

# HAND PICKED SELECTIONS

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## Wine Spectator

Nov. 15 & 30, 2011



# 93

### JEAN LAURENT

#### BRUT BLANC DE BLANCS CHAMPAGNE NV

Bright acidity and detailed texture frames rich flavors of date, candied orange peel, dried apricot, graham cracker and almond cream in this seamlessly integrated, vibrant Blanc de Blancs. A wine drinker's Champagne. Drink now through 2018. 3,000 cases made. –AN

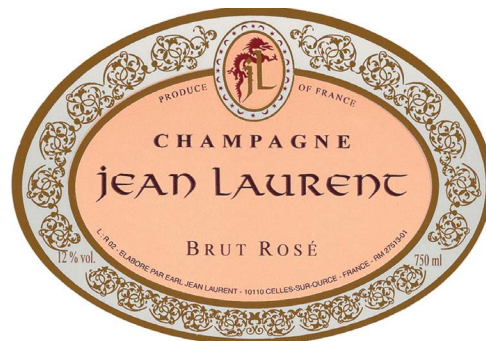


# 92

### JEAN LAURENT

#### BRUT ROSÉ CHAMPAGNE NV

Fruit flavors of plum, black licorice and blackberry mix with hints of smoke, toast and forest floor in this harmonious rosé, which is full-bodied and very juicy, with a spicy, lightly chalky finish. Drink now through 2021. Tasted twice, with consistent notes. 1,000 cases made. –AN



# 91

### BERTRAND-DELESPERRE

#### BRUT CHAMPAGNE 2004

A broad-shouldered Champagne, open-knit and accessible, with flavors of pastry, glazed apple and pear, honey, candied lemon zest and vanilla. Ends with a juicy, lightly smoky finish. Drink now through 2016. –AN

