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*Decanter's* experts from around the world named the bottles under £60 that impressed them most this year. After tasting a selection of the nominated wines, our judges compiled the ultimate top 50, across all styles. Tina Gellie reports



**Soalheiro,  
Primeiras  
Vinhas  
Alvarinho,  
Vinho Verde,  
Monção  
e Melgaço,  
Portugal 2017**

93 OC 96 SJE 93 TG 91

£27 Highbury Vintners,  
Raymond Reynolds,

The Good Wine Shop

**OC** Irresistibly aromatic; curls of lemon zest twined with pear and white peach fruit. Utterly drinkable.

**SJE** Rose petals and violet aromas. Typically Albariño with a balance of grapefruit and creamy richness. Long, intense finish. Bring on the razor clams!

**TG** Classic Albariño: sea spray plus tropical and exotic fruit salad notes. Still young, but a great food wine.

**Drink** 2019-2021

**Alc** 13%

**Richard Mayson**