Chateau Talbot

Saint-Julien Cru Classé 2018



RED STILL WINE | FRANCE | BORDEAUX | SUITABLE FOR VEGETARIANS

SIZE	75cl
VINTAGE	2018
ABV	14.5%
GRAPE VARIETIES	Cabernet Sauvignon (66%), Merlot (26%), Petit Verdot (5%), Cabernet Franc (3%)
CLOSURE	Natural Cork
SKU CODE	31450118
EXPRESSION	Red, Richly Textured and Full-Bodied
COUNTRY	France
REGION	Bordeaux
ALLERGENS	Sulphur
SUITABLE FOR	Vegetarians
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TASTING NOTE

Gorgeous, justly renowned St-Julien, aromatic with blackcurrants, leather and herbs, all enhanced by chocolate, spice and smoked oak on the palate.

VITICULTURE

A year of two halves, beginning with a dangerously humid spring that necessitated rigorous organic management to combat mildew, followed by a glorious, drought-like summer. This perfect late-season ripening produced small, concentrated berries with exceptionally high tannin and alcohol levels, resulting in powerful wines with real purity and ageing potential

VINIFICATION

Hand harvesting, using lot selection. Fermentation in stainless steel tanks at temperature controlled. Maceration: 3 weeks. ageing in Oak barrels, 50% new oak.

FOOD MATCHING

A fantastic match with fillet of beef with a red wine sauce, but will pair very well with any red meat dishes, game or strong cheese.