



# CHATEAU LA MISSION HAUT-BRION



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Château La Mission Haut-Brion's tasting notes :

The color is slightly unified. The nose is rather fruity for its age with the presence of truffle, a whiff of cigar, and a touch of menthol, comprising part of the many sensations which give this wine complexity and some buoyancy. A small trace of acescence again increases the richness. It has charm, along with a slightly worn elegance, leading to a lacy finale which leaves the impression that this wine wishes to remain with us. It is an elegant, stylish wine and still very much alive in spite of having reached its apogee.

To drink now.

Weather conditions

Sum of temperatures : 3269 °C

Rain : 496 mm

Days where temperature above 30 °C : 17

Harvest : from 28/09/1971 to 04/10/1971

Current vintage notes

A slightly early year and very poor weather for the flowering, which was followed by significant coulure. July, on the other hand, was very hot (23 C on the average), including 11 very hot days. August was equally hot, but September was rainy. A good, very uniform quality, especially in Saint-Emilion.



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