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10 of the Best Prosecco Wines Under \$20, Tasted and Ranked

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Produced using the Glera grape in the Veneto and Friuli-Venezia Giulia regions of northeastern Italy, Prosecco wines gain their fizz through the Charmat, or "tank," method. The process sees a base wine

fermented for a second time in stainless steel tanks — rather than in-bottle, as is the case for Champagne and Cava. This leads to refreshing, fruit-driven sparkling wines, which, at their best, serve surprising nuance and retail at bargain prices.

Following a tasting of multiple bottlings from more than 20 producers, a VinePair-led group of industry professionals deemed the following wines to offer the best value in the Prosecco category. Each bottle displays all of the above characteristics in abundance and, best of all, retails for less than \$20.



KIRKLAND ASOLO PROSECCO SUPERIORE DOCG

Kirkland Asolo is one of the best bottles of Prosecco under \$20. Nuanced and well-balanced, this sparkling wine (also one of VinePair's favorite Costco wines) is reminiscent of tropical fruit, particularly pineapple. Its flavor profile starts slightly sweet, then leads to a pleasantly bitter finish. All panelists agreed: This Prosecco would shine in a Mimosa, but is more than capable of standing on its own. Average price: \$10.



