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Château Brane Cantenac 2021, 2ème Grand Cru Classe, Margaux



Price	£79.00
Code	BRAN065

Owned and managed by Henri Lurton, this 2ème Grand Cru Classé Margaux Château, situated to the west of the village of Cantenac. Richly aromatic, generous nose, like sniffing a jam making factory through a spice box filter!

Tasting Notes:

Planted on 72 hectares of fine gravel and clay that forms the 'Brane' of Cantenac - a plateau that regularly produces exceptional wines. The nose is softly lush, with notes of crunchy blackcurrant and plum, followed by a palate of fresh red fruits interlaced with mulled black cherry that shows both concentration and compactness. There is a careful use of oak and a fresh minerality, as well as a degree of salinity that makes a perfect balance with the ripeness of fruit. The finish is long, firm and powerful.

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Specification	
Vinification	Aged in 100% new oak barrels for 18 months.
ABV	12.5%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink from 2026 through to 2040
Country	France
Region	Bordeaux
Area	Margaux
Type	Red Wine
Grape Mix	74% Cabernet Sauvignon, 22% Merlot, 2% Cabernet Franc, 1% Petit Verdot, 1% Carmenere
Genres	Fine Wine
Vintage	2021
Body	Rich, bold and robust
Producer	Château Brane Cantenac
Producer Overview	The vineyards of this château are located to the west of the village of Cantenac. Proprietor Henri Lurton has improved the quality in the vines, regrafting previously planted Merlot to high quality Cabernet Sauvignon.
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	Delicious with rare roast beef with seasonal vegetables and yorkshire pudding.