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14 DELICIOUS BOURGOGNE (BURGUNDY) WINES FROM FIVE DIFFERENT REGIONS

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After recently visiting multiple producers and tasting 130 wines from the Bourgogne region in France, I selected the following 14 bottles from five of its wine producing sub-regions based on their overall quality and value.

This renowned French wine region is now pressing to be called Bourgogne rather than its English translation of Burgundy (or Italian translation of Borgogna). The reasons are varied, including that most names of other French wine regions are not translated, and—intriguingly—that the color referred to as ‘Burgundy’ in English is called ‘Bordeaux’ in France and Italy.

LOUIS LATOUR BOURGOGNE PINOT NOIR 2022

Louis Latour, a venerable estate that has been in business since 1797, produces not only wines from 119 acres (48 hectares), but owns a cooperage that produces some 3,000 barrels a year—and has done so for centuries. Except for those barrels used in house, all are exported internationally to countries that include Australia and Canada.

This 13% alcohol Pinot Noir of solid value includes firm tension between acidity and fruit and is an easy drinking starter for a summer gathering. Consider pairing with a dish that includes fat to match its tannic backbone.

