The best bottles of bubbly under \$20

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A sip of pricey Champagne is a fine way toast in the new year. But if something like a 1978 Dom Pérignon "P3" magnum — available for \$3,495 at Midtown's Sherry-Lehmann Wine & Spirits — is too rich for your bank account (thanks, Black Friday!), there are plenty of budgetbubbly options with which to welcome 2018.

We asked wine buyers and merchants around town for their sparkling picks under \$20.



Raventós I Blanc Blanc de Blancs Cava Brut, 2015, \$19.99: This wine is both a brut and vintage, which is saying a lot for the pricepoint. "It drinks a lot higher end than [its price]," says Neil Weinstock, general manager at Columbus Wines & Spirits (730 Columbus Ave.; 212-865-7070), who himself has been drinking this cava for about 20 years. "This is the crème de la crème."

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