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*Sauternes Bordeaux
2020*

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Bordeaux



In Sauternes we again found a variety of styles and, while there was limited Botrytis affecting the wines this year, they are very appealing and drinkable. Some, like our favourite **Doisy-Daëne**, have a lighter, more 'nectar-ish' style to them, while **Coutet** and **Lafaurie-Peyraguey** have more weight and richness. **Suduiraut** is the most dense

and viscous that we have seen in recent vintages.

After the success of our 'Mixed Halves Selection' put together in Bordeaux for us last year, we have repeated the case with 6 x 2 halves for a very modest price. You can also order your preferred Château from us as normal.

Château Doisy Daëne, 2e cru classé Sauternes

DCS00520H 12 halves £168

Feels more elegant and restrained than most, notes of barley sugar, honey and orange. Great intensity, with flavours of marmalade and sweet ginger. Concentrated with good energy and some spice. 5-15 years.

Château Coutet, 1er cru classé Barsac

DCS00920H 12 halves £186

Fragrant, fresh nose with excellent definition and pronounced rock rose, light spicing and elegant notes of tea. Nice botrytis here, very clean honey, some sunny touches and complex notes of ginger root. 5-15 years.

Château Suduiraut, 1er cru classé Sauternes

DCS00820H 12 halves £276

Botrytis and p^{âté} on the nose, this has great depth but also lift and restraint. Very viscous palate, incredibly rich, grand and spicy - impressively so. Still some room for development with age. 5-15 years.

The Sauternes Mixed Case

BIN NO: DZS2384 12 halves (2 of each) for £215

A mixed case of 12 half bottles showcasing the best sweet wines of the vintage, packed in a smart wooden box.

Château de Myrat, 2e cru Sauternes

2 halves

Creamy, mellow and gently spicy nose, with fresh white fruits. The palate shows more intensity, a pleasing sweetness, and attractive, warmer fruit flavours. 3-9 years.

Château Doisy-Vedrines, 2e cru Sauternes

2 halves

Distinctive nose of citrus and candied lemon peel, all very clean with some nice weight. Full, dense and concentrated, with an olive oil-like viscosity, this is deep, spicy and peppery with an uplifted, bright finish. 5-15 years.

Château Coutet, 1e cru Barsac

2 halves

Fragrant, fresh nose with excellent definition and pronounced rock rose, light spicing and elegant notes of tea. Nice botrytis here, very clean honey, some sunny touches and complex notes of ginger root. 5-15 years.

Château Doisy Daëne, 2e cru Sauternes

2 halves

Feels more elegant and restrained than most, notes of barley sugar, honey and orange. Great intensity, with flavours of marmalade and sweet ginger. Concentrated with good energy and some spice. 5-15 years.

Château Lafaurie-Peyraguey, 1e cru Sauternes

2 halves

Has a coolness and poise - an olive oil sense of weight, and chunky pineapple fruit. Rich and layered, this feels seriously intense! Super freshness and precision with a fragrant, orange citrus finish. 3-9 years.

Château Suduiraut, 1e cru Sauternes

2 halves

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