



Château Durfort Vivens

AOC Margaux - Grand Cru Classé 2nd Growth
Vintage 2019

In 1992, Gonzague Lurton inherited Château Durfort-Vivens, a Second Grand Cru Classé from 1855 in Margaux. He took charge of the chateau and its previously unexploited infrastructure. It took him 3 years to equip this rough diamond with a technical tool that matched its stature. Château Durfort-Vivens has the largest amphora cellar in the world. Gonzague and his wife, Claire Villars-Lurton, currently own the largest surface area of biodynamically managed vineyards in the Bordeaux region!

Critics Notes:

Wine enthusiast: 95-97/100

Wine Advocate: 96/100



COUNTRY

France

VARIETAL

90% Cabernet Sauvignon

10% Merlot

SOIL TYPE

Deep gravel from the Quaternary period (Gunz and Mindel) with a sand/clay matrix

VINEYARD

55 hectares with an average of 55 years old vines

HARVEST

Manuel harvested & sorted with several passes for ripeness.

VINIFICATION

Vinification by plot in proportional stainless-steel vats. Pumping over of one volume/day. 24 days of maceration. Aging: 18 months with 2/3 in new barrels and 1/3 in TAVA amphoras.

TASTING NOTES

The subtle floral notes of Château Durfort-Vivens 2019 give way to red and black fruits, then evolve towards notes of sweet and roasted spices. The smoothness is counter-balanced by a beautiful freshness. Silky tannins, revealing a beautiful tension throughout the tasting.

CERTIFICATIONS



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