

Château Cuhins-Lurton



Château Cuhins-Lurton White 2019

AOC Pessac-Léognan, Bordeaux, France

PRESENTATION

Château Cuhins-Lurton is the emblematic estate of the André Lurton family. With a clay-limestone terroir unique to the appellation, the château produces Sauvignon Blancs with outstanding aromatic profiles bursting with fruit and hints of salinity, which age terrifically.

THE VINTAGE

WEATHER CONDITIONS

2019 was marked by a fairly mild winter, resulting in early bud break. Spring rainfall was scarce and drought conditions set in in early summer. Rainfall in August provided a welcome relief for winegrowers.

HARVEST

09/03/2019

THE WINE

VARIETALS

Sauvignon 100%

ALCOHOL CONTENT

14 % vol.

TASTING

Crystal clear, a pale yellow colour enhanced by green and silver reflections. The nose, very expressive, has notes of white fruit (ripe peach), with a slight hint of smoke. Nice texture on the palate, with fat and freshness; all perfectly balanced. Very aromatic overall, with aromas of white peach, apple, gooseberry... The subtly lemony finish is also remarkable.

FOOD PAIRINGS

Scallops, pan-fried foie gras, sweetbreads, cheeses.

SERVING

Serve between 8°C and 11°C

AGEING POTENTIAL

10 to 15 years



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THE VINEYARD

TERROIR

Gravel, sand and gravel, on a subsoil of limestone

SURFACE AREA OF THE VINEYARD

14.82 ac

AGE OF VINES

27 years old

IN THE VINEYARD

Pruning type: Double guyot with debudding

Grape Harvest: By hand in several passes

THE CELLAR

WINEMAKING

After pressing and settling, in oak barrels (30% new).

AGEING

For 10 months in oak barrels on full lees with bâtonnage.

REVIEWS AND AWARDS



"Very young and energetic, this beautiful white offers a deep and invigorating lemon flavor, an enviable conjunction of fatness and tension. The evolution wanted by Jacques Lurton towards more fatness and a touch of additional maturity is a fully successful bet in 2019 because the acidity remains sharp, full of dynamism and authority."

Pierre Citerne, La Revue du Vin de France, 15/10/2020

16 - 16,5/20

JEB DUNNUCK

"I love the nose on the 2019 Château Cuhins-Lurton Blanc. It has a ripe yet slightly mineral style as well as notes of crushed citrus, grapefruit, and mandarin orange. Medium-bodied, bright, and juicy on the palate, it has a terrific sense of tension and elegance as well as length. It should easily evolve for 7-8 years."

Jeb Dunnuck, 01/06/2020

91 - 93/100

"Barrel Sample. Made entirely from Sauvignon Blanc, this white balances the crisp and ripe fruits that are so characteristic of the 2019 vintage. The herbal flavors are contrasted with the touches of pineapple and apple to give richness and texture."

Roger Voss, The Wine Enthusiast, 29/05/2020

92 - 94/100

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