French Flavor Profile

Spices and Herbs

Lavender Parsley Sage

Thyme

Rosemary

Tarragon

Herbes de Provence

Sorrel Chives

Peppercorns (black, green or pink)

Main Vegetables

Eggplant Tomato Cucumber Carrots

Carrots Fennel

Leeks

Potatoes

Lettuces

Brussels sprouts

Zucchini and summer squash

Delicate lettuces Root vegetables

Proteins

White fish, seafood, caviar Rabbit, duck, game meats Lamb, chicken, and pork Lentils

Beans

Other

Truffles and wild mushrooms
Soft cheeses like goat cheese and brie
Crème fraiche
Capers and cornichons
Good bread and pastries

Rich meat stocks or demi glace Red wine vinegar or red wine

White wine vinegar or white wine

Champagne vinegar

Dijon mustard

Grapes Olives

