Château Haut Brion 2017, 1èr Grand Cru Classé, Pessac Leognan

Price	£549.00
Code	HAUT280

Haut-Brion always produces truly great claret. The creeping urbanization of Bordeaux has reached the vineyards at this great Château – no sooner are you out of the city, you are in the vineyards of one of the greatest estates in Bordeaux.

Tasting Notes:

Aged in 69% new oak, it is deep purple in colour, the bouquet smoulders with black fruit aromas and earthy overtones. The palate is masculine, deeply textured with black cherry, cassis and a hint of clove. The tannins are firm but ripe and envelope the palate, there are exotic spice characteristics and the finish is long and lingering.

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Specification	
Vinification	Fermentation takes place in stainless steel vats, after which the wine will spend 22 months, in 69% new oak barrels before being bottled unfiltered.
ABV	14%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink from 2027 through to 2045
Country	France
Region	Bordeaux
Area	Pessac-Léognan
Type	Red Wine
Grape Mix	53% Merlot, 41% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Cabernet Franc
Genres	Fine Wine
Vintage	2017
Body	Rich, bold and robust
Producer	Château Haut-Brion
Producer Overview	The only one of the five first growths outside of the Médoc, Château Haut-Brion lies in the Pessac-Léognan region slightly further south, and is surrounded by the suburbs of Pessac.
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	Delicious with beef ribs with mushrooms, bacon and potatoes.