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# ARGENTINA

## MENDOZA



QUATTROCCHI

*family & wines*

**Bodega Quattrocchi** **NEW**

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Originally from Italy, the Quattrocchi family founded their eponymous bodega in the 1970's. Now in the hands of their youngest daughter, Micaela, we believe this constantly modernising estate is currently one of Argentina's most exciting and best-value wineries and we are delighted to be introducing their range to the UK.

Situated in the foothills of the Andes, the vineyards occupy a plateau some 800m above sea level. The resulting wide variation in temperature between summer and winter months allows for optimum aroma and flavour development and preserves acidity. This is evident on tasting the wines which are packed full of fruit whilst retaining elegance and freshness.

			<i><b>Bottle Size</b></i>	<i><b>Case Size</b></i>
<b>WHITE</b>				
9135	Chenin Blanc	2010	75cl	12
9136	Torrontes	2010	75cl	12
<b>ROSE</b>				
9144	Barbera Rosé	2010	75cl	12
<b>RED</b>				
9139	Malbec Varietal	2008	75cl	12
9137	Barbera Varietal	2008	75cl	12
9138	Cabernet Sauvignon/Syrah Varietal	2008	75cl	12
9141	Malbec Reserva	2007	75cl	12
9140	Barbera Reserva	2007	75cl	12
9143	Bonarda Reserva	2007	75cl	12
9142	Syrah Reserva	2007	75cl	12
9145	Barbera Grand Reserva	2007	75cl	12
9146	Cabernet Sauv/Syrah Grand Reserva	2007	75cl	12
<b>SWEET</b>				
9147	Mistela (Moscatel Rosado)	2008	50cl	12

## ARGENTINA

### MENDOZA



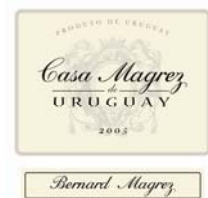
#### La Bienvenida

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Casa Magrez is situated in the historic area of Perdriel, home to the first vineyards planted in the Mendoza region in the 16<sup>th</sup> century and renowned for its outstanding Malbecs. At an altitude of 1000 metres, it offers an unrestricted view of the Cordon del Plata.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>RED</b>				
9054	Malbec La Bienvenida	2002	75cl	6

## URUGUAY



#### Casa Magrez, Juanico

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A blend of 60% Tannat (Uruguay's flagship grape variety) with 20% Cabernet Franc and 20% Merlot.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>RED</b>				
9058	Casa Magrez de Uruguay	2005	75cl	6

## FRANCE

### ALSACE



#### Domaine Jean-Marie Haag

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Husband and wife team Jean-Marie and Myriam Haag run this domaine, based in the village of Soultzmatt in the heart of the historic Vallée Noble. The vineyards here are ideally located, sheltered by the Vosges mountains from westerly winds and summer storms, and enjoy a warm, sunny growing season and cool nights. Yields are kept low to maximise quality and flavour, with grapes harvested by hand over a period of one month and bunches pressed whole.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>SPARKLING</b>				
9009	Crémant d'Alsace	NV	75cl	6
<b>WHITE</b>				
9003	Pinot Blanc Vallée Noble	2007	75cl	6
9005	Riesling Vallée Noble	2008	75cl	6
9006	Pinot Gris Vallée Noble	2007	75cl	6
9007	Gewurztraminer Vallée Noble	2008	75cl	6
9010	Pinot Gris Breitenberg	2007	75cl	6
<b>ROSE</b>				
9008	Pinot Noir Rosé	2008	75cl	6

## LOIRE



### Domaine André & Edmond Figeat

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			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>WHITE</b>				
9012	Pouilly Fumé Millésime	2008	75cl	6
9013	Pouilly Fumé Cuvée Prestige	2008	75cl	6



### Domaine de la Voltonnerie

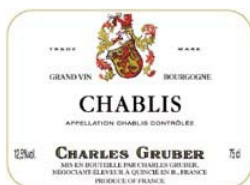
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			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>WHITE</b>				
9011	Sancerre Blanc	2008	75cl	6

## BORDEAUX

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>WHITE</b>				
9051	Château Laubes	2007	75cl	6
9052	Château Fombrauge	2006	75cl	6
9053	Château La Tour Carnet	2004	75cl	6
<b>ROSE</b>				
9121	Bordeaux Rosé Premium	2009	75cl	6
<b>RED</b>				
9075	Château Bois Pertuis, Bordeaux	2006	75cl	12
9033	Château Haut Mouleyre, Bordeaux	2004	75cl	6
9042	L'Egrégore Bernard Magrez, Bordeaux	2002	75cl	6
9034	Château Saint Genès, Premières Côtes de Blaye	2006	75cl	6
9035	Pérenne-Magrez, Premières Côtes de Blaye	2006	75cl	6
9090	La Croix-Pérenne, Premières Côtes de Blaye	2005	75cl	6
9124	Château de la Haute Libarde, Côtes de Bourg	2007	75cl	6
9092	Château Guerry-Magrez, Côtes de Bourg	2006	75cl	6
9130	Château Les Vieux Ormes, Lalande de Pomerol	2007	75cl	6
9128	Château Taillefer, Pomerol	2003	75cl	6
9125	Château Lapelletrie, St Emilion Grand Cru	2006	75cl	6
9039	Le Cadran du Ch. Fombrauge, St Emilion Grand Cru	2004	75cl	6
9061	Château Fombrauge, St Emilion Grand Cru	2002	75cl	6
9037	La Marquise du Château Tour Blanche, Médoc	2004	75cl	6
9038	Excellence de Château Tour Blanche, Médoc	2006	75cl	6
9063	Château Les Grands Chênes, Médoc	2006	75cl	12
9043	Magrez Tivoli, Médoc	2004	75cl	6
9041	Sire du Château la Tour Carnet, Haut Médoc	2004	75cl	6
9062	Château La Tour Carnet, Haut Médoc	2004	75cl	12
9127	Château Padarnac, Pauillac	2006	75cl	6
9126	Château d'Arsac, Margaux	2006	75cl	6
9129	Château Pouget, Margaux	2006	75cl	6
9040	Château Poumey, Pessac-Léognan	2004	75cl	6
9059	Château Pape Clément, Graves	2002	75cl	12
<b>SWEET</b>				
9064	'Le Sauternes de Ma Fille', Château Latrezotte	2005	75cl	6

## BURGUNDY



### Charles Gruber, Chablis

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			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>WHITE</b>				
9065	Chablis	2008	75cl	6

## LANGUEDOC-ROUSSILLON



### Bernard Magrez

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Bernard Magrez is now the owner of thirty-five different vineyards over eight countries, predominantly in Bordeaux and the Languedoc-Roussillon. Size, however, does not mean any lack of individuality; each vineyard produces an entirely unique wine, with techniques employed that are appropriate for each site's history, soil and terroir.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>RED</b>				
9045	Cuvée Leo Domaine Oustric, VdP Cité de Carcassonne	2005	75cl	6
9091	Domaine de la Tranquillité, Vin de Pays d'Oc	2006	75cl	6
9046	Si Mon Père Savait, Côtes du Roussillon	2005	75cl	6
9048	La Passion d'une Vie, Côtes du Roussillon	2005	75cl	6
9049	Mon Seul Rêve, Côtes du Roussillon	2005	75cl	6
9047	En Silence, Saint Chinian	2005	75cl	6

## RHONE VALLEY



### Château Noël St-Laurent

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This beautiful property originally dates back to the 13<sup>th</sup> century, a gift from the Pope to the Carthusian monks and a regular stop-over for pilgrims travelling to St Jaques de Compostelle. The Chateau became the property of the Earl de Felix family in the late 18<sup>th</sup> century, before being taken over by the Noel family in the 1940's. Husband and wife team Didier and Brigitte Noël use traditional, organic methods to cultivate wines across the estate's 40 hectares and four different soil types. Biodiversity is encouraged and grapes are harvested by hand, either at night or early morning to benefit from the cooler temperatures.

The Côtes du Rhône Blanc is an intense, apricot-charged expression of Viognier (with a small proportion of Marsanne and Bourboulenc), and the red a typically warm, spicy blend of Grenache, Syrah and Mourvèdre. The 'Matador', with a higher percentage of Mourvèdre, is an intensely concentrated wine from the oldest vines on the estate.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>WHITE</b>				
9016	Côtes du Rhône Blanc	2007	75cl	6
<b>RED</b>				
9014	Côtes du Rhône Rouge	2005	75cl	6
9015	Côtes du Rhône 'Matador'	2004	75cl	6



### Domaine Saint Luc

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Domaine St Luc covers just 32 hectares of vineyards in the Drôme region of Provence, land of lavender and truffles. This manageable size means that owners Stéphan Hémard and Rémi and Estelle Cook are able to keep tight control over their production and ensure the continuing quality of their wines. The vineyards span three appellations of the Southern Rhône – Côtes du Rhône, Côtes du Rhône Villages and Côteaux du Tricastin. However, to avoid growing on too many soil types, sites are limited to small and select sections of these.

From the Tricastin, the Cuvée Emiliane is a feminine blend of Grenache and Syrah and their signature 'Excellence' a subtle assembly of old vine Syrah and Viognier. The slopes of the Côtes du Rhône are much warmer, and this is reflected in the hearty, fruit-filled spice of the old-vine Escale Sérine.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>RED</b>				
9017	Cuvée Emiliane, Côteaux du Tricastin	2005	75cl	6
9119	L'Escale Sérine, Côtes du Rhone Villages	2005	75cl	6
9118	L'Excellence de Saint Luc, Côteaux du Tricastin	2005	75cl	6

## ITALY

### PIEDMONT



			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>WHITE</b>				
3131	Gavi Villa Baglio Malgra	2009	75cl	6
3132	Gavi di Gavi Montebastia	2009	75cl	12



*Parusso*

Parusso **NEW**

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Cantina Parusso is located on the Bricco Rovella hill, in the hamlet of Bussia. Twenty-two hectares of vineyards nestle in Bussia, Ornati, Mosconi, Le Coste, Mariondino and Villero. The family have been making wine for four generations, their sole aim to produce great wines prized for their delicacy and elegance.

This pursuit of perfection begins in the vineyards, where all work is carried out by hand and Marco Parusso has been practicing elements of biodynamism for years. The result is wines of great character that reflect their individual *terroir*, all displaying fantastic freshness and purity of fruit.

We will be adding the Langhe Bianco and Dolcetto d'Alba to our portfolio in the New Year.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>RED</b>				
9148	Barbera d'Alba Ornati	2009	75cl	12
9149	Langhe Nebbiolo	2008	75cl	12
9150	Barolo DOCG	2006	75cl	6

## TRENTINO – ALTO ADIGE

# Aneri

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Giancarlo Aneri is one of Italy's most visible, charismatic and successful entrepreneurs, Aneri wines, headquartered in Giancarlo's native Veneto region, was founded in 1994, originally as a joint venture with famed Anglo-Italian hotelier Sir Rocco Forte, and Cellars Valdobbiadene, representing key local growers in Veneto.

Aneri's elegant Prosecco already enjoys widespread recognition and success, a staple at many of Italy's most important events and on wine-lists at some of the world's finest Italian restaurants.

Their Leda Bianco, a blend of Pinot Bianco, Chardonnay, Sauvignon and Muller Thurgau, although less well-known, can count itself amongst Alto-Adige's finest white wines. The freshness of the Pinot, body of the Chardonnay, and fruit and aromatics from the Sauvignon and Muller Thurgau result in an elegant yet full-bodied white. A perfect food wine.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>WHITE</b>				
9030	Leda Bianco	2007	75cl	6

## VENETO



VALDOBBIADENE

### Bellussi Valdobbiadene

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Bellussi was taken over by the Martellozzo family in 1993. Under the guidance of a young Enrico Martellozzo, the new company took the name of Bellussi Valdobbiadene, to emphasise its link with the tradition of that region.

The three Bellussi wines are all 'spumante' (fully sparkling) and based on the indigenous Prosecco grape variety. The Brut and Extra Brut are both 100% Prosecco whilst the Grande Cuvée also blends in smaller percentages of Chardonnay, Riesling and Pinot Bianco.

Belcanto is winemaker Francesco Adami's premium range, made from careful selection of base wines and fruit from the best sites and available in more limited quantities. The Millesimato is a blend of Prosecco and Chardonnay, the Rosé 100% Pinot Nero.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>SPARKLING</b>				
9025	Bellussi Grande Cuvée	NV	75cl	6
9024	Bellussi Brut	NV	75cl	6
9023	Bellussi Extra Dry	NV	75cl	6
3730	Belcanto Millesimato	NV	75cl	6
3731	Belcanto Cuvée Rosé	NV	75cl	6

## TUSCANY



## Beloggio

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Having enjoyed considerable success with Bellussi for many years, Enrico Martellozzo and his wife Renata purchased this 10 hectare Tuscan estate in 2005 to pursue their dream of making a red wine. With a wonderful view over the d'Orcia Valley, 5 hectares of land are given over to Sangiovese vines, and the restored winery fitted out with the most modern vinification equipment.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>RED</b>				
9027	Rosso di Montalcino	2007	75cl	6
9026	Brunello di Montalcino	2004	75cl	6

## CAMPANIA

DONNACHIARA



## DonnaChiara **NEW**

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Avellino is a region of breath-taking beauty. Mountains sit alongside sweeping plains, rivers and lakes; villages built high on the rocks seem to float in mid-air. Water is plentiful and the flora colourful and diverse. The area is ideal for the cultivation of vines - the red Taurasi (nicknamed 'The Barolo of the south'), Fiano and Greco are rated amongst Italy's most distinguished wines.

The Petitto family have owned vines here since the 1800's, making wine for their own consumption, but production only began in earnest in 2005, with the construction of a state-of-the-art winery by Umberto and Chiara Petitto. Their passion was passed on to their daughter Ilaria, now spokesperson for the estate, who represents the fifth generation of winemaking in the family.

Quality lies at the heart of their philosophy, achieved by careful management of their own vineyards, advanced wine-making and storage technology and meticulous attention to detail at all stages of the process. Their aim is to preserve the character and individuality of each variety, combining generations of knowledge and experience with the entrepreneurial spirit typical of the family.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>WHITE</b>				
9087	Fiano di Avellino DOCG	2009	75cl	6
9088	Greco di Tufo DOCG	2009	75cl	6
<b>RED</b>				
9093	Irpinia Aglianico DOC	2007	75cl	6
9094	Taurasi DOCG	2006	75cl	6

## CALABRIA



### Tenuta Iuzzolini **NEW**

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Cirò has ancient roots and could even lay claim to being the oldest wine in the world. The Ancient Greeks settled along the Calabrian coast in the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> century BC, bringing their winemaking skills with them. The wine was praised by Pliny The Elder, and local legend has it that Cirò descended directly from Krimisa, the wine Calabrian athletes drank to celebrate victories in an early Olympiad. Despite such a long history, there are now only a dozen or so producers of Cirò. Red wines must be made from a minimum of 95% of the local Gaglioppo grape, a variety low in colour and tannin. Extracting enough of each to produce a quality wine requires modern (and expensive!) temperature controlled equipment, an investment which few producers in the area are willing to make. The Iuzzolini family are an exception. The family has been well-known in Calabria since the early 16<sup>th</sup> century but only began making wine in 2005, following the construction of a state-of-the-art winery. Their wines are bursting with bright fruit, freshness and character.

We are currently listing just three from the range but hope to add more, including a Rosé, to our portfolio early next year. These are ideal by-the-glass and food wines, and offer remarkable value for money.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>WHITE</b>				
9077	Cirò Bianco	2009	75cl	6
<b>RED</b>				
9078	Cirò Rosso	2009	75cl	6
9079	Cirò Rosso Principe Spinelli	2009	75cl	6

## SPAIN

### TORO



#### Paciencia

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Toro has a long history of winemaking. For as long as records exist, the region has been renowned for big, rich wines with high alcohol and hefty tannins – characteristics that gave them longevity in more primitive times, when modern preservation techniques were not available. Legend has it that Christopher Columbus took these wines with him on his voyages.

It is perhaps for this reason that Toro remains relatively obscure, the region being associated with 'rough and ready' traditional wines. However, in the last 10-15 years, all this has been changing, with the introduction of modern winemaking equipment and techniques and more fruit-driven wine styles, making this one of Spain's most exciting emerging regions. Indeed, many producers in nearby Ribera del Duero are buying up vineyards here and the wines can rival those of Priorat.

Red wines must be made from at least 75% Tinta de Toro (elsewhere known as Tempranillo), but the best tend to be 100%. The grape is naturally thick skinned and ripens early in the heat, giving rich, ripe, concentrated wines with high alcohol and tannin.

The Paciencia is 100% Tinta do Toro, some of the fruit coming from vines as much as 100 years old. This results in a big, intense and structured wine packed with ripe, sweet fruit and aromas of cocoa and mint leaves. However, skilful handling in the winery ensures freshness and elegance are retained.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>RED</b>				
9056	Paciencia	2004	75cl	6

### PRIORAT



#### Herencia del Padri

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Owner Bernard Magrez believes this vineyard to be one of the best purchases he has ever made, ranking it with some of his great Bordeaux wines. It is easy to see why. Concentrated, lush and sweet, with a complex aroma of cocoa, aniseed, spice, and almost liqueur-like red fruits, this is classic Priorat.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>RED</b>				
9055	Herencia del Padri	2004	75cl	6

## SPAIN

### RIBERA DEL DUERO



#### Bodegas Linaje Garsea

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Linaje Garsea is an entirely family-owned and run estate, now in the hands of the second generation of the Garcia family. Their commitment to quality means that the seven of them alone control all aspects of production, from viticulture and harvest through to vinification and bottling, ensuring meticulous attention to detail at all stages of the process.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>RED</b>				
9031	Ribera del Duero Joven	2008	75cl	6
9066	Tinto Roble	2008	75cl	6
9021	Ribera del Duero Crianza	2006	75cl	6
9020	Ribera del Duero Reserva	2004	75cl	6

## MOROCCO



#### Bernard Magrez

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Morocco's modern wine history really began at the beginning of the 20<sup>th</sup> century under French colonisation. The Moroccan wine regions, which had been ravaged by phylloxera, were rebuilt using grape varieties from the South of France.

The Kahina vineyard is situated just a few miles from Meknes, 600m above sea level in the foothills of the Atlas Mountains; most of Morocco's finest wines are produced here. The wine is a blend of Syrah and Grenache, from vines over 30 years old; yields are naturally low and, to respect the quality of the fruit, nearly all operations are carried out by hand. Fermentation takes place in traditional wooden barrels and the wine is matured in French barrels for a further 15 months before bottling.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>RED</b>				
9057	Kahina	2005	75cl	6

## LEBANON



### Château Belle-Vue, Bhamdoun

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In the early part of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, the village of Bhamdoun became renowned for its healthy climate, and a rush of tourism began. The very first of all hotels in the region was Hotel Belle-Vue, built by Naji Boutros' maternal grandfather, and became Naji's home as a child. However, in 1983, Bhamdoun was caught in the crossfire as the war in Lebanon found a new front in the mountains and dozens of families were forced to flee. It was only 20 years later that they began to return and rebuild their shattered community. After many years studying and working abroad, Naji and his wife Jill relocated to Lebanon, their intention to initiate a project which could help revive a deflated local community. Naji recognised the potential in Bhamdoun and, in the spring of 2000, the site of the old hotel Belle-Vue became the first to be planted with vines - Chateau Belle-Vue was born.

Chateau Belle-Vue works in partnership with the community to produce an excellent small-production, hand-crafted vintage - creating meaningful social change in the while producing organically grown, award-winning wines. All grapes are grown in their valley, harvested by friends and neighbours, and processed on site using traditional methods. The wine is then left to age in premium oak barrels which rest in ancient cellars beneath local homes.

These are serious wines of tremendous power and concentration, and considerable ageing potential.

			<i>Bottle Size</i>	<i>Case Size</i>
<b>RED</b>				
9028	La Renaissance (Merlot/Cabernet Sauvignon)	2005	75cl	6
9029	Le Château (Cabernet Franc/Syrah)	2005	75cl	6

## LEBANON cont...



### Château Khoury

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This family-owned estate owes its existence to the passion of Raymond and Brigitte El Khoury, who planted the first vines there in 1995. The winery was built several years later in 2002, and finished in time for the first vintage in 2004. Winemaker Jean-Paul Knoury joined his parents in 2005, having completed a degree in oenology at the University of Reims.

The Chateau enjoys a privileged location on the eastern foothills of the Lebanese mountains, at an altitude of 1300 m. This ensures a cooler climate than the Bekaa Valley and, therefore, a slower ripening period – resulting in wines with fresher acidity and greater complexity of flavours. Vineyard acreage is currently only 13 ha, the family preferring to focus their efforts on making high-quality wines that express the character of their terroir. And they are succeeding. Despite the youth of the estate, Jean-Paul is clearly one of the country's rising stars. His talent, allied to their uncompromising dedication to quality and meticulous vineyard management, have already won the Chateau many admirers.

Vine selection was carried out in consultation with several leading oenologists. During initial ploughing, many old vine stocks were found; to these were added the 'noble' red varieties Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Syrah and Cabernet Franc, followed by varieties traditionally cultivated in Alsace - Pinot Noir, Pinot Gris, Gewürztraminer and Riesling. Château Khoury is the first estate to introduce these varieties to Lebanon. Two more parcels are planted with Chardonnay and Caladoc.

The white wine is a blend of three varieties, Chardonnay, Riesling and Gewürztraminer, each adding a specific character; the resulting wine possesses a wide pallet of aromas and good freshness.

				<i>Bottle Size</i>
<b>WHITE</b>				
9000	Rêve Blanc (Chardonnay/Gewurz/Riesling)	2008	75cl	6
<b>RED</b>				
9001	Cuvée Sainte Thérèse (Pinot Noir/Caladoc)	2005	75cl	6
9002	Symphonie (Cab Sauv/Cab Franc/Merlot/Syrah)	2005	75cl	6