

# FARR VINTNERS



*Niki de Saint Phalle*

1997  
*toute la récolte a été mise  
en bouteilles au Château*  
*Philippine de Rothschild*

Château  
*Mouton Rothschild*  
PAUILLAC  
APPELLATION PAUILLAC CONTRÔLÉE  
Baronne Philippine de Rothschild *g. f. n.*  
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## Italy

### Andrea Franchetti

1998	12	0	Palazzi	350	cs
1998	14	0	Tenuta Di Trinoro	350	cs

*An exciting new exclusivity for Farr Vintners! We are very pleased to announce that we have been appointed exclusive UK agent for the sensational wines of Andrea Franchetti, Palazzi and Tenuta di Trinoro. Described by Michael Broadbent as "A much sought-after new wine, the "Valandraud" of Tuscany, deep in colour, youthful, with a very distinctive vanilla and strawberry aroma; sweet on the palate, fleshy, full-bodied, yet not overtly alcoholic."*

*Andrea has worked closely with Peter Sisseck (of Dominio di Pingus) and Jean-Luc Thunevin (of Valandraud) in order to achieve his goal of producing great Super-Tuscan wines. We are pleased to offer the outstanding 1998 en primeur, a vintage which many producers (Sassicaia included) feel is greater than the much praised 1997.*

*The vineyards are situated in the south of Tuscany at 600 metres above sea level. The 10 hectares of vines, planted in 1992, contain the classic Bordeaux varieties; Cabernet Franc, Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon and Petit Verdot. Yields are a very low 20 hectolitres/hectare as Andrea limits each vine to just five bunches. Modern wine-making techniques include the use of 100% new oak barrels which are selected from leading French tonneliers. As Robert Parker reported recently, "This estate is an impressive newcomer to be watched closely."*

*Tenuta di Trinoro is made from predominantly Cabernet Franc (80% in 1998) with 10% each of Cabernet Sauvignon and Petit Verdot. Total production is 1000 cases. The main cepage of the Palazzi is Merlot and the production is a mere 700 cases. Both are fabulous wines, massively structured and concentrated with layers of ripe, chewy, mouth-filling fruit and a spicy, exotic oak character.*

*We expect these wines to be "the next big thing" and if they take off like Pingus and Valandraud these opening prices will look like a give-away .....*

### Monte Bernardi

1997	9	6	Chianti Classico	166	cs
1997	3	0	Sa'etta	236	cs
1996	3	6	Chianti Classico	142	cs

*Stak Alvaliotis has given up everything to produce these impressive and beautifully crafted wines from his vineyard south of Florence. Made in new oak barrels and second year oak from Ch Latour from 100% Sangiovese, these are very highly recommended Super-Tuscans. The Sa'etta is selected from grapes grown in the best part of the vineyard but both wines are of superb quality.*

### Argiano

1997	2	0	Solengo	580	cs
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## Falesco

1998	65	9	Vitiano	65	cs
1997	4	0	Montiano	330	cs

*"Falesco's 1998 Vitiano is one of the greatest dry red wine bargains in the world. The 1998 is no exception. It boasts an opaque purple colour, and intense black cherry aromas intertwined with mocha and spice. 90 pts." This wine delivers a big Parker score at a low price.*

### Lodovico Antinori

1996	29	0	Ornellaia	340	cs
1996	18	6	Masseto	780	cs
1995	45	2	Ornellaia	350	cs
1995	0	2	Ornellaia (im)	280	ea
1995	12	0	Masseto	880	cs
1995	3	2	Masseto (mg)	880	cs
1994	0	6	Masseto	680	cs
1990	1	0	Ornellaia	840	cs
1990	0	2	Ornellaia (mg)	820	cs
1988	5	0	Ornellaia	720	cs
1988	0	3	Ornellaia (mg)	720	cs
1988	0	1	Ornellaia (dm)	240	ea

### Piero Antinori

1996	1	0	Tignanello (hv)	320	cs
1996	19	0	Tignanello	320	cs
1996	3	6	Solaia	500	cs
1995	0	8	Tignanello	360	cs
1990	4	10	Solaia	1,350	cs
1982	0	4	Tignanello	620	cs
1982	0	3	Tignanello (mg)	620	cs
1979	0	7	Tignanello	650	cs
1979	0	3	Tignanello (mg)	650	cs
1978	0	6	Tignanello	650	cs
1971	0	10	Tignanello	1,320	cs

### San Guido

1996	27	7	Sassicaia	600	cs
1996	1	0	Sassicaia (mg)	600	cs
1988	0	5	Sassicaia	1,000	cs
1986	0	9	Sassicaia	780	cs
1983	0	1	Sassicaia	880	cs
1979	2	6	Sassicaia	125	ea
1978	0	1	Sassicaia	200	ea

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– Jancis Robinson, Financial Times



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## *Casa* *SA* Andrea Franchetti

1998	13	0	Tenuta Di Trinoro	380 cs
1998	0	1	Tenuta Di Trinoro (dm)	130 ea
1998	18	0	Palazzi	350 cs
1998	2	0	Palazzi (mg)	360 cs
1998	0	7	Palazzi (dm)	130 ea

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