



Vignevue™ Wine and Cheese Pairing Guide



Type of Cheese	Red Wine Pairing	White Wine Pairing
Hard or Semi-Hard Cheddar (aged), Comté, Cornish Yarg, Emmental, Gouda, Grana Padano, Gruyère*, Manchego, Parmesan, Pecorino	Aglianico, Bordeaux Blend, Malbec, Nebbiolo (Barolo, Barbaresco), Pinotage, *Pinot Noir (Red Burgundy or Oregon), Rioja, Sangiovese (Chianti Classico), Zinfandel (Primitivo)	Champagne, Chardonnay (Oaked), Condrieu, Rioja Blanco, Sherry (Amontillado or Pale Cortado), Viognier
Semi-Soft ~ Washed Rind Epoisses*, Fontina, Langres, Livarot, Mahon, Munster**, Raclette***, Reblochon, Stinking Bishop, Taleggio	Pinot Noir, Rioja (Tempranillo blend), Spanish Rosados	Brut Traditional Method Sparkling, *Chambertin (white Burgundy), Chenin Blanc, Garganega (Soave), **Gewürztraminer, Pinot Gris (Alsatian or Oregon), ***Riesling (Kabinett or off-dry)
Soft Cow's Milk ~ Edible Rind Baron Bigod, Brie*, Camembert, Neufchâtel, Saint-Félicien, St-Marcellin, Tunworth, Vacherin	Gamay (Beaujolais), Bonarda, Lighter Pinot Noirs (New Zealand or Chile), Zweigelt	Chablis, *Champagne, Chenin Blanc (Vouvray), Grüner-Veltliner, Sémillon (Hunter Valley), Marsanne & Roussanne
Goat* and/or Sheep's Milk ~ Edible Rind Crottin De Chavignol, Dorstone, Garrotxa, Golden Cross, Halloumi, Pavé Cobble, Picodon, Ragstone, Selles du Cher, Valençay	Beaujolais (Gamay), Southern Rhône (Grenache dominant), Spanish Rosados (Grenache based)	Albariño, Assyrtiko, Bacchus, Chenin Blanc, Godello, Rhône White, Riesling (Dry), *Sauvignon Blanc, White Bordeaux
Fresh ~ No Rind Boursin, Burrata, Chèvre*, Feta**, Mascarpone, Mozzarella***, Provolone, Ricotta, Stracchino	Cabernet Franc (Loire Valley), Pinot Noir, Gamay (Beaujolais Nouveau), Valpolicella, Zweigelt, Provençal Rosé	Albariño, Arneis, Chardonnay (unoaked), ***Greco di Tufo, Grüner Veltliner, Muscadet, Pinot Blanc, *Sauvignon Blanc, Trebbiano d'Abruzzo, Vermentino, Verdejo, **Off-dry Gewürztraminer or Riesling
Blue Beauvale, Bleu d'Auvergne, Bleu des Causses, Gorgonzola*, Gorgonzola Dolce, Rogue Blue, Roquefort**, Shropshire Blue, Stilton***	Aged Cabernet Sauvignon (Margaret River), Negroamaro, Nero d'Avola, *Port (LBV or Vintage), Sparkling Shiraz, Zinfandel	Barsac, Gewürztraminer (Off-dry), Icewine / Eiswein, Monbazillac, **Moscato d'Asti, Riesling (Off-dry), ***Sauternes, Tokaji

*'s indicate classic pairings



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