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## PAVILLON BLANC SECOND VIN 2024

Château Margaux presents the new vintage of its Pavillon Blanc Second Vin 2024, the result of rigorous plot selection and particularly favourable weather conditions. Made exclusively from Sauvignon Blanc, this wine continues the quest for excellence that began with Château Margaux's Pavillon Blanc.

Château Margaux has been producing an exceptional white wine since the beginning of the 18th century. The Estate decided to expand on this tradition and developed Pavillon Blanc Second Vin, a second expression of its signature white wine.

Made from the Estate's historic vines, the first vintage was created in 2022, a year in which the exceptional quality of certain batches not selected for Pavillon Blanc justified their being used to produce a separate wine. Accessible in its youth, it nevertheless has the potential to evolve over twenty years or more.



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## WEATHER CONDITIONS AND HARVEST

The 2024 harvest took place between the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> of September, slightly later than in previous years. Conditions were ideal: perfectly healthy grapes, mild summer temperatures and the absence of extreme heat enabled slow, balanced ripening of the grapes, preserving both their freshness and their concentration.

As usual, the teams began harvesting at dawn to preserve the full aromatic purity of the berries.

Plot selection, at the heart of the estate's work, once again played an essential role: each plot of Sauvignon Blanc was harvested and vinified separately, allowing careful monitoring and very precise blending.

## TASTING NOTES

For its third vintage, Pavillon Blanc Second Vin 2024 expresses the Sauvignon Blanc varietal character more clearly than the 2023, revealing a fresh nose with citrus notes. On the palate, it has lovely tension, supported by remarkable aromatic length. Elegant, long and delicate, it stands out for its perfectly integrated, almost imperceptible oakiness. Already very pleasant to drink, it will gain in complexity over the next two to three years.

*Pavillon Blanc Second Vin 2024 will be distributed via the Place de Bordeaux and will be available from leading wine merchants and specialist websites.*



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## ABOUT CHÂTEAU MARGAUX

Over centuries and many generations, the wines of Château Margaux have come to be characterised by excellence, thanks to the skill of the winegrowers and successive innovations. Five centuries of history, always looking towards the future, have enabled the estate to establish itself as a timeless icon of French art de vivre and winemaking excellence. Since the 17th century, Château Margaux has been producing wines that have stood the test of time, the fruit of a perfect harmony between an exceptional terroir, knowledge passed from generation to generation, and a constant quest for innovation.

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