



# CHÂTEAU PONTET-CANET 5ème Grand Cru Classé 2023



Art. Nr.: 1284723

Hersteller: Château Pontet-Canet, Pauillac

Land: Frankreich

Region (Betriebssitz): Bordeaux

Gebiet (Betriebssitz): Pauillac

Jahrgang: 2023

Rebsorte: Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Petit Verdot

Reife: bis 2039

Kategorie: Rotwein

Süße: Trocken

## Bewertung:

Robert Parker Wine Advocate: 96-98

Falstaff: 97

James Suckling: 97-98

## Speiseempfehlung:

Geflügel: Grillen/Braten

Rind: Gebacken

Flaschengröße: 0,75 Liter

Verschluss: Naturkork

**Einzelflaschenpreis: € 93.60**

## Verkostnotiz

**JAMES SUCKLING:** "A very structured Pontet-Canet that expands in the mouth with a gorgeous combination of beautifully ripe fruit and intense tannins. Very structured for the vintage. Full-bodied with excellent presence and length. So much raw pencil shavings to the blackcurrants. Graphite and tar. Fresh and vivid. They picked cabernet at the right time at the end of September. 52% cabernet sauvignon, 39% merlot, 6% cabernet franc and 3% petit verdot."

**FALSTAFF:** "Tiefdunkles Rubongranat, opaler Kern, violette Reflexe, zarte Randufhellung. Reifes Cassis, Brombeerkonfit, etwas Nugat, feine Kräuterwürze ist unterlegt. Komplex, saftig, reife schwarze Herzkirschen, reife Tannine, feine Extraktsüße, frisch und lange anhaftend, rotbeerige Nuancen, straff, sicheres Reifepotenzial."

**THE WINE ADVOCATE:** "With the 2023 vintage, this estate has crafted a wine of unprecedented aromatic intensity and precision that marks a significant evolution. Revealing an elegant, fresh bouquet of mulberries and cassis mingled with notions of violets, gentian and menthol, the 2023 Pontet-Canet is medium to full-bodied, seamless and multidimensional, with a pure and precise core of fruit that's framed by ultra-refined tannins and a powerful but controlled profile, concluding with long, mineral, licorice-inflected finish. It's the result of more daring harvest decisions than in previous years: By picking the Merlot earlier to highlight fresh, fruity notes rather than baked, sun-kissed flavors and simultaneously delaying the Cabernet Sauvignon harvest until after September 28 to refine tannins, the 2023 Pontet-Canet marks a significant evolution at this renowned estate. At this early stage, its élevage appears to be more discreet, too. This wine, which I'd be delighted to own, is a blend of 52% Cabernet Sauvignon, 39% Merlot, 6% Cabernet Franc and 3% Petit Verdot, matured in 50% new oak barrels, 35% amphorae and 15% once-used barrels."