



## Château Fourcas Dupré 2012

**“All of which makes it all the more extraordinary that some of the wines described below are really quite attractive. My sympathies, by which I mean a literal meaning of this word, to those who found it just impossible to make the sums add up for the sacrifices necessary.”**

18 Apr 2013 by Jancis Robinson & Julia Harding MW



### Ch Fourcas Dupré 2012 16,5 (UGC tasting Oct 2014)

“Mid cherry red. Lovely cherry fragrance too. Cool and silky. Relatively lightweight but fine and gentle on the palate. The producer was worried that this was a lighter-tasting sample than the rest and the second bottle was indeed firmer and richer. Bravo. Drink 2018-2025.”

<b>Fourcas Dupré</b>	<b>16,50</b>
Camensac GCC	16
Chasse Spleen	16
Poujeaux	16
La Lagune GCC	15,50
Tour Carnet GCC	15,50
Cantemerle GCC	15



### Ch Fourcas Dupré 2012 Listrac 16 Drink 2017-2024

“Dark purple. Sweet then savoury on the nose. Good freshness. Very plush texture and wonderful work to make this as engaging as possible but it all rather falls away towards the finish. Shame... Greenness and meanness assert themselves towards the end. »

Camensac GCC	16
<b>Fourcas Dupré</b>	<b>16</b>
Chasse Spleen	15
Clarke	15,50
Lanessan	15,50
Maucaillou	15,50
Poujeaux	15,50
Fourcas Hosten	15



### Château Fourcas-Dupré 2012

“Attractive florality, red fruits, a well-made, elegant Lustrac. **16/20.** “

**Drink:** 2015 - 2022

**Taster:** Steven Spurrier

Potensac :	16
<b>Fourcas Dupré :</b>	<b>16</b>
Maucaillou :	16
Clarke :	16
Fonbadet :	16
Lanessan :	15,50
Sarget de Gruaud Laroze	15,50
Lalande Borie :	15

### bettane+desseauve 15/20

« Souple, mûr, échantillon un peu évolué et amolli, se dégustant moins précis à ce stade que ses pairs. A goûter dans six mois. »

**Taster :** Michel Bettane

Chasse Spleen :	15
Belgrave GCC :	15
<b>Fourcas Dupré :</b>	<b>15</b>
Brown :	15
Camensac GCC :	14,5-15
Charmail :	14,5
Haut Bergey :	14,5
Patache d'Aux :	14



*Tasted : April 2013, Bordeaux : 84/100*

“Well made red from Lustrac with dark berry fruit and supple tannins. The flavours are quite upfront this year with approachable tannins and good balance. Enjoy young. » Taster : Jeannie Cho Lee MW.

Poujeaux :	85
Chasse Spleen :	84
<b>Fourcas Dupré :</b>	<b>84</b>
La Tour Carnet GCC :	84
Maucaillou :	84
Siran :	83
Cambon La Pelouse :	83
Ferrière GCC :	82
Camensac GCC :	81
Mauvesin Barton :	81
Patache d'Aux :	80



Château Fourcas Dupré 2012 : **16/20**

Les Ormes de Pez :	16
Du Tertre GCC :	16
<b>Fourcas Dupré :</b>	<b>16</b>
Ferrière GCC :	16
Montbrison :	16
Prieuré Lichine GCC :	16



**87–89.** “Barrel sample. This wine is solid and dark with bitter tannins that offer a hard edge to the riper blackberry fruits. A dense wine that has a very dry core.” (4/12/2013) **Roger Voss.**

Mombrison :	87-89
<b>Fourcas Dupré :</b>	<b>87-89</b>
Siran :	87-89

## Le Point

« Fruits rouges, tanins soyeux dans un style un peu margalien, frais, gourmand, réglissé en finale. » **14,5/15 LE POINT, Jacques Dupont, mai 2013.**

Potensac :	15
Labégorce :	14,5/15
Les Ormes de Pez :	14,5
Phélan Ségur :	14,5
<b>Fourcas Dupré :</b>	<b>14,5</b>
Monbrison :	14,5
Maucaillou :	14
Angludet :	13,5/14
Lacoste-Borie :	13,5/14

## New Bordeaux

by Jane Anson

« Lots of deleafing green harvesting after colour changing going on here. It doesn't quite manage to pull off a polished gleen, but good depth of flavour, can feel the structure and freshness from the cabernet sauvignon, but just slight trace of green pepper pyrazine on the finish. However it's subtle and this is among the good ones. **88/16,25.** Recommended. Drink 2017 -2027 **Jane Anson.**

Chasse Spleen	89/16,75
Belgrave GCC	89/16,75
Beychevelle GCC	89/16,75
Poujeaux	87-88/16,25-16,50
<b>Fourcas Dupré</b>	<b>88/16,25</b>
Cantemerle GCC	87/16,25
Langoa Barton GCC	87/16,25
Dauzac GCC	86/16
Phélan ségur	84-86/15,25-16
Maucaillou	85/15,50
Camensac GCC	82/14,75

“Une brise fraîche anime ce vin qui ne recherché ni la puissance ni le volume. Sont fruit est de prunelle, surmonté par quelques jolies fleurs. Allonge crayeuse » 14/20

Carruades de Lafite :	15,5
Potensac :	14
<b>Fourcas Dupré :</b>	<b>14</b>
Tour des Termes :	14

## LE FIGARO

### Bernard Burtchy, Le Figaro.

« Tout comme en 2011, Fourcas Dupré 2012 est un vin souple et charmeur, léger, d'un abord facile, mais qui se tendra bien comme d'habitude. » 15/20 Bernard Burtchy, Le Figaro.

Maucaillou :	15
Lanessan :	15
<b>Fourcas Dupré :</b>	<b>15</b>
Tour de Mons :	15
Charmail :	15
Fourcas Hosten, :	14,5
Douves Tour Carnet GCC :	14,5
Lilian Ladouys :	14,5
Brillette :	14,5



Médaille d'Or, Concours Mundus Vin, Février 2015.

### Wine Words & Videopapes (Blog), Jeremy Williams

« Chateau Fourcas Dupré is a flavoursome Lustrac of good quality that represents value for money. In its youth it is a positive, sappy wine with an agreeable bite and nicely integrated oak. It ages well in the medium term into something quite complex and sturdy. On balance I find it more charming than Fourcas-Hosten though that depends on the vintage. The 2010, 2009 and 2005 are good, sturdy wines with plenty of material and grip. »

« Dark centre; vibrant at edge; some perfume, prettiness on the nose; some cherry; depth not unattractive; good entry, ripe fruit, chewy but good nevertheless. Lots of guts. Chewy finish but will work. » 86-88 UGC Tuesday April 9 2013

Camensac GCC :	86-88+
<b>Fourcas Dupré :</b>	<b>86-88</b>
Chasse-Spleen :	85-87
Maucaillou :	85-87
Fourcas Hosten :	85-87
Clarke :	85-87