



# CHÂTEAU ANGELUS 1er Grand Cru Classé A 2018

Art. Nr.: 1238418

Hersteller: Château Angelus, St. Emilion

Land: Frankreich

Region (Betriebssitz): Bordeaux

Gebiet (Betriebssitz): Saint-Émilion

Jahrgang: 2018

Rebsorte: Merlot, Cabernet Franc

Reife: bis 2036

Kategorie: Rotwein

Süße: Trocken

## Bewertung:

Robert Parker Wine Advocate: 97

James Suckling: 98

Wine Enthusiast: 96-98

Wine Spectator: 95-98

## Speiseempfehlung:

Lamm: Geschmort/Gedünstet

Flaschengröße: 0,75 Liter

Verschluss: Naturkork

**Einzelflaschenpreis: € 666.50**

### Verkostnotiz

**JAMES SUCKLING:** "This shows beautiful sensibility of generous fruit and soft and velvety tannins with an undertone of chocolate and cedar. Full-bodied, pure and supple with a direct delivery of vibrant fruit and real terroir expression. Savory at the end with hazelnut and crunchy-seed flavors. Reality check here. Incredible fruit quality."

**WINE ENTHUSIAST:** "This is a dense, smoky wine, packed with ripe tannins and a line of fresh acidity that forms a fine contrast. It's a great wine that is rich in tannins while keeping elegance and finesse. - Roger Voss"

**ROBERT PARKER - THE WINE ADVOCATE:** "This year we have slightly less Cabernet Franc in the blend because we are only using the oldest vines, planted by my grandfather, as a tribute," Stéphanie de Bouard-Rivoal said. "These are 60- to 80-year-old Cabernet Franc vines." From 2018, 10% of the entire Angélus crop will be aged in large oak foudres. "These produce tighter, more perfumed, brighter wines from less oxygen exposure," Stéphanie commented. The 2018 Angélus is blended of 65% Merlot and 35% Cabernet Franc, to be aged 18-22 months in barriques, 100% new, plus two new foudres. Deep garnet-purple in color, it slips slowly, sensuously out of the glass with beautiful black raspberries, kirsch, warm plums and red roses scents, building in intensity to reveal chocolate-covered cherries, raspberry coulis, black tea, woodsmoke and powdered cinnamon notions with a waft of black olives and charcuterie. Medium to full-bodied, the palate delivers a wonderfully profound, multilayered, seamless experience of red and black fruits intertwined with earth, spice and floral notions and framed by exquisitely ripe, satiny tannins, finishing with amazing freshness and length. Incredibly, finely, expertly, seamlessly knit. Stunning. - Lisa Perrotti-Brown"

**WINE SPECTATOR:** "Very gutsy in feel, with lots of tobacco leaf, loam and espresso notes swirling around a core of steeped black currant and



the pack. - James Molesworth

FALSTAFF: "Tiefdunkles Rubingranat, opaker Kern, violette  
Anklänge von reifen Pflaumen, ein Hauch von Feigen, tabakige,  
tragende Tannine unterlegt, gute Frische, bleibt haften, verfügt über Länge, sicheres Entwicklungspotenzial. - Peter Moser"

id. Zart mit Kardamon unterlegte dunkle Beerenfrucht,  
saftige Herzkirschen, seidig-schokoladige Textur, präsen-