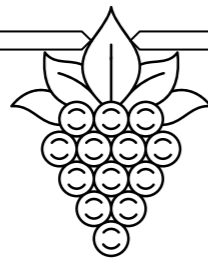


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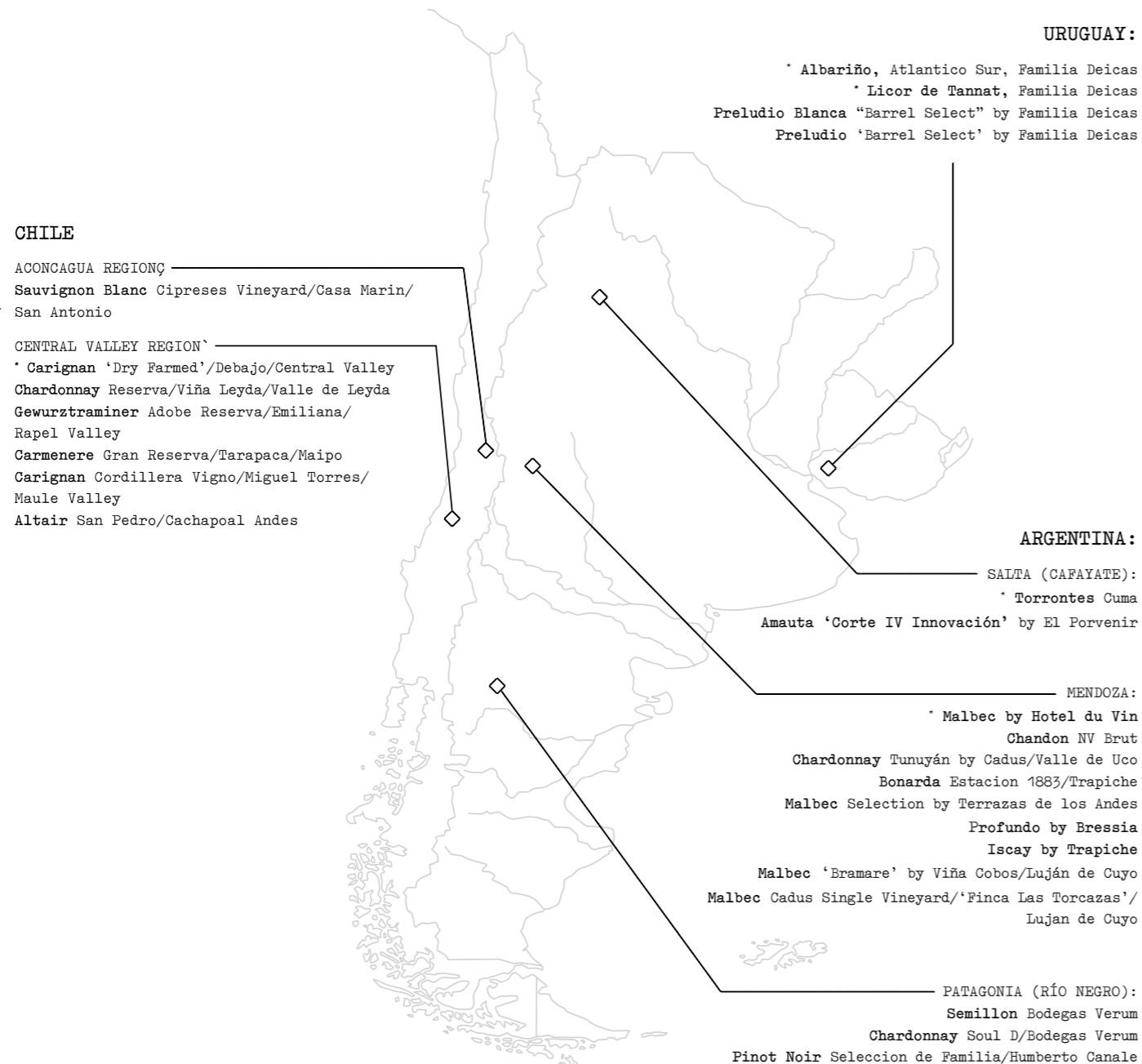
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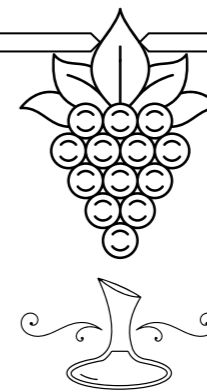
GORAM & VINCENT WINE LIST

Wine; one of the core features of Goram & Vincent at the Avon Gorge Hotel, in the heart of Bristol's stunning Clifton Village. We are here to assist should you wish to explore and discover new varieties. Our expert in-house wine ambassadors and bar teams can draw from a cellar boasting an extensive array of wines, with a particular emphasis on South America, which is the focal point of our cuisine. You will find us passionate, yet unpretentious; enthusiastic, but not elitist.

In the map below you will find an overview of the three primary countries within South American we have focused upon whilst curating this wine list, highlighting the most renowned wine-growing regions. From Familia Deicas, the legendary third generation wine family in Uruguay to the remote and outstanding wine region of Cafayate in Salt Province, Argentina. Then of course several classics from Mendoza in Argentina and the Central Valley in Chile. We have meticulously selected wines from across these three countries, to provide a range of options for all tastes and occasions that harmonise with our dishes on our menu. Complemented by an extensive array of wines, from around the world, from traditional quality Bordeaux and Burgundy through to upcoming regions and producers from the New World.



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



TO DECANT OR NOT TO DECANT?

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

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

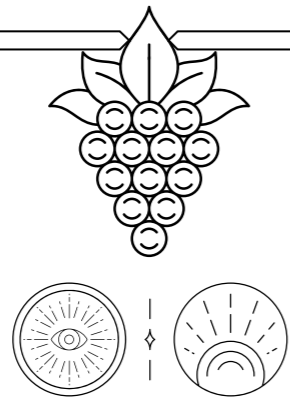
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CHAMPAGNE & SPARKLING WINE

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

WHITE WINE

	glass 175ml	glass 250ml	carafe 500ml	bottle 750ml
MAISON BLANC Anciens Temps/Vin de France	6.95	9.95	18.95	27.95
MUSCADET Sèvre-et-Maine sur Lie La Bretesch/Jérémie Huchet/France	7.95	11.50	22.50	32.95
TORRONTES Cuma/Cafayate/Argentina (Organic)	7.95	11.50	22.50	32.95
PINOT GRIGIO Puiatti/Friuli-Venezia Giulia/Italy	8.95	12.50	24.95	36.95
VIOGNIER Les Iles Blanches/Cellier des Chartreux/IGP Gard/France	9.50	13.50	26.95	39.95
SAUVIGNON BLANC Crowded House/Marlborough/New Zealand	9.50	13.50	26.95	39.95
ALBARIÑO Atlantico Sur/Familia Deicas/Uruguay	10.50	14.95	28.95	42.95
CHARDONNAY Kendall Jackson/Vintners Reserve/California/USA	11.95	16.95	33.50	49.95



### OLD WORLD vs NEW WORLD

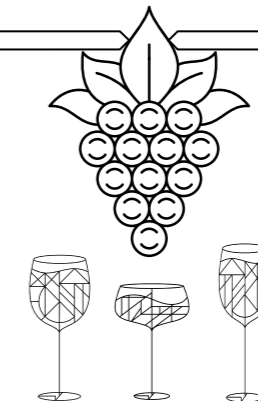
Terms used frequently in the wine world, but what do they really mean? Well, there are a number of differences between New World and Old World wine growing countries and all of them have exceptions to the rules! Primarily most European countries are classed as Old World, since wine making originated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

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RED WINE	glass 175ml	glass 250ml	carafe 500ml	bottle 750ml
MAISON ROUGE Anciens Temps/Vin de France	6.95	9.95	18.95	27.95
NERO D'AVOLA La Segreta/Planeta/Sicily/Italy	7.95	11.50	22.50	32.95
CARIGNAN 'Dry Farmed'/Debajo/Central Valley/Chile	8.95	12.50	24.95	36.95
MALBEC BY HOTEL DU VIN Mendoza/Argentina	9.50	12.95	24.95	37.95
BEAUJOLAIS Brouilly/Louis Tete/France	9.50	13.50	26.95	39.95
BORDEAUX SUPÉRIEUR 'Tradition' Château Penin/France	11.50	15.95	31.50	46.95
PINOT NOIR Seifried Estate/Nelson/New Zealand	11.95	16.95	33.50	49.95
RIOJA RESERVA Lealtanza/Altanza/Spain	12.50	17.95	35.50	52.95

ROSÉ WINE	glass 175ml	glass 250ml	carafe 500ml	bottle 750ml
MAISON ROSÉ Anciens Temps/Vin de France	6.95	9.95	18.95	27.95
ROSÉ SAUVAGE BY HOTEL DU VIN Clare Valley/South Australia	8.95	12.50	24.95	36.95
CÔTES DE PROVENCE Château Gairoird Rosé/France (Organic)	10.50	14.95	28.95	42.95

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



### WINE GLASS SHAPES

The bigger the glass, the better the wine, right? Wrong! The correct wine glass shape and size is more about matching with the style of the wine than the quality of it. For example, a high-acid white wine such as Sauvignon Blanc, no matter what the quality, will always be best enjoyed in a smaller wine glass.

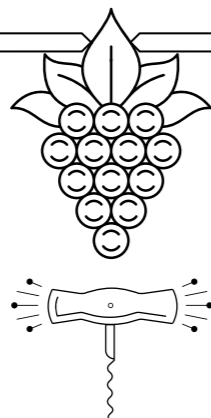
Whereas a Pinot Noir or an oaked Chardonnay should be in a larger more bulbous 'Burgundy' wine glass and a full-bodied red, such as a Cabernet Sauvignon in a tall, larger 'Bordeaux' wine glass.

There are a number of considerations in matching wine style and wine glass shape including the way our nose and sense of smell receive these wines, but the main reason is the consideration of which parts of the tongue, the 'palate', we wish the wine to be received by. The palate has different sections that identify the various elements of the wine. The glass shape helps to position the wine correctly around the palate whilst being drunk, to maximise the enjoyment of that style of wine. So, when wine is served in the correct glass it can make a huge difference to the enjoyment of that wine!

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CHAMPAGNE & SPARKLING WINE	bottle 750ml
JANSZ/CUVEE ROSÉ/NV Tasmania/Australia	56.95
CHANDON NV Brut/Mendoza/Argentina	64.95
LOMBARD/LANC DE NOIR/BRUT NATURE Grand Cru/Verzenay	112.95
LANSON/BLANC DE BLANCS France	129.95
LAURENT-PERRIER VINTAGE France	132.95
GRAND SIÈCLE BY LAURENT-PERRIER France	269.95

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



### CORK vs SCREW CAP

Wine makers have lots of options now on how to seal their wine bottles. Real cork, artificial cork, plastic corks, screw caps, even glass stoppers are all available, but does the choice of stopper really make a difference? There are benefits to various bottle stoppers, so let's look at the top two options. Firstly, real cork has the romance and historical significance and is believed to be very important to the maturing process of wines that need time to age. However, the chances of a faulty wine from a bottle with a real cork is higher! Screw cap wines are more sustainable, cheaper and far less likely to cause a wine fault, but they do not have the same romance and presentation as a cork, nor do they have the same impact on the aging process.

Overall our take on it is that for a wine that does not need to age to improve, such as a high-acid white made to be drunk young and fresh, a screw cap is ideal, but for a wine than needs time to age, such as a premium Bordeaux, we prefer the benefits of real cork.

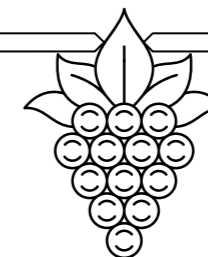
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#### WHITE WINE - SOUTH AMERICA

	bottle 750ml
CHARDONNAY Reserva/Viña Leyda/Valle de Leyda/Chile	36.95
GEWURZTRAMINER Adobe Reserva/Emiliana/Rapel Valley/Chile (Organic)	36.95
SEMILLON Bodegas Verum/Patagonia/Argentina	42.95
CHARDONNAY Soul D/Bodegas Verum/Patagonia/Argentina	62.95
SAUVIGNON BLANC Cipreses Vineyard/Casa Marin/San Antonio/Chile	65.95
CHARDONNAY Tunuyán by Cadus/Valle de Uco/Mendoza/Argentina	67.95
PRELUDIO BLANCA "Barrel Select" by Familia Deicas/Juanico/Uruguay (Chardonnay/Viognier/Pinot Gris blend)	68.95

#### WHITE WINE - REST OF THE WORLD

	bottle 750ml
FLORÃO Quinta da Fonte Souto/Alentejo/Portugal	39.95
GAVI DI GAVI La Minaia/Nicola Bergaglio/Italy	43.95
RIESLING Trimbach/Alsace/France	48.95
ALBARIÑO Lías by Martin Codax/Rías Baixas/Spain	48.95
SEMILLON Vergelegen Reserve/South Africa	49.95
GEWURZTRAMINER Classic/Hugel/Alsace/France	54.95
SANCERRE 'Le Pierrier'/Domaine Thomas/Loire Valley/France	72.95
POUILLY-FUMÉ Villa Paulus/Domaine Masson-Blondelet/Loire Valley/France	74.95
CHABLIS 1ER CRU Montmains/Olivier Tricon/Chablis/France	74.95
CHARDONNAY Patz and Hall/Sonoma Coast/California/United States	94.95
CONDRIEU La Petite Côte/Yves Cuilleron/Rhône Valley/France	102.95
MEURSAULT Bouchard Père & Fils/Burgundy/France	129.95
PULIGNY MONTRACHET Domaine Pernot Belicard/Burgundy/France	132.95



### GORAM & VINCENT SIGNATURE SELECTION

#### RED WINE - SOUTH AMERICA

	bottle 750ml
CARMENERE Gran Reserva/Tarapaca/Maipo/Chile	38.95
BONARDA Estacion 1883/Trapiche/Mendoza/Argentina	42.95
CARIGNAN Cordillera Vigno/Miguel Torres/Maule Valley/Chile	48.95
AMAUTA 'CORTE IV INNOVACIÓN' by El Porvenir/Cabernet Franc/Malbec blend/Cafayate/Argentina	57.95
MALBEC Selection by Terrazas de los Andes/Mendoza/Argentina	58.95
PINOT NOIR Seleccion de Familia/Humberto Canale/Patagonian/Argentina	62.95
PROFUNDO BY BRESSIA Malbec/Cabernet Sauvignon/Merlot & Syrah blend/Mendoza/Argentina	68.95
PRELUDIO 'Barrel Select' by Familia Deicas/Tannat/Bordeaux blend/Juanico/Uruguay	76.95
ISCAY BY TRAPICHE Malbec/Cabernet Franc blend/Mendoza/Argentina	78.95
MALBEC 'Bramare' by Viña Cobos/Luján de Cuyo/Mendoza/Argentina	89.95
MALBEC Cadus Single Vineyard/'Finca Las Torcasas'/Lujan de Cuyo/Mendoza/Argentina	92.95
ALTAIR San Pedro/Cabernet Sauvignon/Bordeaux blend/Cachapoal Andes/Chile	

#### RED WINE - REST OF THE WORLD

	bottle 750ml
SPÄTBURGUNDER Trocken/Messmer/Germany	45.95
SHIRAZ The Riebke, Teusner/Barossa Valley/South Australia/Australia	54.95
ALTITUDES RED Ixsir/Lebanon	54.95
ZINFANDEL Edmeades/Mendocino County/California/USA	56.95
CABERNET SAUVIGNON Thelema/Western Cape/South Africa	62.95
RIOJA Reserva/Unica/Sierra Cantabria/Spain	68.95
MARANGES 1ER CRU La Fuisse/Burgundy/France	74.95
CHATEAUNEUF DU PAPE Domaine Chante Cigale/Southern Rhône/France	76.95
AMARONE Della Valpolicella/Reius/Sartori/Italy	88.95
MARGAUX Château Tayac/Bordeaux/France	92.95
PINOT NOIR Adelsheim/Willamette Valley/Oregon/USA	99.95
SAINT-ÉMILION GRAND CRU Château Tour Baladoz/Bordeaux/France	102.95
CABERNET SAUVIGNON Palermo by Orin Swift/Napa Valley/California/USA	104.95
MAS LA PLANA Cabernet Sauvignon/Familia Torres/Penedès/Spain	106.95
POMEROL Château Mazeyres/Bordeaux/France	112.95
CHASSAGNE-MONTRACHET Thomas Morey/Rouge Vieilles Vignes/Burgundy/France	114.95
BAROLO Proprietà Fontanafredda/Fontanafredda/Italy	119.95
GEVREY-CHAMBERTIN Joseph Drouhin/Burgundy/France	129.95
CÔTE RÔTIE Guigal/Brune et Blonde/Rhône Valley/France	134.95
SAINT-JULIEN Château Talbot/Grand Cru Classé/Bordeaux/France	149.95