

CHÂTEAU D'ECK

AOC PESSAC LÉOGNAN



Beautiful medieval building, the Château d' Eck was already a renowned place in the Middle Ages for the production of fruit (it was then called Castle Fruitet). This is the eleventh century, under the leadership of William VIII the wine of the property becomes known.

In 1287, Edward 1 gave the castle to the church and the bishops of Bordeaux took up residence. The future Pope Clement V resided in 1302 under the name of Bertrand de Goth. At the French Revolution the church lost the castle and in 1816 it was sold to François Eck who gave his name.

*Bought in 1999, Gonet made him a superb realizing a large architectural restoration work and applying their talent with expertise in the vineyard. The plots are worked according to the rules of organic viticulture and horses to prevent the maximum passage of tractors. Majestic Chateau d' Eck overlooks its 7 hectares of vines in production.



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Vintage **2014**



VINEYARD

Vineyard size : 5ha, 17 years old vineyard

Soil : Sandy gravel

Grapes varieties: 75% Merlot - 20% Cabernet Sauvignon – 5% Petit Verdot

Vineyard Management: Sustainable Agriculture

VINIFICATION

Grapes: 70% Merlot - 20% Cabernet Sauvignon – 5% Petit Verdot
Harvest by hand, plot by plot, sorting first when picking the grapes then in the vat room.

Vatting for 3 to 4 weeks in steel tanks.

Barrels aging for 12 to 14 months (1/3 new ones).

TASTING

Serving temperature: 16-18°C, to be opened one hour before tasting. 2014 vintage can be drunk within 10 years.

This wine imposes itself by its dark dress, and by its concentrated bouquet : black fruits, underlined by a slight wood taste with accents of spices and smoke. The palate is also quite seductive: suave in attack, fleshy and balanced, as complex as the nose with notes of plums, vanilla.

Wine and food pairing : all grilled, roast, or stewed meat, swordfish, tuna fish, cheese, chocolate desserts...

AWARDS

- Coup de Cœur et 2 étoiles Guide Hachette 2018
- SILVER Medal Concours Bordeaux Vins Aquitaine 2016
- SILVER Medal Les Citadelles du Vin 2016



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