



Chateau Smith Haut Lafitte

Country: France Region: Bordeaux
Type: Red Varietal: Blend - Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Petit Verdot

Format: 3 x
750ml

BC	AB	SK	MB
+144887			+35772
Speculative			Special Order

TASTING NOTES

Colour: Deep ruby purple.
Aroma: Sweet floral and mint, with black-cherry and bitter-chocolate.
Taste: Boysenberry and blueberry compote fruit flavours that are entwined with alluring roasted apple wood, melted liquorice and warm fruitcake notes.
Food: Prime rib roast, filet mignon and rack of lamb.

AWARDS & ACCOLADES

2016 ~ 98 Points. "Composed of 65% Cabernet Sauvignon, 30% Merlot, 4% Cabernet Franc and 1% Petit Verdot and matured in 60% new oak for 18 months, the 2016 Smith Haut Lafitte has a very deep garnet-purple color, opening with sensuous scents of warm black cherries, blackberry pie, star anise and fragrant lilacs with hints of chocolate box, cigar box and pencil lead plus wafts of truffles and crushed rocks. Medium to full-bodied, rich and seductive, it completely fills the palate with perfumed black berry preserves and superbly plush tannins, finishing epically long and beautifully layered." - Robert Parker's The Wine Advocate, Feb/2019

2016 ~ 97 Points. "Quite ripe, with lush waves of cassis, cherry preserve and raspberry puree flavors gliding through in no hurry, but maintaining definition and cut along the way as bramble, tar and melted licorice snap notes slowly emerge throughout. The finish features an intense echo of pastis and sweet tobacco, showing serious latent grip. Best from 2023 through 2038. 8,333 cases made" - Wine Spectator, Mar/2019

OTHER INFO

The style of Chateau Smith Haut Lafitte's red wine is very classic, with a beautiful expression of the terroir of Günzian Gravel which gives unique smoky notes. They pursue elegance and structure, freshness and complexity, balance and richness. The majority of Cabernet Sauvignon, harvested at full maturity and softly vinified to extract only the silkiest tannins, unveils after proper aging its full potential for years long.



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