

14 Organic Wines & Perfect Pairings – Hidden Gems from Underrated Regions

Organic wines explained! Dive into our guide, learn the lingo (organic vs. biodynamic), and find tasty pairings for an impressively sustainable sip from under-the-radar regions.

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7. Hamel Family wines, Isthmus, Cabernet Sauvignon, Nuns Canyon Vineyard, Sonoma County, 2020 \$90



Spoil yourself with a magnum of this high-elevation deep Cabernet Sauvignon. Practicing organic, biodynamic, and dry farming to achieve ecological harmony, this wine was aged in a mix of new French oak casks, neutral barrels, and concrete eggs.

Petra Polakovicova, Advanced Sommelier and Hamel Hospitality Manager suggests paring it with a <u>wild mushroom pasta</u>. She says, "The mineral notes in the wine complement the umami flavors of the mushrooms." Or serve it with a chocolate dessert smothered in a dark berry sauce complimenting its slight smokey and dark chocolate notes.