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Smart Buys

Wines that deliver fine character at affordable prices and that are broadly available.



90 Coppo Barbera d'Asti Camp du Rouss 2004 \$19 Wonderful aromas of ripe, crushed wild berries. Full-bodied, with soft tannins and a long, luscious aftertaste. Glorious. Drink now. 11,000 cases made.—J.S.

88 Coppo Barbera d'Asti Pomorosso 2004 \$70 Ripe and round, with lots of juicy berry fruit. Medium-bodied, with light tannins and a velvety texture. Drink now. 2,500 cases made.—J.S.

ITALY

Piedmont / Other White

90 Coppo Chardonnay Piemonte Moneriolo 2004 \$50 Full and rich, with lots of cream, pineapple and honey character and good acidity. Long and flavorful. Lots going on. Drink now. 1,000 cases made.—J.S.

90 Pertinace Roero Arneis 2005 \$16 Wonderfully rich aromas of peach and light pineapple. Full-bodied, with lots of fruit and a long, flavorful finish. One of the best Arneis I've had in a long time. Drink now. 1,000 cases made.—J.S.

88 Coppo Piemonte White Costebianche 2005 \$19 Apple pie and cream aromas and flavors. Medium- to full-bodied, with plenty of flavor and a medium finish. Delicious. Drink now. 3,300 cases made.—J.S.

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Best Champagnes and Sparkling Wines

ITALY

Piedmont / Gavi

87 Coppo Gavi La Rocca 2005 \$18 Lemony and mineral, with a medium body, good acidity and a ripe fruit aftertaste. Clean and racy. Drink now. 2,575 cases made.—J.S.

ITALY

Piedmont / Monferrato

88 Coppo Monferrato Alterego 2003 \$55 Big and grapey, with plum skin and a hint of currant bush. Full-bodied, round and velvety. Juicy. Best after 2007. 600 cases made.—J.S.