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Echézeaux Grand Cru 2016

There is purity and elegance in this red, whose cherry, rhubarb, currant and spice flavors converge on the refined structure. Firms up as the finish reveals mineral details and more spice notes. Best from 2023 through 2040.—B.S.

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Clos Vougeot Grand Cru 2016

Pure black currant, black cherry, violet and iron flavors are the hallmarks of this intense red. Shows balance between the silky texture and stiff spine, which will take a few years to resolve. Ends with an aftertaste of sweet fruit and spices. Best from 2022 through 2045. From France.—B.S.



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Louis Latour 2016 Reds