

Robb Report

The 9 Best Champagnes to Pop at Your New Year's Eve Celebration

This luxurious list of bubbly can help you kick off the festivities.



New Year's Eve is the time to pull out all the stops, and whether you are celebrating your successes in the year that just passed or staking your claim that the new year will be your best ever, a great bottle of Champagne will mark the turning of the clock in style. We've included a couple of Blanc de Blancs, made with 100 percent Chardonnay, a smattering of non-vintage and a handful of single vintage bottles made by top-tier houses in the best years. Of course, no selection of Champagne would be complete without a couple of pink sparklers for those who love to live *la vie en rose*.

Bollinger Grande Année 2014



This exceptional Champagne is a blend of 61 percent Pinot Noir and 39 percent Chardonnay sourced only from Grand Cru and Premier Cru villages. It was fermented in neutral oak barrels and hand riddled while it rested on its lees. In the glass, the bubbly has impressive mousse and delicate perlage with aromas of Winesap apple, Bartlett pear and freshly baked bread. In the mouth, meanwhile, it has great finesse as well as impressive length in the finish.

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