



1. Bandit Nonvintage Pinot Grigio

Pinot Grigio (California; \$9). Pretty citrus wraps around juicy apple, melon, and peach. THE PACKAGE 1-liter Tetra Pak: 1½ bottles total, and less than ½ the carbon footprint of a bottle (from production to delivery). GOOD WITH The chicken salad sandwich you've stowed

2. Stack Nonvintage Cabernet Sauvignon

Sauvignon
(California; \$12).
Violet-scented blackberries bookended
by chocolate and
black pepper.
THE PACKAGE 4-pack
of 187-ml. wine-filled
plastic cups: 1 bottle
total, but ²/₃ weight
of a glass bottle.
GOOD WITH Charcuterie in your basket
for opera in the park.

3. French Rabbit 2009 Pinot Noir

(Pays d'Oc, France; \$10). Silky cherries give way to a dry, black pepper finish. THE PACKAGE 1liter Tetra Pak: 11/3 bottles total, and just 3% weight of a glass bottle. GOOD WITH Rustic country pâté on the deck of a sailboat anchored in the bay.

4. Bota Box 2012 Malbec

(Mendoza, Argentina; \$21). Pepper and earth under blackberry, dark cherry, and herbs. THE PACKAGE 3-liter bag-in-box: 4 bottles total. VOC-free ink printed on recycled paper; Mylar bag inside contains no plasticizers or BPA.

GOOD WITH Roasted lamb from the spit at the dude ranch.

5. CalNaturale 2008 French Camp Vineyard Cabernet

Cabernet
Sauvignon (Paso
Robles; \$6). Spicy
blackberry, Bing
cherry, and tannins.
THE PACKAGE 500ml. Tetra Pak: 2/3
bottle total—the perfect size to slip into
a day pack.
GOOD WITH Skirt
steak fire-grilled in
the redwoods.

6. Flasq 2012 Chardonnay

(California; \$6).
Crisp apple and
melon edged with
orchard blossom and
a burst of lime zest.
THE PACKAGE 375-ml.
aluminum canister: ½
bottle total. Recyclable lightweight aluminum (chills fast), with
65% the shipping carbon footprint of glass.
GOOD WITH Buttery
grilled oysters and
corn on the beach.



in your kayak.

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