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## CHÂTEAU HAUT PASQUET BLANC



### TECHNICAL INFORMATION

<b>Country</b>	France
<b>Region</b>	Bordeaux
<b>Producer</b>	Cuvelier
<b>Vintage</b>	2018
<b>Composition</b>	40% SAUVIGNON BLANC, 40% SÉMILLON, 20% MUSCADELLE
<b>Alcohol</b>	12.5%

#### WINEMAKER NOTES

Today the two family estates are managed by Oliver Cuvelier. He took the reins in 1985 and has developed a wide range of fine Bordeaux wines. The region has an ideal climate — moderated by the Gulf Stream, tempered by the Atlantic Ocean, with the tallest sand dunes in Europe and the forest of the Landes providing a natural wind barrier protecting the vineyards. As with all these dry white Bordeaux, the real appeal of the wine comes through as it is paired with food; try with seafood and white meat dishes.

#### TASTING NOTES

Showing a crisp herbaceous nose that follows through on the palate with lime acidity and a clean finish. The Semillon gives structure, the Muscadelle gives floral tones, and the Sauvignon gives freshness.

#### VINEYARD

Located in Escoussan in the Haut Benauges area. The 12 acres of soil are clayey and chalky. The average vine age is 20 years old.

#### VINIFICATION

First the wine starts its vinification with cold skin maceration for 8 days. The alcoholic fermentation occurs at low temperature (18°C) to keep the freshness and the fruit aromas. It is then kept in lees.



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