

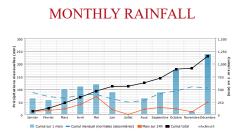
CHATEAU LYNCH-MOUSSAS

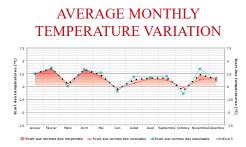
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VINTAGE 2020: BALANCE, LENGTH, ELEGANCE

2020, third Musketeer of that extremely successful vintage trilogy 2018, 2019, 2020. Its characteristics are a precocious vintage with severe dry periods. As a result of a rather dry and mild winter bud burst was two weeks early compared to 2019: the first buds came on 26 March for the Merlots! This precocity was pushed forward with the fall of the first flowerhoods on 9 May. Then, the first half of May was relatively fresh and rainy. Veraison began on 6 July and lasted 3-4 weeks for some parcels. During this same time, from 18 June to 12 August, so during almost 2 months, we suffered from a lack of water with high temperatures, so the vegetative cycle slowed down. Like for most of top level vintages, the whole crop took place in September. We began harvesting Merlots on September 14th and finished them on September 22nd; as well as Cabernets Sauvignons on September 24th until September 30th. Superb Merlots, top quality Cabernets give this great vintage its roundness, richness, and elegance that represent the essence of the Pauillac terroir and the greatness of its grapes.









THE VINE CYCLE

Bud busting 26 March

Flowering 9 May

Veraison 6 July

Harvests Merlots 14 -22 September Cabernets Sauvignons 24-30 Sept.

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Cabernet Sauvignon

Merlot

Intense color, with purplish-blue hues. It reveals blackcurrant, black fruits and liquorice aromas. The attack is all sweetness, with a stretched and very elegant structure. At this early stage of aging, it already presents a lot of charm and delicacy, while retaining the power of its terroir.

Axel Marchal, Doctor of Enology.

