



HOUSE OF TOWNEND

FAMILY WINE MERCHANTS SINCE 1906

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## Château Giscours, 2016

### 3ème Cru Classé Margaux

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<b>Price</b>	£86.50
<b>Code</b>	GISC055

Very much on top form under the watchful eye of Alexander Van Beek, this is a very impressive Margaux full of beauty and harmony.

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#### Tasting Notes:

Deep in colour, an intriguing and inviting nose of ripe blackcurrants, cedar, stones and roasted coffee, with some notes of Parma violets and a hint of vanilla. This is a generous, rich wine, offering immediate lush black fruits, jam, spice and hedonistic creamy characters. Underlying this, there is a beautiful freshness and a very impressive balance. Very very fine – as good as the 2010?

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Specification	
<b>Vinification</b>	Aged in 50% new oak for 18 months.
<b>ABV</b>	13.5%
<b>Size</b>	75cl
<b>Drinking Window</b>	Drink from 2026 through to 2040
<b>Country</b>	France
<b>Region</b>	Bordeaux
<b>Area</b>	Margaux
<b>Type</b>	Red Wine
<b>Grape Mix</b>	81% Cabernet Sauvignon, 15% Merlot, 4% Petit Verdot
<b>Genres</b>	Fine Wine
<b>Vintage</b>	2016
<b>Body</b>	Rich, bold and robust
<b>Producer</b>	Château Giscours
<b>Producer Overview</b>	Giscours has a long and rich history, which can be traced back to the fourteenth century at which time it was a defensive tower overlooking a wild and inhospitable region.
<b>Closure Type</b>	Cork
<b>Food Matches</b>	Enjoy with braised ox cheek with a red wine sauce and roasted sweet potato.