CellarTracker 86.3 (6 ratings).
- 89+ \$32 Domaine Drouhin Dundee Hills OR 11.** \$31-\$42 TW&M. \$32 Costco. \$37 K&L. \$42 wine.com. \$45 Sh-L/ABC. \$40 MSRP. JR 16.5+ (=90+). ST 89. CellarTracker 88.6 (24 ratings). We included this one by the great Burgundy producer as a benchmark.

TRADER JOES (TrJ) 367 stores in 31 states (largest wine retailer in CA)

- 87 \$8 Castle Rock Mendocino CA 11.** \$8 TrJ/Safeway. \$10 TW&M. \$13 MSRP. **WBB 87.** W&S 85. Gold SFC 13. Silver SFI 13. **HOT BUY.**
- 86 \$10 Trader Joe's Reserve Lot 77 Russian River Valley CA 11 (Produced by Owl Ridge Wine Svcs).** \$10 TrJ. **WBB 86.** "A steal for \$10" CellarTracker 85 (1 rating). "Best Value" SpiritOfWine.blogspot.com 3 stars. Amazing, not even taking into account the price bargain" TJwinecommunity.wordpress.com.
- 86 \$13 Trader Joe's Grande Reserve Lot 22 Russian River Valley CA 12 (Produced by Patrick Slater).** \$13 TrJ. **WBB 86.** CellarTracker 83.3 (4 ratings). "Amazing everyday value" TrJ. "If you are a fan of inexpensive Pinot Noir, you are going to love the Lot 22" CheapWineFinder.com. "A \$25 value" Thumbs Up Wine Review youtube.com.
- 87 \$13 Estancia Pinnacles Ranches Monterey Co CA 11.** \$8.49 Target. \$10 TW&M. \$11 Safeway/Rite Aid. \$13 TrJ. \$17 Sh-L. \$16 MSRP. \$10-\$23 wine-searcher. **WBB 86.5.** CellarTracker 87.2 (81 ratings). Silver SFC 13.
- 88 \$20 Deloach Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$20 TrJ/Safeway. \$26 WhFoods. \$24 MSRP. WS 87. **WBB 88.** Double Gold SFI 13. Bronze SFC 13.
- 89 \$20 Argyle Willamette Valley OR 11 (screw cap).** \$20 TrJ. \$22 Safeway/Zachys. \$25wine.com/MSRP. \$19-\$31 wine-searcher. "Daily Wine Pick" 6/23/11WS 89. CellarTracker 85.7 (43 ratings). Double Gold Oregon Wine Awards 13. Silver LA 13. (2010 vintage: WE 90).
- 89 \$22 La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 11.** \$17 TW&M. \$20 K&L/Cost+. \$22 TrJ. \$16-\$22 wine-searcher. \$25 MSRP. ST 89. CellarTracker 87.8 (63 ratings). "Definitely one of the best Pinots I have tasted over the years" HonestWineReviews.com.

SAFEWAY (10% discount on any six bottles)

2nd largest supermarket chain, over 1700 stores in western and central U.S.

- 86+ \$4 Sutter home CA 11.** \$4 Safeway. \$6 MSRP. Silver Riverside, SFC 13. Bronze LA, SFI 13.
- 85 \$6 Barefoot CA nv.** \$4.47 TW&M. \$11/1.5L ABC. \$6 Safeway. \$7 B&M/MSRP. **WBB 85.** WE 83. Gold SFI, SFC 13. Gold Riverbend, SFC 12. Bronze LA 12. Not a Best Buy, but we had to benchmark it against all those medals.
- 86 \$6 Firefly Ridge Central Coast CA 11 (Safeway label).** \$6 Safeway. \$8 MSRP. \$9 wine-searcher. Gold SFI 13. "Quite popular as everyday table in the \$8-\$10 range" smooth.com. Value \$10.50 ThumbsUpWine.com.
- 86 \$7 Robert Mondavi Private Selection Central Coast CA 11.** \$7 Safeway/TW&M. \$8 Rite Aid. \$9 ABC. \$11 Target/MSRP. \$7-\$10.49 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86 (41 ratings). CheapWineRatings.com 86. Bronze SFI 13.
- 87 \$8 Castle Rock Mendocino CA 11.** \$8 TrJ/Safeway. \$10 TW&M. \$13 MSRP. **WBB 87.** W&S 85. Gold SFC 13. Silver SFI 13. **HOT BUY.**

- 86 \$9 Hahn Nicky Hahn CA 12.** \$9 Safeway. \$11 B&M. \$13 WhFoods. \$14 wine.com/Amazon.com/MSRP. \$10-\$14 wine-searcher. **WBB 86.** CellarTracker 81 (2 ratings). Silver Critics Challenge 13. Bronze CA 13. WineExpress.com 4 stars (3 reviews). "Wine of the Week" About.com. "Brilliant Bargain" ReverseWineSnob.com.
- 87+ \$9 Hahn Nicky Hahn CA 11.** \$9 Safeway. \$9.49 TW&M. \$13 wine.com. C\$20 BCLA. \$14 MSRP. \$10-\$15 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86.7 (74 ratings). Gold SD 13. Gold SFI 12. Silver DA, LA, SFC 13. Bronze DA, IWSC 13. Bronze IWSC, LA, SFC 12. Commended IWC 13.
- 87 \$10 McManis Family CA 11.** \$10 K&L/Safeway/ABC. \$11 WhFoods/MSRP. \$8-\$11 wine-searcher. LA 93. CellarTracker 88.9 (20 ratings). WE 83. Gold LA 13. Silver SFC, SFI 13. "Great value" examiner.com.
- 86 \$10 Chateau St Jean CA 11 (not the better Sonoma label).** \$9 ABC. \$10 Safeway. C\$20 LCBP. \$10-\$17 wine-searcher. RP 86. **WBB 86.5.** Snooth.com 3 stars (3 reviews). WineAlign.com 4.2 stars (2 reviews).
- 87 \$10 DeLoach CA 11 (well-known for their Pinots).** \$10 Safeway. C\$15.45 LCBO. \$8-\$15 wine-searcher. Silver DA, LA 13. "Great Value" TheSavvyLush.com.
- 87 \$10 Handcraft Artisan Collection CA 11 (76% PinotNoir-9%Tempranillo-6% PetitVerdot-6%Sangiovese-3%PetiteSirah).** \$10 Safeway/ABC. \$11 TW&M. \$13 MSRP.\$10-\$15 wine-searcher. Best Buy BTI 91. CellarTracker 85 (4 ratings). Silver SFI 13. Bronze LA 13. (2010 vintage: Gold SFC 13 & 12)
- 85 \$10 Mark West (Constellation Brands) CA 10 (not the better Russian River V0oopalley label).** \$8 TW&M. \$10 Safeway. \$12 B&M. WW 87. CellarTracker 84.3 (131 ratings). Silver SFI 12. Bronze SFC 12. TW&M 4 stars (2 reviews). "Fine but no varietal character" Wine Curmudgeon.com.
- 86 \$10 Steelhead Sonoma Co CA 11.** \$10 Safeway. \$15 MSRP. W&S 87. WE 84. Gold Challenge, SFC 13. Silver SFI 13.
- 86+ \$11 Bonterra Certified Organic Grapes Mendocino CA 11.** \$11 Safeway. \$16 Zachys. \$18 MSRP. \$13-\$18 wine-searcher. Gold SD 13. Bronze DA, SFC, SFI 13.
- 86+ \$11 Bridlewood Monterey Co CA 10 (not the Reserve).** \$11 Safeway. \$10-\$18 wine-searcher. RP 86. WE 86. CellarTracker 87 (23 ratings).
- 87 \$11 Estancia Pinnacles Ranches Monterey Co CA 11.** \$8.49 Target. \$10 TW&M. \$11 Safeway/Rite Aid. \$12 ABC. \$13 TrJ. \$17 Sh-L. \$16 MSRP. \$10-\$23 wine-searcher. **WBB 86.5.** CellarTracker 87.2 (81 ratings). Silver SFC 13.
- NR \$11 Folie a Deux Menage a Trois CA 11.** \$11 ABC/TW&M/Safeway. \$10-\$20 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 79.4 (8 ratings). Silver CA, Critics, LA 13. Bronze SFI 13.
- 87 \$12 Kenwood Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$12 Safeway. \$14 ABC. \$16 TW&M. \$19 wine.com. C\$19.60 SAQ. \$18 MSRP. \$11.49-\$20 wine-searcher. W&S 88. CellarTracker 84.2 (12 ratings). Double Gold SFC 13. Gold Critics Challenge 13. Silver SFI 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 87 \$12 Clos du Bois CA 11.** \$11 Rite Aid. \$12 Safeway/TW&M/ABC. C\$18.25 LCBO. \$20 MSRP. \$12-\$21 wine-searcher. JR 16 (=88). CellarTracker 86.2 (12 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Commended Decanter, IWC 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (16 reviews).
- 87 \$13 Layer Cake Central Coast CA 11 (100%; screw cap).** \$13 K&L/Safeway. \$16 Cost+/TW&M/MSRP. \$12-\$22 wine-searcher. RP 88. W&S 88. CellarTracker 84 (8 ratings). Snooth.com 3 stars (3 reviews).
- 87 \$14 Garnet Carneros CA 10 (screw cap).** \$14 Safeway/JJB. \$19 B&M. \$13-\$22 wine-searcher. WE 85. WW 92. CellarTracker 89.2 (11 ratings). **WBB 87+.** Wine of the Week 7/12/12 CuvéeCornerBlogspot.com. "Captures more of the pinot essence than most pricey California monsters" *The Columbus Dispatch*.
- 87 \$14 Cline Cool Climate Sonoma Coast CA 10.** \$13 ABC. \$14 Safeway. \$18 MSRP. WS 86. RP 85. CellarTracker 89.1 (11 ratings). Gold SFC 13. Bronze LA 12. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (2 reviews).
- ?? \$14 Robert Talbott Kali Hart Monterey Co CA 12 (100%).** \$14 Safeway. \$21 MSRP. \$15.38-\$19 wine-searcher. **WBB ??.** Snooth.com 3.5 stars (19 reviews).
- 87 \$15 A by Acacia Napa Valley CA 11.** \$13 Sh-L. \$15 Safeway. \$16 TW&M. \$17 B&M. C\$ 24 LCBO/BCLS. \$15 MSRP. **WBB 86.** CellarTracker 85 (9 ratings). Double Gold Best of Class SFC 13. Double Gold SFI 12. Silver LA 13. Bronze DA, LA 13

- 87 \$15 **Francis Ford Coppola Diamond Collection Silver Label Monterey CA 11.** \$13 TW&M. \$15 Safeway/ABC. \$18 Target/MSRP. \$20 wine.com. \$9-\$21 wine-searcher. WS 86. CellarTracker 84.6 (12 ratings). Double Gold SFC 13. Silver Bruxelles, Critics, DA, IWSC, LA 13. Bronze SFI 13.
- 87 \$16 **Duck Pond Willamette Valley OR 10.** \$16 Safeway. C\$32 BCLS. \$20 MSRP. \$15-\$25 wine-searcher. ST 87. WS 86. CellarTracker 86.1 (8 ratings). Gold Oregon Wine Awards 13. Silver SFC 13. Silver SFI 12. Bronze SFI 13.
- 87 \$16 **Saintsbury Garnet Carneros CA 09.** \$16 K&L/Safeway. \$20 MSTP. "A rare Pinot Noir from California" WS 88. RP 86. CellarTracker 86.5 (29 ratings).
- 88 \$16+ **Willamette Valley Vineyards Whole Cluster 2012 (100%; clusters fermented intact).** \$16.44 Safeway. \$20 wine.com. \$22 MSRP. \$16-\$24 wine-searcher. "Best Buy" W&S 90. **WBB 88.** Pinot Report 91. CellarTracker 86 (6 ratings). "Delicious...super easy to drink...lot of character" ReverseWineSnob.com.
- 87+ \$17 **Edna Valley Vds Paragon Edna Valley CA 10.** \$17 Safeway/TW&M. \$20 MSRP. \$14-\$20 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86.5 (24 ratings). Bronze SFC 13. #4 Best "Grocery Store Pinot" PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 88 \$17 **Talbott Kali Hart Estate Monterey CA 11 (100%; screw cap).** \$15 TW&M. \$16 K&L/Andys. \$17 Safeway. \$19 WhFoods. \$21 MSRP. \$14-\$25 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 89.3 (4 ratings). PrinceOfPinot.com 88. WineLineOnline.com 90. W&S Not Recommended. Silver LA 13.
- 88 \$17 **Kendall-Jackson Vintner's Reserve CA 11.** \$15 TW&M. \$17 Safeway. \$18 ABC. \$20 JJB. \$22 MSRP. \$14-\$22 wine-searcher. RP 88. WE 85. CellarTracker 92 (1 rating).
- 89 \$17 **Rodney Strong Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$17 Safeway. \$18 B&M. \$20 ABC/Andys. \$25 MSRP. WW 89. CellarTracker 89.1 (24 ratings). Platinum SD 13. Gold Critics Challenge 13. Silver LA, SFC 13. Bronze DA 13.
- 87 \$18 **Erath OR 11 (screw Cap).** \$14 TW&M. \$18 Safeway/Zachys/Sh-L. \$20 wine.com. \$19 MSRP. \$13-\$23 wine-searcher. ST 87. WS 86. CellarTracker 84 (5 ratings). WineReviewOnline.com 88. "10 affordable red wines for summer" The Herald (Everett, WA). "Affordable reds for summer enjoyment" Bellingham Herald.
- 87 \$19 **Francis Ford Coppola Director's Sonoma Coast CA 11.** \$15-\$18 TW&M. \$19 Safeway. \$21 MSRP. \$18-\$27 wine-searcher. IWR 88. CellarTracker 84 (1 rating). Silver IWSC, SFI 13. Bronze LA 13. "Wine Find" Baltimore Sun 6/4/13.
- 89 \$19 **Mark West Russian River Valley CA 10 (not the lesser California label).** \$18 ABC. \$19 Safeway. \$25 MSRP. \$16-\$20 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 88.7(21 ratings) .Exceptional BTI 90. Wine-searcher 89. Gold World Wine Awards (BTI). Double Gold Best of Class SFC 12. Gold SFI 12. Bronze DA, 12.
- 89 \$19 **Robert Mondavi Napa Valley Carneros CA 11 (100%).** \$17 TW&M. \$19 Safeway. \$21 Target/MSRP. C\$34 LCBO. \$17-\$29 wine-searcher. W&S 92. ST 89. WS 88. CellarTracker 86 (1 rating).
- 88 \$20 **Deloach Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$20 TrJ/Safeway. \$26 WhFoods. C\$29.15 SAQ. \$24 MSRP. WS 87. **WBB 88.** Double Gold SFI 13. Bronze SFC 13.
- 87 \$20 **Buena Vista Carneros CA 11.** \$17 TW&M. \$20 Safeway. C\$24 LCBO. \$25 MSRP. C\$26 Quebec. CellarTracker 85 (2 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Bronze DA, SFI 13.
- 88 \$20 **Acacia Carneros CA 11.** \$14 TW&M. \$15 Costco. \$19 Andys. \$20 Safeway/WhFoods/Sh-L. C\$24 BCLS. C\$24 LCBO. \$28 MSRP. \$16-\$42 wine-searcher. **WBB 87.5.** CellarTracker 87 (24 ratings). Gold SFC, SFI 13. Silver SD 13. Bronze DA, LA 13.
- 87 \$20 **Frei Bros (Gallo) Reserve Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$20 K&L/Safeway. \$23 wine.com. RP 87. Snooth.com 3 stars.
- 88 \$20 **La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 11.** \$17.79 Costco. \$18 TW&M. \$20 K&L/Cost+/Safeway. \$22 TrJ/WhFoods. \$23 ABC. \$25 MSRP. ST 89. CellarTracker 87.9 (70 ratings). "Good" PrinceOfPinot.com. "One of the best Pinot Noirs I've experienced over the years" HonestWineReviews.com.
- 89 \$20 **Belle Glos Meiomni Sonoma-Monterey-Santa Barbara, CA 12 (screw cap).** \$20 Safeway/B&M/K&L/TW&M/WhFoods/WClub/Zachys/ABC \$17-\$20 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 88.6 (112). ClubBev Members 5 stars (15 reviews). JJB Members 3.9 stars (13 reviews). WineExpress.com 4.5 stars (965 reviews). Snooth.com 4 stars (3 reviews). "Tremendously appealing – even if it isn't the most terroir driven Pinot Noir" Wellesly WinePress.com. (2011 vintage: Smart Buy WS 92).
- 89 \$22 **Argyle Willamratings). TW&M 4.8 stars (5 reviews). te Valley OR 11 (screw cap).** \$20 TrJ. \$22 Safeway/Zachys. \$25wine.com/MSRP. \$19-

\$31 wine-searcher. "Daily Wine Pick" 6/23/11WS 89. Cellartracker 85.7 (43 ratings). Double Gold Oregon Wine Awards 13.Silver LA 13. (2010 vintage: WE 90).

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260 stores in 30 states, owned by *Bed, Bath & Beyond*

- 85 \$9 Bogle CA 11.** \$9 Cost+. \$10 TrJ. \$11ABC/ MSRP. \$9-\$17 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 83 (9 ratings). Gold FLakes 13. Bronze DA 13. Not a Best Buy, but included as a benchmark.
- 87+ \$10 La Merika Central Coast CA 11.** \$10 B&M/Cost+. \$13 Andys. \$16 MSRP. \$8-\$14 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 86.1 (17 ratings). Gold SFC 13. Silver Challenge, DA,SD, SFI,13. Silver SFC 12. Bronze LA 13. Wine of the Week LaCrosseTribune.com 3-3.5 stars. Wine of the Week 8/14/13 WinonaDailyNews.com. Recommended SacWineRegion.com.
- 87 \$16 Layer Cake Central Coast CA 11 (100%Pinot; screw cap).** \$13 K&L/Safeway. \$16 Cost+/TW&M/MSRP. \$12-\$22 wine-searcher. RP 88. W&S 88. CellarTracker 84 (8 ratings). Snooth.com 3 stars (3 reviews).
- 88 \$20 La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 11.** C\$17 LCBO. 17.79 Costco. \$18 TW&M. \$20 K&L/Cost+/Safeway. \$22 TrJ/WhFoods. \$25 MSRP. ST 89. Cellartracker 87.9 (70 ratings). "Good" PrinceOfPinot.com. "One of the best Pinot Noirs I've experienced over the years" HonestWineReviews.com.

TOTAL WINE & MORE (TW&M)

80 stores in WA, CA, AZ, NV, TX, NJ, DL, ML, VA, GA, NC, SC, FL

- 85 \$3+ Tisdale CA nv.** \$3.29 TW&M. \$6 MSRP. Cellartracker 84 (1 review). Silver LA 12. Bronze SFC 13.Snooth.com 2.5 stars (7 reviews). "Masterpiece" *The Bad Brew Review*. Not really a Best Buy, but we included because of it's extraordinary low price.
- 85 \$4+ Barefoot CA nv.** \$4.47 TW&M. \$6 Safeway. \$7 B&M/ MSRP. **WBB 85.** WE 83. Gold SFI, SFC 13. Gold RS, SFC 12. Bronze LA 12. Good Value PrinceOfPinot.com. Not a Best Buy; we tasted it as a benchmark and to compare with all those medals.
- 85 \$6+ Smoking Loon CA 11 (not the non-vintage).** \$6.49 TW&M. \$9 MSRP. \$6-\$10 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 82 (8 ratings). Silver DA, SFC 13. Bronze SFI 12. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (3 reviews). "Very enjoyable" CheapSkateWineGuide.wordpress.com. "Worthy buy" examiner.com. Not a Best Buy, but it did win 3 medals.
- 86 \$7 Robert Mondavi Private Selection Central Coast CA 11.**\$7 Safeway/TW&M. \$8 Rite Aid. \$11 Target/MSRP. \$7-\$10.49 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86 (41 ratings). CheapWineRatings.com 86. Bronze SFI 13.
- 85 \$7 The Naked Grape Napa Valley CA nv.** \$6 B&M. \$7 TW&M. \$8 MSRP. CellarTracker 80 (22 ratings). Gold SD 13. Gold Indy 12. Silver Critics, FLakes, LA, SFC 13. Silver FLakes, LA 12. Bronze DA, SFC, SFI 12. Not a Best Buy, but how did it win all those medals?
- 87 \$8 Cellar No. 8 (Asti Winery) CA 11.**\$8 TW&M. \$8.49 Target. \$11 MSRP. \$8-\$11 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 85.6 (5 ratings). Gold SFC 13. Silver LA, SFI 13. "Delicious for \$8.50...recommended" WineGuider.com. "Do not miss this wine" Springfield News Leader. **HOT BUY.**
- 85 \$8 Redtree (Cecchetti) CA 11 (screw cap).** \$5 B&M 5¢ sale. \$7 K&L. \$8 TW&M.\$11 K&L. \$5.75-\$17 wine-searcher. Best Buy BTI 87. CellarTracker 81.1 (11 ratings). Silver LA, SFC 13. Bronze SFI 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (32 reviews).
- 85 \$8 Mark West (Constellation Brands) CA 10.** \$8 TW&M. \$10 Safeway. \$12 B&M. WW 87. CellarTracker 84.3 (131 ratings). Silver BTI, SFI 12. Bronze SFC 12. TW&M 4 stars (2 reviews). "Fine but no varietal character" Wine Curmudgeon.com.
- 85 \$9 Castle Rock California Cuvee CA 11.** \$8 B&M. \$9 TW&M. \$11 MSRP. \$7-\$13 wine-searcher. "Best Buy" W&S 86. WW 88.Cellartracker 79 (3 ratings). Bronze LA 13. "Divine...fab Pinot Noir for under \$15" BeautyFrosting.com.
- 86 \$9 Cycles Gladiator CA 11 (100%).** \$9 TW&M. \$12 MSRP. \$9-\$14 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 84.7 (3 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Bronze IWC 13.
- 86 \$9 Red Rock CA 10.** \$9 TW&M. \$11 MSTP. RP 87. CellarTracker 83.8 (9 ratings). Gold SFC 13. "Like some Burgundians" CheapWineSnobs.wordpress.com. "Its noa bad wine, just not super fruity" Britt48-wine.blogspot.com.

- ?? \$9 **Hahn Nicky Hahn CA 12.** \$9 Safeway. \$13 WhFoods. \$14 wine.com/Amazon.com/MSRP. \$10-\$14 wine-searcher. **WBB ??.** Cellartracker 81 (2 ratings). Silver Critics Challenge 13. Bronze CA 13. WineWxpress.com 4 stars (3 reviews). “Wine of the Week” About.com. “Brilliant Bargain” ReverseWineSnob.com.
- 87+ \$9+ **Hahn Nicky Hahn CA 11.** \$9 Safeway. \$9.49 TW&M. \$13 wine.com. C\$20 BCLA. \$14 MSRP. \$10-\$15 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86.7 (74 ratings). Gold SD 13. Gold SFI 12. Silver DA, LA, SFC 13. Bronze DA, IWSC 13. Bronze IWSC, LA, SFC 12. Commended IWC 13.
- 87 \$10 **Castle Rock Mendocino CA 11.** \$8 TrJ/Safeway. \$10 TW&M. \$13 MSRP. **WBB 87.** W&S 85. Gold SFC 13. Silver SFI 13. **HOT BUY.**
- 87 \$10 **Estancia Pinnacles Ranches Monterey Co CA 11.** \$8.49 Target. \$10 TW&M. \$11 Safeway/Rite Aid. \$13 TrJ. \$17 Sh-L. \$16 MSRP. \$10-\$23 wine-searcher. **WBB 86.5.** CellarTracker 87.2 (81 ratings). Silver SFC 13.
- 87 \$11 **Francis Ford Coppola Votre Sante (“Burgundian Style”) CA 11.** \$10 B&M. \$11 TW&M. \$14 MSRP. **WBB 86.5.** WS 86. WW 91. Silver IWSC 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 87 \$11 **Handcraft Artisan Collection CA 11 (76% PinotNoir-9%Tempranillo-6% PetitVerdot-6%Sangiovese-3%PetiteSirah).** \$10 Safeway. \$11 TW&M. \$13 MSRP.\$10-\$15 wine-searcher. Best Buy BTI 91. CellarTracker 85 (4 ratings). Silver SFI 13. Bronze LA 13. (2010 vintage: Gold SFC 13 & 12)
- 87 \$12 **Clos du Bois CA 11.** \$11 Rite Aid. \$12 Safeway/TW&M/ABC. C\$18.25 LCBO. \$20 MSRP. \$12-\$21 wine-searcher. JR 16 (=88). CellarTracker 86.2 (12 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Commended Decanter, IWC 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (16 reviews).
- 87 \$12 **Wine by Joe Really Good OR 11.** \$12 TW&M. \$13-\$19 wine-searcher. ST 87. CellarTracker 87 (1 rating). Silver Critics 13.
- 87 \$12+ **Buena Vista Sonoma CA 10.** \$12.49 TW&M. \$15 ABC/MSRP. LA 92. WS 86. CellarTracker 97.5 (9 ratings). Gold Best of Class LA 13. Bronze SFC 13. Bronze SFI 12.
- NR \$11 **Folie a Deux Menage a Trois CA 11.** \$11 ABC/TW&M/Safeway. \$10-\$20 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 79.4 (8 ratings). Silver CA, Critics, LA 13. Bronze SFI 13.
- 87 \$13 **Francis Ford Coppola Diamond Collection Silver Label Monterey CA 11.** \$13 TW&M. \$15 Safeway. \$18 Target/MSRP. \$20 wine.com. \$9-\$21 wine-searcher. WS 86. CellarTracker 84.6 (12 ratings). Double Gold SFC 13. Silver Bruxelles, Critics, DA, IWSC, LA 13. Bronze SFI 13.
- 87 \$13 **Firesteed OR 11.** \$13 TW&M. C\$20 BCLS. \$11-\$18 wine-searcher. Silver IWSC, Oregon Wine Awards 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (6 reviews).
- 88 \$14+ **Mark West Carneros CA 10.** \$14-\$24 TW&M. \$17 ABC. \$18 TW&M. \$25 MSRP. \$14-\$24 wine-searcher. BTI 89. Cellartracker 86.5 (2 ratings). Silver BTI, SFI 12.
- 88 \$14 **Acacia Carneros CA 11.** \$14 TW&M. \$15 Costco. \$19 Andys. \$20 Safeway/WhFoods/Sh-L. C\$24 BCLS. C\$24 LCBO. \$28 MSRP. \$16-\$42 wine-searcher. **WBB 87.5.** CellarTracker 87 (24 ratings). Gold SFC, SFI 13. Silver SD 13. Bronze DA, LA 13. **HOT BUY.**
- 87+ \$14 **MacMurray Ranch Central Coast CA 10.** \$14 K&L/TW&M. \$20 wine.com. RP 84-86. Cellartracker 87.9 (18 ratings). TW&M 5 stars (5 reviews). Good Value PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 87 \$14 **Erath OR 11 (screw Cap).** \$14 TW&M. \$18 Safeway/Zachys/Sh-L. \$20 wine.com. \$19 MSRP. \$13-\$23 wine-searcher. ST 87. WS 86. Cellartracker 84 (5 ratings). WineReviewOnline.com 88. “10 affordable red wines for summer” The Herald (Everett, WA). “Affordable reds for summer enjoyment” Bellingham Herald.
- 88+ \$15 **Once Upon a Vine (Diageo) A Charming Pinot CA 11.** \$15 TW&M. \$13 MSRP. \$9-\$14.49 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 89.3 (7 ratings). Gold SFI 13. Silver LA, SD 13. Bronze DA 13. “Solid, respectable, really good, everyday Pinot” CheapWineFinder.com. **HOT BUY.**
- 87 \$15 **A to Z Wineworks OR 11 (screw cap).** \$15 Costco/ K&L/TW&M. \$16 WhFoods. \$18 B&M/Zachys.\$19 Sh-L. \$15-\$31 wine-searcher. “Smart Buy” WS 90. ST 87. W&S Not Recommended. CellarTracker 85 (85 ratings). TW&M 4.5 stars (5 reviews). Double Gold Oregon Wine awards 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 88 \$15 **Kendall-Jackson Vintner’s Reserve CA 11.** \$15 TW&M. \$17 Safeway. \$20 JJB. \$22 MSRP. \$14-\$22 wine-searcher. RP 88. WE 85. CellarTracker 92 (1 rating).
- 88 \$15 **Talbott Kali Hart Estate Monterey CA 11 (100%; screw cap).** \$15 TW&M. \$16 K&L/Andys. \$17 Safeway. \$19 WhFoods. \$21 MSRP.\$14-

- \$25 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 89.3 (4 ratings). PrinceOfPinot.com 88. WineLineOnline.com 90. W&S Not Recommended. Silver LA 13.
- 87 \$15 Francis Ford Coppola Director's Sonoma Coast CA 11.** \$15-\$18 TW&M. \$19 Safeway. \$21 MSRP. \$18-\$27 wine-searcher. IWR 88. CellarTracker 84 (1 rating). Silver IWSC, SFI 13. Bronze LA 13. "Wine Find" Baltimore Sun 6/4/13.
- 88 \$15 Don & Sons (Don Sebastiani) Sonoma Coast CA 11 (100%).** \$14 Andys. \$15 TW&M. \$25 MSRP. \$14-\$25 wine-searcher. Platinum SD 13. Silver Critics 13. Bronze DA, LA, SFI 13.
- 87 \$15 A to Z Wineworks OR 11 (screw cap).** \$12 ABC. \$15 Costco/ K&L/TW&M. \$16 WhFoods. \$18 B&M/Zachys. \$15-\$31 wine-searcher. "Smart Buy" WS 90. ST 87. W&S Not Recommended. CellarTracker 85 (65 ratings). Double Gold Oregon Wine awards 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 87 \$16 A By Acacia CA 12.** \$16 TW&M. \$15 MSRP. C\$19 LCBO. \$11-\$18 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 87 (3 ratings). Bronze SFI 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (26 reviews). "Recommended" TheFrugalWineSnob.com.
- 88 \$16 A to Z Wineworks OR 10.** \$15 K&L. \$15-\$17 TW&M. C\$29 BCLS. US\$20 MSRP. US\$14-\$17 wine-searcher. WS 89. RP 87. ST 87. CellarTracker 85.8 (149 ratings). Bronze LA 12.
- 87 \$16 A by Acacia CA 11.** \$15 Safeway. \$16 TW&M. \$17 B&M. \$20 Sh-L. C\$ 24 LCBO/BCLS. \$15 MSRP. CellarTracker 85 (9 ratings). Double Gold Best of Class SFC 13. Double Gold SFI 12. Silver LA 13. Bronze DA, LA 13.
- 87 \$16 A by Acacia Napa Valley CA 11.** \$13 Sh-L. \$15 Safeway. \$16 TW&M. \$17 B&M. C\$ 24 LCBO/BCLS. \$15 MSRP. **WBB 86.** CellarTracker 85 (9 ratings). Double Gold Best of Class SFC 13. Double Gold SFI 12. Silver LA 13. Bronze DA, LA 13
- 88 \$16 King Estate Acrobat OR 11 (screw cap).** \$15 wine.com. \$16 TW&M. \$20 MSRP. \$14-\$24 wine-searcher. PinotReport 91. W&S 88. WS 88. CellarTracker 85.3 (6 ratings). Bronze SFC 13.
- 87 \$16 Layer Cake Central Coast CA 11 (100%Pinot; screw cap).** \$13 K&L/Safeway. \$16 Cost+/TW&M/MSRP. \$12-\$22 wine-searcher. RP 88. W&S 88. CellarTracker 84 (8 ratings). Snooth.com 3 stars (3 reviews).
- 90 \$17 Baileyana Grand Firepeak Cuvee Edna Valley CA 10 (screw cap).** \$17 TW&M (Norwalk, CN). \$20 Andys/Ludwigs(San Anselmo, CA). \$16-\$28 wine-searcher. \$30 MSRP. The Tasting Panel 90. Gold LA 13. Wine.com 5 stars (1 review). **HOT BUY.**
- 89 \$17 Robert Mondavi Napa Valley Carneros CA 11 (100%).** \$17 TW&M. \$19 Safeway. \$21 Target/MSRP. C\$34 LCBO. \$17-\$29 wine-searcher. W&S 92. ST 89. WS 88. CellarTracker 86 (1 rating).
- 89 \$17 Cambria Julia's Vineyard Santa Maria Valley CA 11.** \$17 TW&M. \$20 K&L/wine.com/ABC. \$23 Sh-L. \$17-\$26 wine-searcher. "Fabulous wine value" Antonio Galloni 91. WE 86. CellarTracker 88.2 (32 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (31 reviews).
- 87 \$17 Buena Vista Carneros CA 11.** \$17 TW&M. \$20 Safeway. \$25 MSRP. C\$26 Quebec. CellarTracker 85 (2 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Bronze DA, SFI 13.
- 87+ \$17 Edna Valley Vds Paragon Edna Valley CA 10.** \$17 Safeway/TW&M. \$20 MSRP. \$14-\$20 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86.5 (24 ratings). Bronze SFC 13. #4 Best "Grocery Store Pinot" PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 88 \$17 Rancho Sisquoc Flood Family Vd Santa Barbara Co CA 11.** \$17 TW&M. \$30 MSRP. \$25-\$30 wine-searcher. Silver SFI 13 & 12 (2010 vintage: Gold West; Silvere Orange, RS, SFI; Bronze CA 12).
- 90 \$18 Lange Estate Vd Willamette Valley OR 10 (screw cap).** \$18-\$27 TW&M. \$20 K&L. \$24 MSRP. "Best Buy" W&S 92. "Smart Buy" WS 91. RP 87. ST 87. CellarTracker 89 (21 ratings).
- 90 \$18 Lincourt Lindsay's Vd Santa Rita Hills CA 09 (100%).** \$18 TW&M. \$22 B&M. \$30 MSRP. \$17-\$23 wine-searcher. JS 90. CellarTracker 89.9 (27 ratings). Bronze LA 12. "The winery's most moderately priced Pinot" CuisineMag.com.
- 88+\$18 La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 11.** \$17.79 Costco. \$18 TW&M. \$20 K&L/Cost+/Safeway. \$22 TrJ/WhFoods. \$25 MSRP. ST 89. CellarTracker 87.9 (70 ratings). "Good" PrinceOfPinot.com. "One of the best Pinot Noirs I've experienced over the years" HonestWineReviews.com.
- 90 \$18 Lange Estate Vd Willamette Valley OR 10 (screw cap).** \$18-\$27 TW&M. \$20 K&L. \$24 MSRP. "Best Buy" W&S 92. "Smart Buy" WS 91. RP 87. ST 87. CellarTracker 89 (21 ratings).

- 88 \$18 Willamette Valley Vds Whole Cluster Willamette Valley OR 11 (100%),** \$18 TW&M. \$22 MSRP. W&S 90. WS 88. CellarTracker 85 (38 ratings). Bronze SFC 13. “Recommended Buy” ReverseWineSnob.com.
- 88 \$18 Foris Rogue Valley OR 11.** \$18 TW&M. \$20 wine-searcher. ST 89. WE 88.
- 88 \$18 La Crema Monterey CA 11.**\$18 TW&M. \$20 Safeway. \$23 wine.com. \$24 ABC. \$17-\$27 wine-searcher. ST 89. Cellartracker 86.2 (15 ratings). “Good...value priced” PrinceOfpinot.com.
- 88 \$19 Byron Estate Santa Maria Valley CA 10.** \$19 TW&M. \$20 ABC. C\$30 SAQ.com (Quebec). \$29 MSRP. \$18-\$29 wine-searcher. ST 88. WE 86. Cellartracker 87.7 (26 ratings). Good Value PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 88+ \$19+ Ponzi Tavola Willamette Valley OR 11 (screw cap),** \$19.49 TW&M. \$21 Zachys. \$24 K&L. \$25 Sh-L/wine.com/MSRP. WS 88. ST 87. CellarTracker 88.3 (13 ratings). “Wine Pick” ZesterDaily.com. “Outstanding” GreatNorthWestWine.com.
- 89 \$20 Gloria Ferrer Carneros CA 10.** \$20 TW&M. \$24 wine.com. C\$25 SAQ.com (Quebec). \$28 MSRP. \$20-\$29 wine-searcher. W&S 92. WE 88. ST 88. Double Gold FLakes 13. Silver SFC 13. Bronze DA 13. “Very good...incredible value” PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 89 \$20 Belle Glos Meiomni Sonoma-Monterey-Santa Barbara, CA 12 (screw cap),** \$20 Safeway/B&M/K&L/TW&M/WhFoods/WClub/Zachys. \$17-\$20 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 88.6 (112). ClubBev Members 5 stars (15 reviews). JJB Members 3.9 stars (13 reviews). WineExpress.com 4.5 stars (965 reviews). Snooth.com 4 stars (3 reviews). “Tremendously appealing – even if it isn’t the most terroir driven Pinot Noir” Wellesly WinePress.com. (2011 vintage: Smart Buy WS 92).
- 88+ \$20 Argyle Willamette Valley OR 11 (screw cap),** \$20 TrJ/TW&M. \$22 Safeway/Zachys. \$25wine.com/MSRP. \$19-\$31 wine-searcher. “Daily Wine Pick” 6/23/11WS 89. Cellartracker 85.7 (43 ratings). Silver LA 13. (2010 vintage: WE 90).
- 88 \$20 Benton Lane Estate Willamette Valley OR 11 (100%),** \$20 TW&M/ABC. \$22 K&L. \$29 MSRP. \$20-\$28 wine-searcher. ST 87. Silver Oregon Wine Awards 13. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (70 reviews).
- 88 \$20 Laetitia Estate Arroyo Grande Valley 11.**\$20-\$22 TW&M. \$23 K&L. \$25 MSRP. \$15-\$25 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 87.6 (7 ratings). Gold SFI 13. Silver SFC 13. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (55 reviews).
- 88 \$22 King Estate OR 11.** \$22 TW&M. \$25 wine.com. \$27 B&M. \$29 MSRP. WS 89. WE 87. Bronze SFC 13.
- 89 \$23 Calera Central Coast CA 11.** \$22 K&L/JJB. \$23 TW&M. \$24 Zachys/MSRP.\$25 wine.com. \$19-\$27 wine-searcher. Pinot Report 92. RP 90. WE 85. Cellartracker 88.7 (49 ratings). Asian Palate 86.
- 87 \$26 J Vineyards Estate Grown Russian River Valley CA 12.** \$26-\$30 TW&M. \$28 Costco. \$30 K&L. \$37 wine.com/MSRP. \$25-\$37 wine-searcher. PrinceOfPinot 87. Cellartracker 86.3 (6 ratings).
- 89 \$27 Saintsbury Carneros CA 09.** \$27 TW&M. C\$ 35 LCBO. \$22-\$35 wine-searcher. WE 90. WS 88. RP 87. Cellartracker 89.1 (23 ratings).
- 91 \$28 Maysara Jamsheed McMinville OR 09 (100%; screw cap),** \$27 ABC. \$28 TW&M. \$28 MSRP. \$24-\$30 wine-searcher. WS 91. RP 91. Cellartracker 88.5 (5 ratings). “Very Good” PrinceOfpinot.com. TW&M 4.3 stars (3 reviews).
- 89+ \$31 Domaine Drouhin Dundee Hills OR 11.** \$31-\$42 TW&M. \$32 Costco. \$37 K&L. \$42 wine.com. \$45 Sh-L. \$40 MSRP. JR 16.5+ (=90+). ST 89. CellarTracker 88.6 (24 ratings). We included this one by the great Burgundy producer as a benchmark.

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- 85 \$5 Redtree (Cecchetti) CA 11 (screw cap),** \$5 B&M 5¢ sale. \$7 K&L. \$8 TW&M.\$11 K&L. \$5.75-\$17 wine-searcher. Best Buy BTI 87. CellarTracker 81.1 (11 ratings). Silver LA, SFC 13. Bronze SFI 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (32 reviews).
- 85 \$6 The Naked Grape Napa Valley CA nv.** \$6 B&M. \$7 TW&M. \$8 MSRP. CellarTracker 80 (22 ratings). Gold SD 13. Gold Indy 12. Silver Critics, FLakes, LA, SFC 13. Silver FLakes, LA 12. Bronze DA, SFC, SFI 12. Not a Best Buy, but how did it win all those medals?
- 86 \$6+ Stanza Family Farmed CA 09.** \$6.52 B&M 5¢ sale (found only at B&M). \$12 MSRP. WW 90. Cellartracker 86.2 (33 ratings). Silver SFC 11. Vivino.com 3.1 stars (25 ratings).

- 85 \$7 Barefoot CA nv.** \$4.47 TW&M. \$6 Safeway. \$7 B&M/ MSRP. **WBB 85.** WE 83. Gold SFI, SFC 13. Gold RS, SFC 12. Bronze LA 12. Not a Best Buy; we tasted it as a benchmark and to compare with all those medals.
- 88 \$8 McManis Family CA 09.** \$8 B&M. \$9 WClub. \$10 K&L. \$11 MSRP. \$8-\$11 wine-searcher. #24 Top 100 Best Buys of 2011 WE 88. Cellartracker 87.9 (37 ratings). Silver SFC 11. Recommended Buy ReverseWineSnob.com. **HOT BUY.**
- 86 \$8 Castle Rock California Cuvee CA 11.** \$8 B&M. \$9 TW&M. \$11 MSRP. \$7-\$13 wine-searcher. “Best Buy” W&S 86. WW 88. Cellartracker 79 (3 ratings). Bronze LA 13. “Divine...fab Pinot Noir for under \$15” BeautyFrosting.com.
- 87 \$10 La Merika Central Coast CA 11.** \$10 B&M/Cost+. \$13 Andys. \$16 MSRP. \$10-\$15 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86.1 (17 ratings). Gold SFC 13. Silver Challenge, DA, SD 13. Silver SFC 12. Bronze LA 13. Wine if the Week 8/14/13 WinonaDailyNews.com.
- 85 \$10 Robert Mondavi Private Selection Central Coast CA 09.** \$10 B&M. \$12 MSRP. \$9-\$12 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 83.5 (48 ratings). Silver SFC 11. Bronze SFI 10. “Good... the cheapest Pinot noir I have ever enjoyed” PracticalWineReviews.com. Snooth.com 3 stars (22 Reviews).
- 87 \$10 Francis Ford Coppola Votre Sante (“Burgundian Style”) CA 11.** \$10 B&M. \$11 TW&M. \$14 MSRP. **WBB 86.5.** WS 86. WW 91. Silver IWSC 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 87+ \$10 Lucky Star CA 11.** \$10 B&M/MSRP. C\$18 BCLS. \$8-\$14 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 87.9 (8 ratings). Gold SFC 13. Bronze SFI 13. Recommended SacWineRegion.com.
- 87+ \$10 La Merika Central Coast CA 11.** \$10 B&M/Cost+. \$13 Andys. \$16 MSRP. \$8-\$14 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 86.1 (17 ratings). Gold SFC 13. Silver Challenge, DA,SD, SFI,13. Silver SFC 12. Bronze LA 13. Wine of the Week LaCrosseTribune.com 3-3.5 stars. Recommended SacWineRegion.com.
- 87 \$10 Handcraft CA 11 (76%PinotNoir-Tempranillo-Merlot-Sangiovese).** \$10 B&M. \$15 MSRP. \$10-\$15 wine-searcher. Best Buy BTI 91. Cellartracker 85 (4 ratings). Gold BTI, SFC 13 & 12. Silver SFI 13. Bronze LA, SFI 12.
- 86 \$10 The Buccaneer CA 11 (B&M label).** \$10 B&M 5¢ sale (found only at B&M). **WBB 85.** WW 92.
- 85 \$10 Steven Bannus Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$ 10 B&M 5¢ sale. Cellartracker 84.5 (4 ratings). WW 92. Vivino.com 3.5 stars
- 86 \$11 Hahn Nicky Hahn CA 12.** \$9 Safeway. \$11 B&M. \$13 WhFoods. \$14 wine.com/Amazon.com/MSRP. \$10-\$14 wine-searcher. **WBB 86.** Cellartracker 81 (2 ratings). Silver Critics Challenge 13. Bronze CA 13. WineExpress.com 4 stars (3 reviews). “Wine of the Week” About.com. “Brilliant Bargain” ReverseWineSnob.com.
- 87 \$11 Chalone Monterey Co CA 10.** \$11 B&M. \$14 Andys. \$16 MSRP. \$10-\$23 wine-searcher. WE 88. WS 87. Cellartracker 85.1 (25 ratings). Silver DA, SFI 12. Bronze IWSC 13.
- 86 \$11 Irony (Delicato) Monterey Co CA 10.** \$11 B&M. \$16 MSRP. \$12-\$17 wine-searcher. WW 89. Cellartracker 84 (25 ratings). Silver SFC, SFI 12. Bronze LA 12. “Very Good” PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 87± \$12+ Main & Geary Sonoma Coast CA 12 (B&M label).** \$12.52 B&M 5¢ sale. WW 93. Recommended corkbin.com.
- 88± \$14 Fog Head (Delicato) Hillside Reserve Monterey CA 10.** \$14 B&M. C\$20 LCBO. \$17 MSRP. \$14-\$24 wine-searcher. “Best Buy” BTI 91. LA 91. Cellartracker 82.6 (15 ratings). WW 90. Gold BTI, LA 13.
- 87 \$15 Donovan-Parke CA 11.** \$15 B&M (found only at B&M). \$15 MSRP. WE 82. WW 91. Cellartracker 87 (7 ratings). Silver Critics Challenge, SFC 13. Bronze LA 13. B&M Members 4 stars (33 reviews).
- 87 \$15 Dahlia Reserve Monterey CA 11 (screw cap).** \$15 B&M 5¢ sale (produced by Testarossa exclusively for B&M). WW 92. B&M members rating 4 stars (11 reviews).
- 86 \$15 Dahlia Monterey Co CA 11 (screw cap).** \$15 B&M (produced by Testarossa exclusively for B&M). WW 90. Cellartracker 85.5 (15 ratings). Snooth.com 3 stars (6 reviews). “Good” PrinceOfPinot.com. “Terrific” corkbin.com.
- 87 \$15 Longhand Sonoma Co CA 11.** \$15 B&M 5¢ sale (only at B&M). WW 93. Cellartracker 87 (2 ratings). B&M members 4.5 stars (11 reviews). Vivino.com 3.7 stars (12 ratings).

- 86 \$15 Craftwork Monterey CA 09.** \$15 B&M 5¢ sale (only at B&M). \$30 MSRP. WW 92. Cellartracker 84 (4 ratings). Silver LA, SFC 13. “Decent at best” PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 86 \$15 Reserve Lot 33 (Sonoma Hills) Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$15 B&M 5¢ sale (only at B&M). \$23 MSRP. WW 91. Silver SFI 13. Bronze \ LA 13.
- 87+ \$16 Kendall-Jackson Vintner’s Reserve CA 09 (100%).** \$16 B&M. \$22 MSRP. \$16-\$20 wine-searcher. RP 87. Cellartracker 88.3 (29 ratings). “Very Good” KensWineGuide.com 87.
- 87 \$17 Talbott Kali Hart Monterey Co CA 09.** \$13 K&L. \$17 B&M. \$21 MSRP. ST 87. WS 86. Cellartracker 88.5 (28 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (3 reviews).
- 87 \$17 A by Acacia Napa Valley CA 11.** \$13 Sh-L. \$15 Safeway. \$16 TW&M. \$17 B&M. C\$ 24 LCBO/BCLS. \$15 MSRP. **WBB 86.** CellarTracker 85 (9 ratings). Double Gold Best of Class SFC 13. Double Gold SFI 12. Silver LA 13. Bronze DA, LA 13
- 89 \$18 Rodney Strong Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$17 Safeway. \$18 B&M. \$20 Andys. \$25 MSRP. WW 89. CellarTracker 89.1 (24 ratings). Platinum SD 13. Gold Critics Challenge 13. Silver LA, SFC 13. Bronze DA 13.
- 87 \$18 A to Z Wineworks OR 11 (screw cap).** \$15 Costco/ K&L/TW&M. \$16 WhFoods. \$18 B&M/Zachys.\$19 Sh-L. \$15-\$31 wine-searcher. “Smart Buy” WS 90. ST 87. W&S Not Recommended. CellarTracker 85 (85 ratings). TW&M 4.5 stars (5 reviews). Double Gold Oregon Wine awards 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 87 \$19 Erath OR 10 (screw cap).** \$19 B&M. \$14-\$21 wine-searcher. WS 87.WE 86. Asian Palate 86. Cellartracker 85.7 (56 ratings). Bronze SFI 12. “Good Value” PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 87+ \$19 Husch Anderson Valley CA 09.** \$19 B&M/K&L. \$23 MSRP. WS 87. WE 87. Cellartracker 88 (13 ratings). Silver SD, SFC 12.
- 87 \$19 Garnet Carneros CA 10 (screw cap).** \$14 Safeway/JJB. \$19 B&M. \$13-\$22 wine-searcher. WE 85. WW 92. Cellartracker 89.2 (11 ratings). **WBB 87+.** Wine of the Week 7/12/12 CuveeCornerBlogspot.com. “Captures more of the pinot essence than most pricey California monsters” *The Columbus Dispatch*.
- 89 \$20 Belle Glos Meiomis Sonoma-Monterey-Santa Barbara, CA 12 (screw cap).** \$20 Safeway/B&M/K&L/TW&M/WhFoods/WClub/Zachys. \$17-\$20 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 88.6 (112). ClubBev Members 5 stars (15 reviews). JJB Members 3.9 stars (13 reviews). WineExpress.com 4.5 stars (965 reviews). Snooth.com 4 stars (3 reviews). “Tremendously appealing – even if it isn’t the most terroir driven Pinot Noir” Wellesly WinePress.com. (2011 vintage: Smart Buy WS 92).
- 88 \$20 Buena Vista Carneros CA 09.** \$20 B&M. \$26 wine.com. \$25 MSRP. \$19.50-\$26 wine-searcher. WS 88. JS 88. WE 88. Cellartracker 88.7 (27 ratings).Gold SFC 12. Silver LA 12. Bronze SFI 12.
- 87+ \$20 Chateau St Jean Sonoma Co CA 08.** \$13 Costco. \$20 B&M. \$20 MSRP.\$15-\$24 wine-searcher. RP 87. WW 88. **WBB 87.** CellarTracker 87.9 (40 ratings).
- 88 \$21 Schug Carneros CA 09.** \$21 B&M. C\$37 BCLS. \$28 MSRP. WE 87. WW 89. Cellartracker 87.3 (52 ratings). Silver SFI 12. Bronze IWSC, SFC 12. “2013 Best Light Red Wines” Vanc Mag. “Balanced...delicious...very long” TheWineSpies.com.
- 90 \$22 Lincourt Lindsay’s Vd Santa Rita Hills CA 09 (100%).** \$18 TW&M. \$22 B&M. \$30 MSRP. \$17-\$23 wine-searcher. JS 92. Cellartracker 89.9 (27 ratings). Bronze LA 12. “The winery’s most moderately priced Pinot” CuisineMag.com.
- 87 \$22 Frei Bros Reserve Russian River Valley CA 08.** \$22 B&M. \$17-\$24 wine-searcher. RP 87. Cellartracker 86.8 (38 ratings). Snooth.com 3 stars (3 reviews).
- 89 \$22 Fess Parker Santa Barbara Co CA 09.** \$22 B&M/Sh-L. \$17.40-\$26 wine-searcher. WE 88. RP 88. Edhat.com 87. Cellartracker 90 (23 ratings). Gold SFI 11. Bronze DA 12.
- 91 \$24 Balletto Estate Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$22 K&L. \$23 Zachys. \$24 B&M. \$29 MSRP. \$20-\$25 wine-searcher. Cellar Selection WE 92. LA 94. Cellartracker 88 (1 rating). Gold North Coasy Wine Challenge 96 points. Double Gold Best of Class SFC 13. Gold Best of Class LA 13. Gold “Best of Readers’ Poll” North Bay Biz Mag.
- 89 \$27 King Estate Signature OR 11.** \$25 wine.com. \$27 B&M. US\$28 Sh-L. C\$36 BCLS. \$29 MSRP. US\$22-\$30 wine-searcher. WS 89. WE 87. Cellartracker 86 (2 ratings). Double Gold Oregon Wine Awards 13. Bronze SFC 13.

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- 88 \$9 McManis Family CA 11.** \$9 WClub. \$10 K&L. WE 83. Wine-searcher 86. Cellartracker 88.8 (21 ratings). Silver SFI 13. "Great Value" examiner.com. **HOT BUY.**
- 87 \$15 Taft Street Russian River Valley CA 12.** \$12.69 Costco. \$15 WClub. \$25 MSRP. \$15-\$25 wine-searcher. **WBB 86.** Cellartracker 89 (1 rating). Hwy 12 Wy Rep 90. [2011 vintage: JS 91. CellarTracker 90 (9 ratings). Silver SFC 13].
- 88+ \$16 Waterstone Carneros CA 09 (100%).** \$16 WClub (lowest price in the country). \$22 MSRP. \$16-\$30 wine-searcher. WE 89. Bronze SFC 13. "Veritable bargain for a Burgundian" StarkInsider.com.
- 89 \$20 Belle Glos Meiomni Sonoma-Monterey-Santa Barbara, CA 12 (screw cap).** \$20 Safeway/B&M/K&L/TW&M/WhFoods/WClub/Zachys. \$17-\$20 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 88.6 (112). ClubBev Members 5 stars (15 reviews). JJB Members 3.9 stars (13 reviews). WineExpress.com 4.5 stars (965 reviews). Snooth.com 4 stars (3 reviews). "Tremendously appealing – even if it isn't the most terroir driven Pinot Noir" Wellesly WinePress.com. (2011 vintage: Smart Buy WS 92).

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- 85 \$7 Redtree (Cecchetti) CA 11 (screw cap).** \$5 B&M 5¢ sale. \$7 K&L. \$8 TW&M. \$5.75-\$17 wine-searcher. Best Buy BTI 87. CellarTracker 81.1 (11 ratings). Silver LA, SFC 13. Bronze SFI 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (32 reviews).
- 87 \$10 Castle Rock Sonoma Co CA 10.** \$10 K&L. \$14 MSRP. \$10-\$15 wine-searcher. Best Buy BTI 91. Cellartracker 86.1 (11 ratings). Gold World Wine Awards (BTI). Bronze LA 12.
- 87 \$10 McManis Family CA 11.** \$10 K&L/Safeway. \$11 WhFoods/MSRP. \$8-\$11 wine-searcher. LA 93. CellarTracker 88.9 (20 ratings). WE 83. Gold LA 13. Silver SFC, SFI 13. "Great value" examiner.com.
- 88 \$10 McManis Family CA 09.** \$8 B&M. \$9 WClub. \$10 K&L. \$11 MSRP. \$8-\$11 wine-searcher. #24 Top 100 Best Buys of 2011 WE 88. Cellartracker 87.9 (37 ratings). Silver SFC 11. Recommended Buy ReverseWineSnob.com. **HOT BUY.**
- 87 \$12 La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 08.** \$10 K&L (reduced from \$20). \$19 B&M. \$24 MSRP. NM 92. RP 87. WE 82. Cellartracker 87.1 (94 ratings).
- 87 \$12 Sean Minor Four Bears Central Coast CA 11 (100%; screw cap).** \$12 K&L. \$16 Zachys/MSRP. \$12.75-\$22.50 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 86 (2 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Silver SFC 12. Bronze SFI 13. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (2 reviews). "Decent" PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 87 \$12 Sean Minor Four Beats Central Coast CA 10 (100%; screw cap).** \$12 K&L. \$19 WhFoods/MSRP. \$14-\$22 wine-searcher. WE 84. Cellartracker 87.4 (29 ratings). Gold DA 12. Silver CA, SFC 12. Bronze SFI 12. "Good+" PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 87 \$13 Layer Cake Central Coast CA 11 (100%Pinot; screw cap).** \$13 K&L/Safeway. \$16 Cost+/TW&M/MSRP. \$12-\$22 wine-searcher. RP 88. W&S 88. CellarTracker 84 (8 ratings). Snooth.com 3 stars (3 reviews).
- 87 \$13 Talbott Kali Hart Monterey Co CA 09.** \$13 K&L. \$17 B&M. \$21 MSRP. ST 87. WS 86. Cellartracker 88.5 (28 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (3 reviews).
- 87+ \$14 Parducci Small Lot Blend Mendocino CA 11.** \$14 K&L/wine.com/MSRP. \$9-\$14 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 87.5 (40 ratings). Gold Orange 13. Silver IWSC 13. Bronze SFI 13. Wine.com 3 stars (9 reviews).
- 87+ \$14 MacMurray Ranch Central Coast CA 10.** \$14 K&L/TW&M. \$20 wine.com. RP 84-86. Cellartracker 87.9 (18 ratings). TW&M 5 stars (5 reviews). Good Value PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 87± \$14 Mark West Santa Lucia Highlands CA 10.** \$14 ABC. \$15 K&L. \$19 MSRP. "Best Buy...Exceptional" BTI 92. Cellartracker 85.4 (63 ratings). Gold World Wine Awards (BTI). Silver SFC, SFI 12.

- 87 \$15 A to Z Wineworks OR 11 (screw cap).** \$15 Costco/ K&L/TW&M. \$16 WhFoods. \$18 B&M/Zachys/ABC. \$19 Sh-L. \$15-\$31 wine-searcher. "Smart Buy" WS 90. ST 87. W&S Not Recommended. CellarTracker 85 (85 ratings). Double Gold Oregon Wine Awards 13. TW&M 4.5 stars (5 reviews). Double Gold Oregon Wine awards 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 87 \$15 Talbott Estate Grown Kali Hart Monterey CA 10 (100%).** \$15 K&L. C\$26 LCBO. \$16-\$17 wine-searcher. ST 87. Cellartracker 86.8 (24 ratings). Bronze LA 12. "Decent" PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 87 \$16 Saintsbury Garnet Carneros CA 09.** \$16 K&L/Safeway. \$20 MSRP. "A rare Pinot Noir from California" WS 88. RP 86. CellarTracker 86.5 (29 ratings).
- 88 \$16 Talbott Kali Hart Estate Monterey CA 11 (100%; screw cap).** \$15 TW&M. \$16 K&L/Andys. \$17 Safeway. \$19 WhFoods. \$21 MSRP.\$14-\$25 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 89.3 (4 ratings). PrinceOfPinot.com 88. WineLineOnline.com 90. W&S Not Recommended. Silver LA 13.
- 89 \$18 Bishop's Peak San Luis Obispo CA 11 (screw cap).** \$18 K&L. \$20 MSRP. \$22 Astor. \$16-\$25 wine-searcher. ST 90. W&S 89. WE 89. Cellartracker 89.6 (9 ratings).
- 87+ \$19 Husch Anderson Valley CA 09.** \$19 B&M/K&L. \$23 MSRP. WS 87. WE 87. Cellartracker 88 (13 ratings). Silver SD, SFC 12.
- 90 \$20 Lange Estate Vd Willamette Valley OR 10 (screw cap).** \$18-\$27 TW&M. \$20 K&L. \$24 MSRP. "Best Buy" W&S 92. "Smart Buy" WS 91. RP 87. ST 87. Cellartracker 89 (21 ratings).
- 89 \$20 Cambria Julia's Vineyard Santa Maria Valley CA 11.** \$17 TW&M. \$20 K&L/wine.com. \$23 Sh-L. \$17-\$26 wine-searcher. "Fabulous wine value" Antonio Galloni 91.WE 86. CellarTracker 88.2 (32 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (31 reviews).
- 89 \$20 Byron Santa Barbara Co CA 11.** \$17 Sh-L. \$20K&L/MSRP. \$17-\$27 wine-searcher. RP 89. "Very Good" KensWineGuide.com 89. "Daily Wine Pick" 9/3/13 WS 88. Cellartracker 88 (17 ratings). "Good PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 88+ \$20 La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 11.** \$17.79 Costco.\$18 TW&M. \$20 K&L/Cost+/Safeway. \$22 TrJ/WhFoods. ST 89. CellarTracker 87.8 (63 ratings). "One of thre best Pinot Noirs" HonestWineReviews.com.
- 87 \$20 Frei Bros (Gallo) Reserve Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$20 K&L/Safeway. \$23 wine.com. RP 87. Snooth.com 3 stars.
- 87 \$20 Brandborg Benchlands Umpqua Valley OR 08.** \$20 K&L. C\$24 LCBO. \$22 MSRP. W&S 87. WS 86. WE 86. Cellartracker 86 (10 ratings). Silver SFC 11. Recommended SFCh 9/26/10.
- 91 \$22 Balletto Estate Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$22 K&L. \$23 Zachys. \$24 B&M. \$29 MSRP. \$20-\$25 wine-searcher. Cellar Selection WE 92. LA 94. Cellartracker 88 (1 rating). Gold North Coasy Wine Challenge 96 points. Double Gold Best of Class SFC 13. Gold Best of Class LA 13. Gold "Best of Readers' Poll" North Bay Biz Mag.
- 88+ \$22 Brooks Willamette Valley OR 11.** \$22 K&L. \$25 MSRP. \$18-\$25 wine-searcher. ST 90. Cellartracker 87.7 (1 rating). "Lovely complexity" Burghound. com.
- 89 \$22 Calera Central Coast CA 11.** \$22 K&L/JJB. \$23 TW&M. \$24 Zachys/MSRP.\$25 wine.com. \$19-\$27 wine-searcher. Pinot Report 92. RP 90. WE 85. Cellartracker 88.7 (49 ratings). Asian Palate 86.
- 88 \$22 Benton Lane Estate Willamette Valley OR 11 (100%).** \$20 TW&M. \$22 K&L. \$29 MSRP. \$20-\$28 wine-searcher. ST 87. Silver Oregon Wine Awards 13. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (70 reviews).
- 89 \$22 Patricia Green Reserve Willamette Valley OR 11.** \$22 K&L. \$19-\$30 wine-searcher. ST 89. Cellartracker 88.8 (8 ratings). Wine-searcher 89. Vinopedia.com 89 (3 ratings).
- 88 \$23 Banshee Sonoma Co CA 11.** \$22 Astor. \$23 K&L/MSRP. \$19-\$30 wine-searcher. ST 89. Cellartracker 87 (9 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (2 reviews).
- 89 \$23 MacRostie Sonoma Coast CA 09 (screw cap).** \$23 K&L.\$34 MSRP. \$21-\$28 wine-searcher. WE 92. WS 88. Cellartracker 87.2 (6 ratings). KensWineGuide.com 90. Gold SFI 12.
- 88 \$23 Laetitia Estate Arroyo Grande Valley 11.**\$20-\$22 TW&M. \$23 K&L. \$25 MSRP. \$15-\$25 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 87.6 (7 ratings). Gold SFI 13. Silver SFC 13. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (55 reviews).

- 88 \$23 **Banshee Sonoma Co CA 11.** \$22 Astor. \$23 K&L. \$19-\$30 wine-searcher. ST 89. Cellartracker 87 (9 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (2 reviews).
- 88 \$23 **Solena Grande Cuvee Willamette Valley OR 11.** \$23 K&L. \$25 MSRP. \$20-\$29 wine-searcher. W&S 88. WS 87. ST 87. Cellartracker 87.6 (8 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (15 reviews).
- 89 \$24 **Alta Maria Santa Maria Valley CA 10.** \$24 K&L. \$28 MSRP. \$22-\$30 wine-searcher. W&S 90. RP 88. Cellartracker 88.8 (15 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Silver SFI 12.
- 88 \$24 **Chehalem Three Vineyards Willamette Valley OR 10 (screw cap).** \$24 K&L. \$25 wine.com. \$22-\$32 wine-searcher. WS 90. ST 88. WE 88. RP 87. Cellartracker 87.7 (11 ratings). W&S Not Recommended.
- 88+ \$24 **Ponzi Tavola Willamette Valley OR 11 (screw cap).** \$19.49 TW&M. \$21 Zachys. \$24 K&L. \$25 Sh-L/wine.com/MSRP. WS 88. ST 87. CellarTracker 88.3 (13 ratings). "Wine Pick" ZesterDaily.com. "Outstanding" GreatNorthWestWine.com.
- 89 \$25 **Broadley Estate Willamette Valley OR 11.** \$25 K&L (not the standard non-estate Willamette Valley at \$20). \$30 MSRP. \$25-\$30 wine-searcher. WS 90. ST 87. Cellartracker 89.5 (2 ratings).
- 88 \$25 **The Evening Land Blue Label Willamette Valley OR 11.** \$25 K&L. \$26 wine.com. \$27 Sh-L. WS 88. Cellartracker 88.1 (20 ratings).
- 89 \$25 **Reaper Sonoma Co CA 10 (100%).** \$25 K&L/MSRP. Editor's Choice WE 93. ST 89. WS 86.
- 90 \$28 **A Donkey & Goat "Helluva" Anderson Valley CA 11 (screw cap).** \$28 Astor/K&L. \$28 MSRP. ST 92. Cellartracker 88 (6 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (1 review).
- 90 \$28 **Capiaux Chimera Sonoma Coast CA 11.** \$28 K&L. \$30 Zachys. \$25-\$32 wine-searcher. RP 91. Vinous Antonio Galloni 91. ST 88. "Love this style Pinot" FoodAndWineChickie.com.
- 89+ \$37 **Domaine Drouhin Dundee Hills OR 11.** \$31-\$42 TW&M. \$32 Costco. \$37 K&L. \$42 wine.com. \$45 Sh-L. \$40 MSRP. JR 16.5+ (=90+). ST 89. CellarTracker 88.6 (24 ratings). Not a Best Buy, but we included this one by the great Burgundy producer as a benchmark.

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- 86 \$10 **Mirasou CA 12.** \$7 Costco. \$10 Astor/wine.com. \$7-\$11 wine-searcher. "Simple...basic... really nothing not to like" CostcoWineBlog.com 85. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (153 reviews). "Highly Recommended" HonestWineReviews.com.
- 87+ \$13 **Hahn CA 11.** \$9.49 TW&M. \$10 Safeway. \$13 wine.com. \$14 MSRP. \$10-\$15 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86.7 (74 ratings). Gold SD 13. Gold SFI 12. Silver DA, LA, SFC 13. Bronze DA, IWSC 13. Bronze IWSC, LA, SFC 12. Commended IWC 13.
- 87+ \$14 **Parducci Small Lot Blend Mendocino CA 11.** \$14 K&L/wine.com/MSRP. \$9-\$14 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 87.5 (40 ratings). Gold Orange 13. Silver IWSC 13. Bronze SFI 13. Wine.com 3 stars (9 reviews).
- 88 \$15 **King Estate Acrobat OR 11 (screw cap).** \$15 wine.com. \$16 TW&M. \$20 MSRP. \$14-\$24 wine-searcher. PinotReport 91. W&S 88. WS 88. CellarTracker 85.3 (6 ratings). Bronze SFC 13. **HOT BUY.**
- 89 \$20 **Belle Glos Meiomni Sonoma-Monterey-Santa Barbara, CA 12 (screw cap).** \$20 wine.com/ Safeway/B&M/K&L/TW&M/WhFoods/WClub/Zachys. \$17-\$20 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 88.6 (112). ClubBev Members 5 stars (15 reviews). JJB Members 3.9 stars (13 reviews). WineExpress.com 4.5 stars (965 reviews). Snooth.com 4 stars (3 reviews). "Tremendously appealing – even if it isn't the most terroir driven Pinot Noir" Wellesly WinePress.com. (2011 vintage: Smart Buy WS 92).
- 89 \$20 **Cambria Julia's Vineyard Santa Maria Valley CA 11.** \$17 TW&M. \$20 K&L/wine.com. \$23 Sh-L. \$17-\$26 wine-searcher. "Fabulous wine value" Antonio Galloni 91. CellarTracker 88.2 (32 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (31 reviews).
- 87 \$20 **Francis Ford Coppola Diamond Collection Silver Label Monterey CA 11.** \$13 TW&M. \$15 Safeway. \$18 Target/MSRP. \$20 wine.com. \$9-\$21 wine-searcher. WS 86. CellarTracker 84.6 (12 ratings). Double Gold SFC 13. Silver Bruxelles, Critics, DA, IWSC, LA 13. Bronze SFI 13.
- 88 \$20 **Willamette Valley Vineyards Whole Cluster 2012 (100%; clusters fermented intact).** \$16.44 Safeway. \$20 wine.com. \$22 MSRP. \$16-\$24

wine-searcher. "Best Buy" W&S 90. **WBB 88**. Pinot Report 91. Cellartracker 86 (6 ratings). "Delicious...super easy to drink...lot of character" ReverseWineSnob.com.

- 89 \$24 Gloria Ferrer Carneros CA 10.** \$20 TW&M. \$24 wine.com. \$25 SAQ.com (Quebec). \$28 MSRP. \$20-\$29 wine-searcher. W&S 92. WE 88. ST 88. Double Gold FLakes 13. Silver SFC 13. Bronze DA 13. "Very good...incredible value" PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 89 \$25 Argyle Willamette Valley OR 11 (screw cap).** \$20 TrJ. \$22 Safeway/Zachys. \$25wine.com/MSRP. \$19-\$31 wine-searcher. "Daily Wine Pick" 6/23/11WS 89. Cellartracker 85.7 (43 ratings). Double Gold Oregon Wine Awards 13.Silver LA 13. (2010 vintage: WE 90).
- 89 \$25 Calera Central Coast CA 11.** \$22 K&L/JJB. \$23 TW&M. \$24 Zachys/MSRP. \$25 wine.com. \$19-\$27 wine-searcher. Pinot Report 92. RP 90. WE 85. Cellartracker 88.7 (49 ratings). Asian Palate 86.
- 88 \$25 Chehalem Three Vineyards Willamette Valley OR 10 (screw cap).** \$24 K&L. \$25 wine.com. \$22-\$32 wine-searcher. WS 90. ST 88. WE 88. RP 87. Cellartracker 87.7 (11 ratings). W&S Not Recommended.
- 88 \$25 King Estate OR 11.** \$22 TW&M. \$25 wine.com. \$27 B&M. \$29 MSRP. WS 89. WE 87. Bronze SFC 13.
- 89 \$42 Domaine Drouhin Dundee Hills OR 11.** \$31-\$42 TW&M. \$32 Costco. \$37 K&L. \$42 wine.com. \$45 Sh-L. \$40 MSRP. ST 89. CellarTracker 88.6 (24 ratings). Not a Best Buy, but we included this one by the great Burgundy producer as a benchmark.

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- 87 \$14 Garnet Carneros CA 10 (screw cap).** \$14 Safeway/JJB. \$19 B&M. \$13-\$22 wine-searcher. WE 85. WW 92. Cellartracker 89.2 (11 ratings). **WBB 87+**. Wine of the Week 7/12/12 CuveeCornerBlogspot.com. "Captures more of the pinot essence than most pricey California monsters" *The Columbus Dispatch*.
- 86 \$15 Heron CA 11 (screw cap).** \$15 JJB. \$10-\$13 wine-searcher. WS 83. Cellartracker 87 (1 rating). Silver LA 13. Bronze DA, SFC 13. "Wine Buy of the Week" Cleveland.com 3/12/13.
- 88 \$15+ Domaine Alfred Chamisal Vds Edna Valley CA 07.** \$15.44 JJB (just reduced from \$25). \$30 K&L. \$38 MSRP. \$25-\$36 wine-searcher. CG 88. WS 86. WE 85. Cellartracker 89.4 (25 ratings). JJB 4 stars (145 reviews). Silver SFC 11. Silver SFC 10.
- 89 \$17 Cambria Julia's Vd Santa Maria Valley CA 06.** \$17 JJB. \$21 MSRP. #1 Top 100 Wines of 2009 WE 93. **WBB 88.5**. WN 90. Cellartracker 87.5 (304 ratings). "Very Good" PrinceOfPinot.com. **HOT BUY.**
- 88 \$20 Kendall-Jackson Vintner's Reserve CA 11.** \$15 TW&M. \$17 Safeway. \$20 JJB. \$22 MSRP. \$14-\$22 wine-searcher. RP 88. WE 85. CellarTracker 92 (1 rating).
- 89 \$22 Calera Central Coast CA 11.** \$22 K&L/JJB. \$23 TW&M. \$24 Zachys/MSRP.\$25 wine.com. \$19-\$27 wine-searcher. Pinot Report 92. RP 90. WE 85. Cellartracker 88.7 (49 ratings). Asian Palate 86.
- 90 \$24 Boedecek Athena Willamette Valley OR 09.** \$24 JJB. \$24-\$27 wine-searcher. RP 91. WS 88. ST 88. Cellartracker 90 (6 ratings). "Opulent" WineFolly.com.

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- 87 \$11 McManis Family CA 11.** \$10 K&L/Safeway. \$11 WhFoods/MSRP. \$8-\$11 wine-searcher. LA 93. CellarTracker 88.9 (20 ratings). WE 83. Gold LA 13. Silver SFC, SFI 13. "Great value" examiner.com.
- 86 \$13 Hahn Nicky Hahn CA 12.** \$9 Safeway. \$11 B&M. \$13 WhFoods. \$14 wine.com/Amazon.com/MSRP. \$10-\$14 wine-searcher. **WBB 86**. Cellartracker 81 (2 ratings). Silver Critics Challenge 13. Bronze CA 13. WineExpress.com 4 stars (3 reviews). "Wine of the Week" About.com. "Brilliant Bargain" ReverseWineSnob.com.

- 87 \$16 A to Z Wineworks OR 11 (screw cap).** \$15 Costco/ K&L/TW&M. \$16 WhFoods. \$18 B&M/Zachys.\$19 Sh-L. \$15-\$31 wine-searcher. “Smart Buy” WS 90. ST 87. W&S Not Recommended. CellarTracker 85 (85 ratings). TW&M 4.5 stars (5 reviews). Double Gold Oregon Wine awards 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 88 \$19 Talbott Kali Hart Estate Monterey CA 11 (100%; screw cap).** \$15 TW&M. \$16 K&L/Andys. \$17 Safeway. \$19 WhFoods. \$21 MSRP.\$14-\$25 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 89.3 (4 ratings). PrinceOfPinot.com 88. WineLineOnline.com 90. W&S Not Recommended. Silver LA 13.
- 87 \$19 Sean Minor Four Beats Central Coast CA 10 (100%; screw cap).** \$12 K&L. \$19 WhFoods/MSRP. \$14-\$22 wine-searcher. WE 84. Cellartracker 87.4 (29 ratings). Gold DA 12. Silver CA, SFC 12. Bronze SFI 12. “Good+” PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 89 \$20 Belle Glos Meiom Sonoma-Monterey-Santa Barbara, CA 12 (screw cap).** \$20 Safeway/B&M/K&L/TW&M/WhFoods/WClub/Zachys. \$17-\$20 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 88.6 (112). ClubBev Members 5 stars (15 reviews). JJB Members 3.9 stars (13 reviews. WineExpress.com 4.5 stars (965 reviews). Snooth.com 4 stars (3 reviews). “Tremendously appealing – even if it isn’t the most terroir driven Pinot Noir” Wellesly WinePress.com. (2011 vintage: Smart Buy WS 92).
- 88 \$20 Acacia Carneros CA 11.** \$14 TW&M. \$15 Costco. \$19 Andys. \$20 Safeway/WhFoods/Sh-L. C\$24 BCLS. C\$24 LCBO. \$28 MSRP. \$16-\$42 wine-searcher. **WBB 87.5.** CellarTracker 87 (24 ratings). Gold SFC, SFI 13. Silver SD 13. Bronze DA, LA 13.
- 88 \$22 La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 11.** \$17.79 Costco. \$18 TW&M. \$20 K&L/Cost+/Safeway. \$22 TrJ/WhFoods. \$25 MSRP. ST 89. Cellartracker 87.9 (70 ratings). “Good” PrinceOfPinot.com. “One of the best Pinot Noirs I’ve experienced over the years” HonestWineReviews.com.
- 88 \$26 Deloach Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$20 TrJ/Safeway. \$26 WhFoods. \$24 MSRP. WS 87. **WBB 88.** Double Gold SFI 13. Bronze SFC 13.

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- 87 \$11 Fetzer Crimson Winemaker’s Favorite CA 11.** \$11 Zachys. \$9-\$11 wine-searcher. Silver “Outstanding” IWSC 13. Silver LA 13. Bronze SFI 13.
- 87 \$15 Wyatt CA 10.** \$15 Zachys/Astor. \$18 MSRP. \$14-\$15 wine-searcher. RP 87. Cellartracker 87 (4 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (35 reviews).
- 86+ \$16 Bonterra Certified Organic Grapes Mendocino CA 11.** \$11 Safeway. \$16 Zachys. \$18 MSRP. \$13-\$18 wine-searcher. Gold SD 13. Bronze DA, SFC, SFI 13.
- 87 \$16 Sean Minor Four Bears Central Coast CA 11 (100%; screw cap).** \$12 K&L. \$16 Zachys/MSRP. \$12.75-\$22.50 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 86 (2 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Silver SFC 12. Bronze SFI 13. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (2 reviews). “Decent” PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 87 \$18 A to Z Wineworks OR 11 (screw cap).** \$15 Costco/ K&L/TW&M. \$16 WhFoods. \$18 B&M/Zachys.\$19 Sh-L. \$15-\$31 wine-searcher. “Smart Buy” WS 90. ST 87. W&S Not Recommended. CellarTracker 85 (85 ratings). TW&M 4.5 stars (5 reviews). Double Gold Oregon Wine awards 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 87 \$18 Erath OR 11 (screw Cap).** \$14 TW&M. \$18 Safeway/Zachys/Sh-L. \$20 wine.com. C\$33 BCLS. \$19 MSRP. \$13-\$23 wine-searcher. ST 87. WS 86. Cellartracker 84 (5 ratings). WineReviewOnline.com 88. “10 affordable red wines for summer” The Herald (Everett, WA). “Affordable reds for summer enjoyment” Bellingham Herald.
- 89 \$20 Belle Glos Meiom Sonoma-Monterey-Santa Barbara, CA 12 (screw cap).** \$20 Safeway/B&M/K&L/TW&M/WhFoods/WClub/Zachys. \$17-\$20 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 88.6 (112). ClubBev Members 5 stars (15 reviews). JJB Members 3.9 stars (13 reviews. WineExpress.com 4.5 stars (965 reviews). Snooth.com 4 stars (3 reviews). “Tremendously appealing – even if it isn’t the most terroir driven Pinot Noir” Wellesly WinePress.com. (2011 vintage: Smart Buy WS 92).
- 88 \$20 Sean Minor Carneros CA 10.** \$20 Zachys. \$22 MSRP. \$14-\$23 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 87.8 (44 ratings). Silver Critics Challenge, SFC 12. “Good+” PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 88+ \$21 Ponzi Tavola Willamette Valley OR 11 (screw cap).** \$19.49 TW&M. \$21 Zachys. \$24 K&L. \$25 Sh-L/wine.com/MSRP. WS 88. ST 87. CellarTracker 88.3 (13 ratings). “Wine Pick” ZesterDaily.com. “Outstanding” GreatNorthWestWine.com.

- 90 \$21 Steele Carneros CA 09.** \$18 Winery. 21 Zachys.\$22 ABC. \$18-\$22 wine-searcher. JS 92. Wine-searcher 90. Cellartracker 89 (15 ratings).
- 89 \$22 Argyle Willamette Valley OR 11 (screw cap).** \$20 TrJ. \$22 Safeway/Zachys. \$25wine.com/MSRP. \$19-\$31 wine-searcher. "Daily Wine Pick" 6/23/11WS 89. Cellartracker 85.7 (43 ratings). Double Gold Oregon Wine Awards 13.Silver LA 13. (2010 vintage: WE 90).
- 91 \$23 Balletto Estate Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$22 K&L. \$23 Zachys. \$24 B&M. \$29 MSRP. \$20-\$25 wine-searcher. Cellar Selection WE 92. LA 94. Cellartracker 88 (1 rating). Gold North Coasy Wine Challenge 96 points. Double Gold Best of Class SFC 13. Gold Best of Class LA 13. Gold "Best of Readers' Poll" North Bay Biz Mag.
- 89 \$24 Calera Central Coast CA 11.** \$22 K&L/JJB. \$23 TW&M. \$24 Zachys/MSRP.\$25 wine.com. \$19-\$27 wine-searcher. Pinot Report 92. RP 90. WE 85. Cellartracker 88.7 (49 ratings). Asian Palate 86.
- 88 \$25 St Innocent Villages Cuvee Willamette Valley OR 11.** \$25 Zachys. \$24 MSRP. WS 90. ST 88. Cellartracker 86.8 (14 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (7 reviews).
- 90 \$25 Fess Parker Santa Rita Hills CA 10.** \$18-\$22 TW&M. \$22 Sh-L. \$25 Zachys. \$28 wine.com. \$30 MSRP. "Daily Wine Pick" WS 90. Gold DA 12. Silver SFI 12.
- 88+ \$21 Ponzi Willamette Va OR 11 (not the lesser Tavola label).** \$21 Zachys.\$26 TW&M. \$35 MSRP. \$20-\$35 wine-searcher. ST 88. Cellartracker 88.5 (1 rating). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (71 reviews). "Excellent" GreatNorthWesrWine.com.
- 90 \$29 Knez Anderson Valley CA 11.** \$29 Zachys. \$30 Sh-L. \$32 K&L. \$29 MSRP. \$25-\$33 wine-searcher. ST 90. Vinopedia.com 4.5 stars (22 reviews). (2010 vintage: ST 91. RP 88).
- 90 \$30 Capioux Chimera Sonoma Coast CA 11.**\$28 K&L. \$30 Zachys.\$25-\$32 wine-searcher. RP 91. Vinous Antonio Galloni 91. ST 88. "Love this style Pinot" FoodAndWineChickie.com.

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- 87 \$13 A by Acacia Napa Valley CA 11 (not the better Acacia label below).** \$13 Sh-L. \$15 Safeway. \$16 TW&M. \$17 B&M. C\$ 24 LCBO/BCLS. \$15 MSRP. **WBB 86.** CellarTracker 85 (9 ratings). Double Gold Best of Class SFC 13. Double Gold SFI 12. Silver LA 13. Bronze DA, LA 13
- ?? \$16 Sherry-Lehmann's Vista Verde Vd San Benito Co CA 11** (their own label made by John Dyson, owner of Selyem and Millbrook wineries). \$16 Sh-L. (The Williams Selyem Vista Verde Vd Pinot Noir sells for \$100 at K&L and was rated 92 by ST).
- 89 \$17 Byron Santa Barbara Co CA 11.** \$17 Sh-L. \$20K&L/MSRP. \$17-\$27 wine-searcher. RP 89."Very Good KensWineGuide 89. "Daily Wine Pick" 9/3/13 WS 88. Cellartracker 88 (17 ratings). "Good" PrinceOfPinot.com. **HOT BUY.**
- 87 \$17 Estancia Pinnacles Ranches Monterey Co CA 11.** \$8.49 Target. \$10 TW&M. \$11 Safeway/Rite Aid. \$13 TrJ. \$17 Sh-L. \$16 MSRP. \$10-\$23 wine-searcher. **WBB 86.5.** CellarTracker 87.2 (81 ratings). Silver SFC 13.
- 87 \$18 Erath OR 11 (screw Cap).** \$14 TW&M. \$18 Safeway/Zachys/Sh-L. \$20 wine.com. \$19 MSRP. \$13-\$23 wine-searcher. ST 87. WS 86. Cellartracker 84 (5 ratings). WineReviewOnline.com 88. "10 affordable red wines for summer" The Herald (Everett, WA). "Affordable reds for summer enjoyment" Bellingham Herald.
- 87+ \$17 Fleur de California Carneros CA 11.** \$17 Sh-L. \$18 MSRP. \$13-\$18 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 87.3 (3 ratings). Silver SFC 13.
- 87 \$19 A to Z Wineworks OR 11 (screw cap).** \$15 Costco/ K&L/TW&M. \$16 WhFoods. \$18 B&M/Zachys.\$19 Sh-L. \$15-\$31 wine-searcher. "Smart Buy" WS 90. ST 87. W&S Not Recommended. CellarTracker 85 (65 ratings). Double Gold Oregon Wine awards 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 88 \$20 Acacia Carneros CA 11 (not the lesser A by Acacia above).** \$14 TW&M. \$15 Costco. \$19 Andys. \$20 Safeway/WhFoods/Sh-L. C\$24 BCLS. C\$24 LCBO. \$28 MSRP. \$16-\$42 wine-searcher. **WBB 87.5.** CellarTracker 87 (24 ratings). Gold SFC, SFI 13. Silver SD 13. Bronze DA, LA 13.
- 88 \$20 Acacia Carneros CA 11.** \$14 TW&M. \$15 Costco. \$19 Andys. \$20 Safeway/WhFoods/Sh-L. C\$24 BCLS. C\$24 LCBO. \$28 MSRP. \$16-\$42 wine-searcher. **WBB 87.5.** CellarTracker 87 (24 ratings). Gold SFC, SFI 13. Silver SD 13. Bronze DA, LA 13.
- 88 \$20 Routestock Route 99W Willamette Va OR 10 (95%; screw cap; made by Ponzi Vds).** \$20 Sh-L/wine.com. \$22 MSRP. \$15-\$20 wine-searcher. W&S 90. WS 88. WE 87. Cellartracker 84 (7 ratings).

- 89 \$22 Fess Parker Santa Barbara Co CA 09.** \$22 B&M/Sh-L. \$17.40-\$26 wine-searcher. WE 88. RP 88. Edhat.com 87. Cellartracker 90 (23 ratings). Gold SFI 11. Bronze DA 12.
- 89 \$28 King Estate Signature OR 11.** \$25 wine.com. \$27 B&M. \$28 Sh-L. C\$36 BCLS. \$29 MSRP. \$22-\$30 wine-searcher. WS 89. WE 87. Cellartracker 86 (2 ratings). Double Gold Oregon Wine Awards 13. Bronze SFC 13.
- 89 \$45 Domaine Drouhin Dundee Hills OR 11.** \$31-\$42 TW&M. \$32 Costco. \$37 K&L. \$42 wine.com. \$45 Sh-L. \$40 MSRP. ST 89. CellarTracker 88.6 (24 ratings). We included this one by the great Burgundy producer as a benchmark.

ASTOR, New York City

- 86 \$10 Mirrasou CA 12.** \$7 Costco. \$10 Astor/wine.com. \$7-\$11 wine-searcher. "Simple...basic... really nothing not to like" CostcoWineBlog.com 85. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (153 reviews). "Highly Recommended" HonestWineReviews.com.
- 87 \$15 Wyatt CA 10.** \$15 Zachys/Astor. \$18 MSRP. \$14-\$15 wine-searcher. RP 87. Cellartracker 87 (4 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (35 reviews).
- 88 \$22 Banshee Sonoma Co CA 11.** \$22 Astor. \$23 K&L. \$19-\$30 wine-searcher. ST 89. Cellartracker 87 (9 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (2 reviews).
- 89 \$22 Bishop's Peak San Luis Obispo CA 11 (screw cap).** \$18 K&L. \$20 MSRP. \$22 Astor. \$16-\$25 wine-searcher. ST 90. W&S 89. WE 89. Cellartracker 89.6 (9 ratings).
- 89 \$25 Ransom Selection Willamette Valley OR 10.** \$25 Astor/MSRP. \$17-\$30 wine-searcher. RP 90-91. Cellartracker 88 (5 ratings).
- 89 \$27 King Estate Signature OR 10.** \$27 Astor. C\$36 BCLS. \$29 MSRP. \$20-\$30 wine-searcher. RP 89-91. WS 89. WE 89. Cellartracker 87.7 (19 ratings). Gold DA 12. Wine.com members 4 stars (8 reviews). Recommended Sante 5/12.
- 90 \$28 A Donkey & Goat Helluva Anderson Valley CA 11 (screw cap).** \$28 Astor/K&L. \$28 MSRP. ST 92. Cellartracker 88 (6 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (1 review).

TARGET

- 86 \$5± Target Wine Cube (Trincherio) Pinot Noir CA 11.** \$20/3L Target. Silver LA, SFI 13. "Class Favorite" MomsWhoNeedWine.com. (2010 vintage: Silver SFC 12)
- 87 \$8+ Estancia Pinnacles Ranches Monterey Co CA 11.** \$8.49 Target. \$10 TW&M. \$11 Safeway/Rite Aid. \$13 TrJ. \$17 Sh-L. \$16 MSRP. C\$20 LCBO. \$10-\$23 wine-searcher. **WBB 87.** CellarTracker 87.2 (81 ratings). Silver SFC 13. **HOT BUY.**
- 87 \$8+ Cellar No. 8 (Asti Winery) CA 11.** \$8 TW&M. \$8.49 Target. \$11 MSRP. \$8-\$11 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 85.6 (5 ratings). Gold SFC 13. Silver LA, SFI 13. "Delicious for \$8.50...recommended" WineGuider.com. "Do not miss this wine" Springfield News Leader. **HOT BUY.**
- 86 \$11 Robert Mondavi Private Selection Central Coast CA 11.** \$7 Safeway/TW&M. \$8 Rite Aid. \$11 Target/MSRP. C\$18 BCLS. \$7-\$10.49 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86 (41 ratings). CheapWineRatings.com 86. Bronze SFI 13.
- 87 \$18 Francis Ford Coppola Diamond Collection Silver Label Monterey CA 11.** \$13 TW&M. \$15 Safeway. \$18 Target/MSRP. \$20 wine.com. \$9-\$21 wine-searcher. WS 86. CellarTracker 84.6 (12 ratings). Double Gold SFC 13. Silver Bruxelles, Critics, DA, IWSC, LA 13. Bronze SFI 13.
- 89 \$21 Robert Mondavi Napa Valley Carneros CA 11 (100%).** \$17 TW&M. \$19 Safeway. \$21 Target/MSRP. C\$35 LCBO. \$17-\$29 wine-searcher. W&S 92. ST 89. WS 88. Cellartracker 86 (1 rating).

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- 86 \$8 Robert Mondavi Private Selection Central Coast CA 11.** \$7 Safeway/TW&M. \$8 Rite Aid. \$11 Target/MSRP. \$7-\$10.49 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86 (41 ratings). CheapWineRatings.com 86. Bronze SFI 13.

- 87 \$11 Clos du Bois CA 11.** \$11 Rite Aid. \$12 Safeway/TW&M/ABC. C\$18.25 LCBO. \$20 MSRP. \$12-\$21 wine-searcher. JR 16 (=88). CellarTracker 86.2 (12 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Commended Decanter, IWC 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (16 reviews).
- 87 \$11 Estancia Pinnacles Ranches Monterey Co CA 11.** \$8.49 Target. \$10 TW&M. \$11 Safeway/Rite Aid. \$13 TrJ. \$17 Sh-L. \$16 MSRP. \$10-\$23 wine-searcher. **WBB 86.5.** CellarTracker 87.2 (81 ratings). Silver SFC 13.

ABC Fine Wines & Spirits – online and 150 locations throughout Florida

- 85 \$5+ Barefoot CA nv.** \$4.47 TW&M. \$5.49 ABC. \$6 Safeway. \$7 B&M/ MSRP. **WBB 85.** WE 83. Gold SFI, SFC 13. Gold Riverbend, SFC 12. Bronze LA 12. Not a Best Buy, but we had to benchmark it against all those medals.
- 86 \$9 Robert Mondavi Private Selection Central Coast CA 11.**\$7 Safeway/TW&M. \$8 Rite Aid. \$9 ABC. \$11 Target/MSRP. \$7-\$10.49 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86 (41 ratings). CheapWineRatings.com 86. Bronze SFI 13.
- 86 \$9 Chateau St Jean CA 11** (not the better Sonoma label). **\$9 ABC.** \$10 Safeway. C\$20 LCBP. \$10-\$17 wine-searcher. RP 86. **WBB 86.5.** Snooth.com 3 stars (3 reviews). WineAlign.com 4.2 stars (2 reviews).
- 85 \$9 Red Diamond CA 11.** \$9 ABC. \$10 B&M. \$8-\$12 win-searcher. WW 88. Cellartracker 84.7 (3 ratings). “Pleasant...reasonable for the price” WineHipster.blogspot.com.
- 87 \$10 McManis Family CA 11.** \$10 K&L/Safeway/ABC. \$11 WhFoods/MSRP. \$8-\$11 wine-searcher. LA 93. CellarTracker 88.9 (20 ratings). WE 83. Gold LA 13. Silver SFC, SFI 13. “Great value” examiner.com.
- 87 \$10 Handcraft Artisan Collection CA 11 (76% PinotNoir-9%Tempranillo-6% PetitVerdot-6%Sangiovese-3%PetiteSirah).** \$10 Safeway/ABC. \$11 TW&M. \$13 MSRP.\$10-\$15 wine-searcher. Best Buy BTI 91. CellarTracker 85 (4 ratings). Silver SFI 13. Bronze LA 13. (2010 vintage: Gold SFC 13 & 12)
- 87+ \$10 Little Black Dress CA 10.** \$10 ABC. \$12 MSRP. \$10-\$11 wine-searcher. Gold SFC 13. Gold SFI 12. Silver SD 13. Bronze LA 12. Snooth.com 3 stars (3 reviews). Vinopedia.com 3.5 stars (2 reviews).
- NR \$11 Folie a Deux Menage a Trois CA 11.** \$11 ABC/TW&M/Safeway. \$10-\$20 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 79.4 (8 ratings). Silver CA, Critics, LA 13. Bronze SFI 13.
- 85 \$11 Bogle CA 11.** \$9 Cost+. \$10 TrJ. \$11ABC/ MSRP. \$9-\$17 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 83 (9 ratings). Gold FLakes 13. Bronze DA 13. Not a Best Buy, but included as a benchmark.
- 87+ \$12 La Merika Central Coast CA 11.** \$10 B&M/Cost+. \$12 ABC. \$13 Andys. \$16 MSRP. \$8-\$14 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 86.1 (17 ratings). Gold SFC 13. Silver Challenge, DA,SD, SFI,13. Silver SFC 12. Bronze LA 13. Wine of the Week LaCrosseTribune.com 3-3.5 stars. Recommended SacWineRegion.com.
- 87 \$12 A to Z Wineworks OR 11 (screw cap).** \$12 ABC. \$15 Costco/ K&L/TW&M. \$16 WhFoods. \$18 B&M/Zachys.\$15-\$31 wine-searcher. “Smart Buy” WS 90. ST 87. W&S Not Recommended. CellarTracker 85 (65 ratings). Double Gold Oregon Wine awards 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 87 \$12 Estancia Pinnacles Ranches Monterey Co CA 11.** \$8.49 Target. \$10 TW&M. \$11 Safeway/Rite Aid. \$12 ABC. \$13 TrJ. \$17 Sh-L. \$16 MSRP. \$10-\$23 wine-searcher. **WBB 86.5.** CellarTracker 87.2 (81 ratings). Silver SFC 13.
- 87 \$12 Clos du Bois CA 11.** \$11 Rite Aid. \$12 Safeway/TW&M/ABC. C\$18.25 LCBO. \$20 MSRP. \$12-\$21 wine-searcher. JR 16 (=88). CellarTracker 86.2 (12 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Commended Decanter, IWC 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (16 reviews).
- 86+ \$12 Noble Vines (Delicato) 667 Monterey CA 11.** \$12 ABC. \$15 MSRP. C\$19 LCBO. \$10-\$15 wine-searcher. “Best Buy...Highly Recommended” BTI 86. W&S 83. Cellartracker 86.8 (45 ratings). Gold SD 13. Silver CA, IWSC, SFI 13. Bronze LA, SFC 13.
- 87 \$13 Cline Cool Climate Sonoma Coast CA 10.** \$13 ABC. \$14 Safeway. \$18 MSRP. WS 86. RP 85. Cellartracker 89.1 (11 ratings). Gold SFC 13. Bronze LA 12. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (2 reviews).
- 87 \$14 Kenwood Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$12 Safeway. \$14 ABC. \$16 TW&M. \$19 wine.com. C\$19.60 SAQ. \$18 MSRP. \$11.49-\$20 wine-searcher. W&S 88. CellarTracker 84.2 (12 ratings). Double Gold SFC 13. Gold Critics Challenge 13. Silver SFI 13. Bronze LA 13.

- 87± \$14 Mark West Santa Lucia Highlands CA 10.** \$14 ABC. \$15 K&L. \$19 MSRP. “Best Buy...Exceptional” BTI 92. Cellartracker 85.4 (63 ratings). Gold World Wine Awards (BTI). Silver SFC, SFI 12.
- 87 \$15 Buena Vista Sonoma CA 10.** \$12.49 TW&M. \$15 ABC/MSRP. LA 92. WS 86. CellarTracker 97.5 (9 ratings). Gold Best of Class LA 13. Bronze SFC 13. Bronze SFI 12.
- 87 \$15 Francis Ford Coppola Diamond Collection Silver Label Monterey CA 11.** \$13 TW&M. \$15 Safeway/ABC. \$18 Target/MSRP. \$20 wine.com. \$9-\$21 wine-searcher. WS 86. CellarTracker 84.6 (12 ratings). Double Gold SFC 13. Silver Bruxelles, Critics, DA, IWSC, LA 13. Bronze SFI 13.
- 87+ \$17 Sterling Carneros CA 11.** \$17 ABC. \$20 NapaCabs.com. \$25 MSRP. \$15.22-\$27 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 87 (6 ratings). Gold SFC 13. Silver A, SD 13. Bronze CA, LA 13. bSnooth.com 3 stars (17 reviews).
- 88+ \$17 Hess Select Central Coast CA 10.** \$17 ABC. \$20 MSRP. \$15.60-\$17.40 wine-searcher. Dan Berger 89. Cellartracker 88.3 (6 ratings). Gold GH, SD, SFC, Sunset 13. Silver SFI 13. “Decent” PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 88 \$17 Mark West Carneros CA 10.** \$14-\$24 TW&M. \$17 ABC. \$18 TW&M. \$25 MSRP. \$14-\$24 wine-searcher. BTI 89. Cellartracker 86.5 (2 ratings). Silver BTI, SFI 12.
- 89 \$18 Mark West Russian River Valley CA 10 (not the lesser California label).** \$18 ABC. \$19 Safeway. \$25 MSRP. \$16-\$20 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 88.7(21 ratings) .Exceptional BTI 90. Wine-searcher 89. Gold World Wine Awards (BTI). Double Gold Best of Class SFC 12. Gold SFI 12. Bronze DA, 12.
- 87 \$18 A to Z Wineworks OR 11 (screw cap).** \$15 Costco/ K&L/TW&M. \$16 WhFoods. \$18 B&M/Zachys/ABC. \$19 Sh-L. \$15-\$31 wine-searcher. “Smart Buy” WS 90. ST 87. W&S Not Recommended. CellarTracker 85 (85 ratings). Double Gold Oregon Wine Awards 13. TW&M 4.5 stars (5 reviews). Double Gold Oregon Wine awards 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 88 \$18 Kendall-Jackson Vintner’s Reserve CA 11.** \$15 TW&M. \$17 Safeway. \$18 ABC. \$20 JJB. \$22 MSRP. \$14-\$22 wine-searcher. RP 88. WE 85. CellarTracker 92 (1 rating).
- 89 \$20 Belle Glos Meiom Sonoma-Monterey-Santa Barbara, CA 12 (screw cap).** \$20 Safeway/B&M/K&L/TW&M/WhFoods/WClub/Zachys/ABC \$17-\$20 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 88.6 (112). ClubBev Members 5 stars (15 reviews). JJB Members 3.9 stars (13 reviews. WineExpress.com 4.5 stars (965 reviews). Snooth.com 4 stars (3 reviews). “Tremendously appealing – even if it isn’t the most terroir driven Pinot Noir” Wellesly WinePress.com. (2011 vintage: Smart Buy WS 92).
- 89 \$20 Cambria Julia’s Vineyard Santa Maria Valley CA 11.** \$17 TW&M. \$20 K&L/wine.com/ABC. \$23 Sh-L. \$17-\$26 wine-searcher. ”Fabulous wine value” Antonio Galloni 91. WE 86. CellarTracker 88.2 (32 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (31 reviews).
- 88 \$20 Benton Lane Estate Willamette Valley OR 11 (100%).** \$20 TW&M/ABC. \$22 K&L. \$29 MSRP. \$20-\$28 wine-searcher. ST 87. Silver Oregon Wine Awards 13. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (70 reviews).
- 88 \$20 Byron Estate Santa Maria Valley CA 10.** \$19 TW&M. \$20 ABC. C\$30 SAQ.com (Quebec). \$29 MSRP. \$18-\$29 wine-searcher. ST 88. WE 86. Cellartracker 87.7 (26 ratings). Good Value PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 89 \$20 Rodney Strong Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$17 Safeway. \$18 B&M. \$20 ABC/Andys. \$25 MSRP. WW 89. CellarTracker 89.1 (24 ratings). Platinum SD 13. Gold Critics Challenge 13. Silver LA, SFC 13. Bronze DA 13.
- 87 \$20 Bernardus Monterey Co CA 10.** \$20 ABC. \$25 wine.com. \$24 MSRP. \$17-\$26 wine-searcher. RP 87. Snooth.com 3.5 stars (9 reviews).
- 90 \$22 Steele Carneros CA 09.** \$18 Winery. 21 Zachys.\$22 ABC. \$18-\$22 wine-searcher. JS 92. Wine-searcher 90. Cellartracker 89 (15 ratings).
- 88 \$23 La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 11.** \$17.79 Costco. \$18 TW&M. \$20 K&L/Cost+/Safeway. \$22 TrJ/WhFoods. \$23 ABC. \$25 MSRP. ST 89. Cellartracker 87.9 (70 ratings). “Good” PrinceOfPinot.com. “One of the best Pinot Noirs I’ve experienced over the years” HonestWineReviews.com.
- 88 \$23 Saintsbury Lee Vineyard Carneros CA 10.** \$23 ABC. \$30 Astor. ST 88. Cellartreacker 87.9 (8 ratings). “Highly recommended” *San Francisco Chronicle* 4/26/13.
- 88 \$24 La Crema Monterey CA 11.**\$18 TW&M. \$20 Safeway. \$23 wine.com. \$24 ABC. \$17-\$27 wine-searcher. ST 89. Cellartracker 86.2 (15 ratings). “Good...value priced” PrinceOfpinot.com.

91 \$27 **Maysara Jamsheed McMinville OR 09 (100%; screw cap)**. \$27 ABC. \$28 TW&M. \$28 MSRP. \$24-\$30 wine-searcher. WS 91. RP 91. Cellartracker 88.5 (5 ratings). "Very Good" PrinceOfPinot.com. TW&M 4.3 stars (3 reviews).

91 \$30 **DeLoach Our Finest Selection OFS Russian River Valley CA 10**. \$30 ABC \$38 Sh-L. \$40 MSRP. \$31-\$38 wine-searcher. **WBB 88 & 90**. WE 92. Wine-searcher 92. Gold San Antonio Wine Competition, American Fine Wine Competition. Silver SFC, SFI 13.

QUEBEC, CANADA (SAQ.com)

88 \$16 **La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 11**. C15 BCLS. C\$16 SAQ. C\$17 LCBO. 17.79 Costco. \$18 TW&M. \$20 K&L/Cost+/Safeway. \$22 TrJ/WhFoods. \$25 MSRP. ST 89. Cellartracker 87.9 (70 ratings). "Good" PrinceOfPinot.com. "One of the best Pinot Noirs I've experienced over the years" HonestWineReviews.com. **HOT BUY**.

87 \$19+ **Kenwood Russian River Valley CA 11**. \$12 Safeway. \$16 TW&M. \$19 wine.com. C\$19.60 SAQ. \$18 MSRP. \$11.49-\$20 wine-searcher. \ W&S 88. CellarTracker 84.2 (12 ratings). Double Gold SFC 13. Gold Critics Challenge 13. Silver SFI 13. Bronze LA 13.

86 \$20 **Robert Mondavi Private Selection Central Coast CA 11**. \$7 Safeway/TW&M. \$8 Rite Aid. \$11 Target/MSRP. C\$18 BCLS/LCBO. C\$20 SAQ. C\$20 SAQ. \$7-\$10.49 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86 (41 ratings). CheapWineRatings.com 86. Bronze SFI 13.

89 \$23+ **Cooper Hill Willamette Valley OR 11 (100%; biodynamic)**. C\$23.10 SAQ. US\$18 MSRP. US\$13-\$18 wine-searcher. ST 90. W&S 90. WS 87. Cellartracker 87 (11 ratings).

87 \$25 **Eola Hills OR 11**. C\$25 SAQ. US\$16 MSRP. WS 86. Cellartracker 86.5 (2 ratings). Vinopedia.com 4 stars (12 reviews).

88 \$25+ **Wine By Joe OR 10 (screw cap)**. C\$24 LCBO. C\$25.40 SAQ. US\$19 MSRP. US\$12-\$18 wine-searcher. WS 89. ST 87. PinotReport 87. Cellartracker 85.6 (12 ratings). Gold Critics Challenge 12. Bronze LA 12.

89 \$25+ **Gloria Ferrer Carneros CA 10**. \$20 TW&M. \$24 wine.com. C\$25.60 SAQ. US\$28 MSRP. \$20-\$29 wine-searcher. W&S 92. WE 88. ST 88. Double Gold FLakes 13. Silver SFC 13. Bronze DA 13. "Very good...incredible value" PrinceOfPinot.com.

87 \$26 **A to Z Wineworks OR 10**. C\$26 SAQ. US\$20 MSRP. US\$15-\$25 wine-searcher. WS 89. RP 87. ST 87. WE 85. Cellartracker 85.8 (149 ratings). Bronze LA 12. Commended Decanter 12. "Decent" PrinceOfPinot.com.

88 \$29+ **DeLoach Russian River Valley CA 11**. US\$20 TrJ/Safeway. US\$26 WhFoods. C\$29.15 SAQ. US\$24 MSRP. WS 87. **WBB 88**. Double Gold SFI 13. Bronze SFC 13.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LIQUOR STORES, CANADA (BCLS.com)

88 \$15 **La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 11**. C15 BCLS. C\$16 SAQ. C\$17 LCBO. 17.79 Costco. \$18 TW&M. \$20 K&L/Cost+/Safeway. \$22 TrJ/WhFoods. \$25 MSRP. ST 89. Cellartracker 87.9 (70 ratings). "Good" PrinceOfPinot.com. "One of the best Pinot Noirs I've experienced over the years" HonestWineReviews.com. **HOT BUY**.

87+ \$18 **Lucky Star CA 11**. \$10 B&M/MSRP. C\$18 BCLS. \$8-\$14 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 87.9 (8 ratings). Gold SFC 13. Bronze SFI 13. Recommended SacWineRegion.com.

86 \$18 **Robert Mondavi Private Selection Central Coast CA 11**. \$7 Safeway/TW&M. \$8 Rite Aid. \$11 Target/MSRP. C\$18 BCLS/LCBO. \$7-\$10.49 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86 (41 ratings). CheapWineRatings.com 86. Bronze SFI 13.

87 \$20 **Firesteed OR 11**. \$13 TW&M. C\$20 BCLS. \$11-\$18 wine-searcher. Silver IWSC, Oregon Wine Awards 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (6 reviews).

87+ \$20 **Hahn CA 11**. \$9.49 TW&M. \$10 Safeway. \$13 wine.com. C\$19 LCBO. C\$20 BCLS. \$14 MSRP. \$10-\$15 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86.7 (74 ratings). Gold SD 13. Gold SFI 12. Silver DA, LA, SFC 13. Bronze DA, IWSC 13. Bronze IWSC, LA, SFC 12. Commended IWC 13.

87+ \$20 **Bonterra Certified Organic Grapes Mendocino CA 10**. US\$20 MSRP. C\$20 LCBO/BCLS. US\$13-\$20.58 wine-searcher. WE 86. WS 84.

Cellartracker 89.5 (2 ratings). Silver Critics Challenge, DA, SFC 12. Bronze LA, SFI 12. "Wine of the Week" Wine.About.com.

- 88 \$25 Acacia Carneros CA 11.** \$14 TW&M. \$15 Costco. \$19 Andys. \$20 Safeway/WhFoods/Sh-L. C\$24 BCLS/LCBO. C\$25 SAQ. \$28 MSRP. \$16-\$42 wine-searcher. **WBB 87.5.** CellarTracker 87 (24 ratings). Gold SFC, SFI 13. Silver SD 13. Bronze DA, LA 13.
- 89 \$25 Cooper Mountain Reserve Willamette Valley OR 09.** C\$25.15 BCLS/LCBO/SAQ. US\$25 wine-searcher. RP 90. Cellartracker 88 (10 ratings).
- 86 \$25 Francis Ford Coppola Diamond Collection Monterey CA 10.** C\$ 25BCLS/LCBO. US\$18 MSRP. Cellartracker 84 (15 ratings). Gold SFI 12. Silver LA 12. Bronze IWSC, RS, SFC 12.
- 88 \$29 A to Z Wineworks OR 10.** US\$15 K&L. US\$15-\$17 TW&M. C\$29 BCLS. US\$20 MSRP. US\$14-\$17 wine-searcher. WS 89. RP 87. ST 87. Cellartracker 85.8 (149 ratings). Bronze LA 12.
- 87 \$32 Duck Pond Willamette Valley OR 10.** US\$16 Safeway. C\$32 BCLS. US\$20 MSRP. US\$15-\$25 wine-searcher. ST 87. WS 86. CellarTracker 86.1 (8 ratings). Gold Oregon Wine Awards 13. Silver SFC 13. Silver SFI 12. Bronze SFI 13.
- 87 \$33 Erath OR 11 (screw Cap).** \$14 TW&M. \$18 Safeway/Zachys/Sh-L. \$20 wine.com. C\$33 BCLS. \$19 MSRP. \$13-\$23 wine-searcher. ST 87. WS 86. Cellartracker 84 (5 ratings). WineReviewOnline.com 88. "10 affordable red wines for summer" The Herald (Everett, WA). "Affordable reds for summer enjoyment" Bellingham Herald.
- 90 \$35 J Daan Willamette Valley OR 09.** C\$35 BCLS. US\$20 MSRP. WS 90. RP 90. Cellartracker 88.1 (7 ratings). Vinopedia.com 4.5 stars (4 reviews). One of 14 "Pretty, Impressive Pinots" OregonWinePress.com.
- 88 \$35 The Forager Sonoma Coast CA 11 (screw cap).** US\$20 K&L. US\$30 WhFoods. C\$35 BCLS. US\$25 MSRP. US\$20-\$27 wine-searcher. ST 88. WS 87. Cellartracker 87.5 (2 ratings).
- 89 \$36 King Estate Signature OR 11.** US\$25 wine.com. US\$27 B&M. US\$28 Sh-L. C\$36 BCLS. US\$29 MSRP. US\$22-\$30 wine-searcher. WS 89. WE 87. Cellartracker 86 (2 ratings). Double Gold Oregon Wine Awards 13. Bronze SFC 13.
- 89 \$36 King Estate Signature OR 10.** US\$27 Astor. C\$36 BCLS. US\$29 MSRP. US\$20-\$30 wine-searcher. RP 89-91. WS 89. WE 89. Cellartracker 87.7 (19 ratings). Gold DA 12. Wine.com members 4 stars (8 reviews). Recommended Sante 5/12.
- 88 \$37 Schug Carneros CA 09.** US\$21 B&M. C\$37 BCLS. US\$28 MSRP. WE 87. WW 89. Cellartracker 87.3 (52 ratings). Silver SFI 12. Bronze IWSC, SFC 12. "2013 Best Light Red Wines" Vanc Mag. "Balanced...delicious...very long" TheWineSpies.com.

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- 87 \$15+ DeLoach CA 11.** \$10 Safeway. C\$15.45 LCBO. \$8-\$15 wine-searcher. Silver DA, LA 13. "Great Value" TheSavvyLush.com. Well-known for their Pinots.
- 88 \$17 La Crema Sonoma Coast CA 11.** C\$15 BCLS. C\$16 SAQ. C\$17 LCBO. 17.79 Costco. \$18 TW&M. \$20 K&L/Cost+/Safeway. \$22 TrJ/WhFoods. \$25 MSRP. ST 89. Cellartracker 87.9 (70 ratings). "Good" PrinceOfPinot.com. "One of the best Pinot Noirs I've experienced over the years" HonestWineReviews.com. **HOT BUY.**
- 86 \$18 Robert Mondavi Private Selection Central Coast CA 11.** \$7 Safeway/TW&M. \$8 Rite Aid. \$11 Target/MSRP. C\$18 BCLS/LCBO. C\$20 SAQ. \$7-\$10.49 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86 (41 ratings). CheapWineRatings.com 86. Bronze SFI 13.
- 85 \$18 Aquinas Napa Valley CA 10.** C\$18 LCBO. US\$25 MSRP. US\$11-\$18 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 81.2 (5 ratings). Snooth.com 3.5 stars (2 reviews). Vinopedia.com 3 stars (3 reviews). "Good Value" PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 87 \$18+ Clos du Bois CA 11.** \$11 Rite Aid. \$12 Safeway/TW&M/ABC. C\$18.25 LCBO. \$20 MSRP. \$12-\$21 wine-searcher. JR 16 (=88). CellarTracker 86.2 (12 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Commended Decanter, IWC 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (16 reviews).
- 87+ \$19 Hahn CA 11.** \$9.49 TW&M. \$10 Safeway. \$13 wine.com. C\$19 LCBO. C\$20 BCLS. \$14 MSRP. \$10-\$15 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86.7 (74 ratings). Gold SD 13. Gold SFI 12. Silver DA, LA, SFC 13. Bronze DA, IWSC 13. Bronze IWSC, LA, SFC 12. Commended IWC 13.
- 86+ \$19 Clos du Bois CA 11.** \$11 Rite Aid. \$12 Safeway/TW&M. C\$19 LCBO. \$20 MSRP. \$12-\$21 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 86.2 (12 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Commended Decanter, IWC 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (16 reviews).

- 87 \$19 A By Acacia CA 12.** \$16 TW&M. \$15 MSRP. C\$19 LCBO. US\$11-\$18 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 87 (3 ratings). Bronze SFI 13. Snooth.com 3 stars (26 reviews). "Recommended" TheFrugalWineSnob.com.
- 86+ \$12 Noble Vines (Delicato) 667 Monterey CA 11.** US\$12 ABC. US\$15 MSRP. C\$19 LCBO. US\$10-\$15 wine-searcher. "Best Buy...Highly Recommended" BTI 86. W&S 83. Cellartracker 86.8 (45 ratings). Gold SD 13. Silver CA, IWSC, SFI 13. Silver World wine awards (BTI). Bronze LA, SFC 13.
- 87+ \$20 Bonterra Certified Organic Grapes Mendocino CA 10.** US\$20 MSRP. C\$20 LCBO. US\$13-\$20.58 wine-searcher. WE 86. WS 84. Cellartracker 89.5 (2 ratings). Silver Critics Challenge, DA, SFC 12. Bronze LA, SFI 12. "Wine of the Week" Wine.About.com.
- 88 \$20 Brainstorm OR 10.** C\$20 LCBO. US\$17 MSRP. WS 88. Silver LA 13. Bronze SFC 13.
- 86 \$20 Chateau St Jean CA 11** (not the better Sonoma label). \$10 Safeway. C\$20 LCBO. \$10-\$17 wine-searcher. RP 86. **WBB 86.5.** Snooth.com 3 stars (3 reviews). WineAlign.com 4.2 stars (2 reviews).
- 87 \$20 Estancia Pinnacles Ranches Monterey Co CA 11.** \$8.49 Target. \$10 TW&M. \$11 Safeway/Rite Aid. \$13 TrJ. \$17 Sh-L. \$16 MSRP. C\$20 LCBO. \$10-\$23 wine-searcher. **WBB 87.** CellarTracker 87.2 (81 ratings). Silver SFC 13.
- 89 \$23 Rodney Strong Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$17 Safeway. \$18 B&M. \$20 Andys.C\$23 LCBO. \$25 MSRP. WW 89. CellarTracker 89.1 (24 ratings). Platinum SD 13. Gold Critics Challenge 13. Silver LA, SFC 13. Bronze DA 13.
- 88 \$24 Wine By Joe OR 10 (screw cap).** C\$24 LCBO. C\$25.40 SAQ. US\$19 MSRP. US\$12-\$18 wine-searcher. WS 89. ST 87. PinotReport 87. Cellartracker 85.6 (12 ratings). Gold Critics Challenge 12. Bronze LA 12.
- 87+ \$24 Acacia Carneros CA 11.** \$14 TW&M. \$15 Costco. \$19 Andys. \$20 Safeway/WhFoods/Sh-L. C\$24 BCLS/LCBO. \$28 MSRP. \$16-\$42 wine-searcher. **WBB 87.5.** CellarTracker 87 (24 ratings). Gold SFC, SFI 13. Silver SD 13. Bronze DA, LA 13.
- 87 \$24 Brandborg Benchlands Umpqua Valley OR 08.** US\$20 K&L. C\$24 LCBO. US\$22 MSRP. W&S 87. WS 86. WE 86. Cellartracker 86 (10 ratings). Silver SFC 11. Recommended SFCh 9/26/10.
- 87 \$24 Buena Vista Carneros CA 11.** \$17 TW&M. \$20 Safeway. C\$24 LCBO. \$25 MSRP. C\$26 Quebec. Cellartracker 85 (2 ratings). Silver SFC 13. Bronze DA, SFI 13.
- 87 \$24 A to Z Wineworks OR 11 (screw cap).** \$15 Costco/ K&L/TW&M. \$16 WhFoods. \$18 B&M/Zachys.\$19 Sh-L. C\$24 LCBO. \$15-\$31 wine-searcher. "Smart Buy" WS 90. ST 87. W&S Not Recommended. CellarTracker 85 (85 ratings). TW&M 4.5 stars (5 reviews). Double Gold Oregon Wine awards 13. Bronze LA 13.
- 87 \$25 Planet Oregon (Soter Vds) Willamette Valley OR 11.** C\$25 LCBO. US\$18-\$28 wine-searcher. ST 87. Cellartracker 87 (10 ratings). Wine of the Week 9/7/13 DallasNews.com.
- 87 \$26 Talbott Estate Grown Kali Hart Monterey CA 10 (100%).** US\$15 K&L. C\$26 LCBO. US\$16-\$17 wine-searcher. ST 87. Cellartracker 86.8 (24 ratings). Bronze LA 12. "Decent" PrinceOfPinot.com.
- 89 \$31 Kenneth Volk Santa Maria Cuvee Santa Maria Valley CA 08 (100%).** C\$31 LCBO. US\$28 MSRP. US\$23-\$30 wine-searcher. JS 90. WE 84. JR 16 (=88). Cellartracker 89.5 (22 ratings). Gold Best of Class LA 11. Double Gold FLakes 12. Gold SFC 11. Silver SFI 11. Bronze LA, SFC 10.
- 90 \$32 Soter Vineyards North Valley Willamette Valley PR 09.** C\$32 LCBO. US\$25-\$35 wine-searcher. RP 91. ST 91. WS 87. JR 15 (=84). Cellartracker 88.6 (56 ratings). Vinopedia.com 4.5 stars (9 reviews). Recommended SFCh 10/23/11.
- 89 \$35 Robert Mondavi Napa Valley Carneros CA 11 (100%).** \$17 TW&M. \$19 Safeway. \$21 Target/MSRP. C\$35 LCBO. \$17-\$29 wine-searcher. W&S 92. ST 89. WS 88. Cellartracker 86 (1 rating).
- 89 \$35 Saintsbury Carneros CA 09.** US\$27 TW&M. C\$ 35 LCBO. US\$22-\$35 wine-searcher. WE 90. WS 88. RP 87. Cellartracker 89.1 (23 ratings).
- 88 \$35 Sokol Blosser Dundee Hills OR 10.** C\$35 LCBO. US\$38 wine.com/MSRP. C\$40 BCLS. WS 91. JR 16.5 (=88.5). W&S Not recommended. Cellartracker 87.5 (12 ratings).

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- 87+ \$13 La Merika Central Coast CA 11.** \$10 B&M/Cost+. \$12 ABC. \$13 Andys. \$16 MSRP. \$8-\$14 wine-searcher. Cellartracker 86.1 (17 ratings). Gold SFC 13. Silver Challenge, DA,SD, SFI,13. Silver SFC 12. Bronze LA 13. Wine of the Week LaCrosseTribune.com 3-3.5 stars. Recommended SacWineRegion.com.
- 88 \$14 Don & Sons (Don Sebastiani) Sonoma Coast CA 11 (100%).** \$14 Andys. \$15 TW&M. \$25 MSRP. \$14-\$25 wine-searcher. Platinum SD 13. Silver Critics 13. Bronze DA, LA, SFI 13. **HOT BUY.**
- 87 \$14 Chalone Monterey Co CA 10.** \$11 B&M. \$14 Andys. \$16 MSRP. \$10-\$23 wine-searcher. WE 88. WS 87. Cellartracker 85.1 (25 ratings). Silver DA, SFI 12. Bronze IWSC 13.
- 88 \$16 Talbott Kali Hart Estate Monterey CA 11 (100%; screw cap).** \$15 TW&M. \$16 K&L/Andys. \$17 Safeway. \$19 WhFoods. \$21 MSRP.\$14-\$25 wine-searcher. CellarTracker 89.3 (4 ratings). PrinceOfPinot.com 88. WineLineOnline.com 90. W&S Not Recommended. Silver LA 13.
- 88 \$19 Acacia Carneros CA 11.** \$14 TW&M. \$15 Costco. \$19 Andys. \$20 Safeway/WhFoods/Sh-L. C\$24 BCLS. C\$24 LCBO. \$28 MSRP. \$16-\$42 wine-searcher. **WBB 87.5.** CellarTracker 87 (24 ratings). Gold SFC, SFI 13. Silver SD 13. Bronze DA, LA 13.
- 89 \$20 Rodney Strong Russian River Valley CA 11.** \$17 Safeway. \$18 B&M. \$20 Andys.C\$23 LCBO. \$25 MSRP. WW 89. CellarTracker 89.1 (24 ratings). Platinum SD 13. Gold Critics Challenge 13. Silver LA, SFC 13. Bronze DA 13.
- 90 \$20 Baileyana Grand Firepeak Cuvee Edna Valley CA 10 (screw cap).** \$17 TW&M (Norwalk, CN). \$20 Andys/Ludwigs(San Anselmo, CA). \$16-\$28 wine-searcher. \$30 MSRP. The Tasting Panel 90. Gold LA 13. Wine.com 5 stars (1 review). **HOT BUY.**

Legend and Abbreviations

AGa=Antonio Galloni; AGi=Anthony Gismondi, Vancouver, Canada; AWS=American Wine Society Wine Competition; BCLS=British Columbia Liquor Stores, Canada; B&M=BevMo Beverages & More; BTI=Beverage Testing Institute, Chicago, IL; CA=California State Fair Wine Competition; CG=Connoisseurs Guide; CGV=California Grapevine; Critics=Critics Challenge Wine Competition; DA=Dallas Int'l Wine Competition; East=Int'l Eastern Wine Competition; CT=cellartracker.com; FLakes=Finger Lakes Wine Competition; FTLOP=ForTheLoveOfPort.com; HH=Hilton Head Int'l Wine Competition; Indy=Indiana Int'l Wine Competition; IWC=Int'l Wine Challenge, UK (world's largest wine competition); IWR=Int'l Wine Review; JG=Jamie Goode, WineAnorak.com (UK); JJB=JJ Buckley (online and retail in Oakland, CA); JS=James Suchling, formerly of Wine Spectator; LB=Long Beach Wine Competition; LCBO=Liquor Control Board of Ontario, Canada; Lodi=Lodi Wine Competition; Ludwig's, San Rafael, CA; MRSP=Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price (price at the winery); NM=Natalie MacLean, Ontario, Canada; NR=Not Recommended; NW=New World Int'l Wine Competition; NY=New York Int'l Wine Competition; PR=Pacific Rim Int'l Wine Competition; RP=Robert Parker (Wine Advocate); RS=Riverside Wine Competition; SD=San Diego Wine Competition; SFC=San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition. SFI=San Francisco Int'l Wine Competition; Sh-L=Sherry-Lehmann Wines & Spirits, NY, NY; SN=Sonoma Harvest Fair Wine Competition; ST=Stephen Tanzer; SWJ=Sonoma Wine Journal; TA=TonyAspler.com (Toronto, Canada); TG=Tasters Guild Wine Competition; TOR=Toronto Int'l Wine Competition; TP=The Tasting Panel; TW&M=Total Wines & More (WA,CA, AZ, NV, TX, NJ, DL, ML, VA, NC, SC, GA, FL); TrJ=Trader Joes; WBB=WineBestBuys rating; WBIB=Wine Blue Book; WClub=The Wine Club, San Francisco; WCC=Wine Currents, Canada; WE=Wine Enthusiast; WN=Wine News; WS=Wine Spectator; W&S=Wine & Spirits; WW=Wilfred Wong (BevMo); Wy=Winery; Zachys=Zachys Wine & Liquor, Scarsdale, NY.

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