

Château
Puygueraud



BORDEAUX COTES DE FRANCS
HÉRITIERS GEORGE THIENPONT

2020

PUYGUERAUD BLANC

Dégustations en bouteille

“A dense and rich white with lots of dried pear and apple. **Full and rich, yet it’s so energetic and electric.** Contrasty and bright. 73% sauvignon blanc and the rest sauvignon gris. Drink or hold.”

James Suckling, JamesSuckling.com, avril 2023

93/100

“Lots of bright citrus and grapefruit, as well as some minty herbs and mineral notes emerge from the 2020 Château Puygueraud Blanc, **a medium-bodied, refreshing, crisp white that’s going to shine on a hot summer day, as well as be incredibly versatile on the dinner table.** It will keep for 2-3 years with no issues.”

Jeb Dunnuck, JebDunnuck.com, mars 2023

91/100

“Smells like lemon balm, zesty and citrusy. Nice weight in the mouth, appealing straight away with an intensity of citrus fruits, peach, lemon and apricot and grapefruit. Density in the touch of sweetness yet there is acidity too as well as a general clean, clear, stony overall flavour. Still feels a touch closed, not yet showing its all, a bit tight. But **I think this will be lovely.** Definitely brighter and more lively than some with a clean, slate texture. Easy to enjoy for sure.”

Georgina Hindle, Decanter, mars 2023

91/100

“White flowers, lemons, and green apples create the nose. On the palate, the wine offers sweet, juicy lemons with **a solid touch of sea salt and mint, that carries from the mid-palate all the way through to the finish.** Drink from 2023-2028.”

Jeff Leve, *The Wine Cellar Insider*, mars 2023

90/100

“2020 Puygueraud blanc is a blend of 73% Sauvignon blanc and 27% Sauvignon Gris. It needs a little swirling to reveal notes of lemon juice, lime leaves, and chalk dust, leading to wafts of coriander seed and wet pebbles. Medium-bodied, **the palate is lively and zesty** with a pure, citrusy finish.”

Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, mars 2023

89/100

“The 2020 Puygueraud Blanc is bright, airy and easy to like. Lemon peel, flowers and light tropical notes all grace this **attractive, understated white.** The Blanc is ideal for drinking now and over the next year or two, while the flavors remain crisp.”

Antonio Galloni, *Vinous*, février 2023

89/100

“Zippy, with lemon peel, thyme and fleur de sel notes racing through. **Pure, mouthwatering finish.** Sauvignon blanc and Sauvignon gris. Drink now through 2023. 1,750 cases made.”

James Molesworth, *Wine Spectator*, février 2023

89/100

Primeurs

“This is very mineral with a salty undertone to the lemon-rind and sliced green-apple character. Medium body. **Crisp finish. Energetic.** Really spicy at the end. Drink now.”

James Suckling, *JamesSuckling.com*, avril 2021

92/100

« 73% sauvignon blanc, 27% sauvignon gris, pour un profil minéral (pierre à fusil) tendu, racé. Aucune touche variétale dans ce blanc de belle identité qui décline le zeste d'agrumes sur de fins amers désaltérants. **Juteux, croquant, salivant, il se signale par son joli équilibre.** Faibles rendements dûs à la grêle. »

Mathieu Doumenge, *Terre de Vins*, mai 2021

92-93/100

“Bright, crisp, juicy, sweet lemons and green apple with a touch of honeysuckle and peach hit all the right notes. The finish is fresh and a bit spicy. It is impossible to find a better value in white Bordeaux wine than you have here.”

Jeff Leve, *The Wine Cellar Insider*, mai 2021

91/100

« Bouquet invitant aux notes fraîches et fruitées. Nuances de fruits jaunes et d'agrumes. Caractère racé en bouche avec une excellente harmonie entre acidité et intensité fruitée. Un vin tonique, sapide et désaltérant. 2022-2035. »

Yves Beck, *Beckustator*, juin 2020

91/100

« Un vin à la robe pâle et lumineuse, issu de sauvignon à 100 % (73 % sauvignon blanc et 27 % sauvignon gris), qui exhale des notes de fruits exotiques tels que le litchi ou la goyave. Rond et minéral, il s'achève par une belle vivacité en finale. »

Le Figaro Vin, mai 2021

91/100

« Fruits frais, fruits blancs, jasmin et fleurs blanches. Bouche juteuse et franche. Légèrement saillant et vif. Finale aérienne et fraîche. De beaux amers. Très belle bouteille. »

Yohan Castaing, *Anthocyanes*, mai 2021

90-92+/100

“The 2020 Puygueraud Blanc is full of lemon peel, almond, dried flowers, apricot and chamomile. Light and gracious, with pretty tropical overtones, it is impeccably rendered and all the elements are nicely balanced.”

Antonio Galloni, *Vinous*, juin 2021

89-91/100

“The 2020 Blanc sings of ripe, juicy pears, Golden Delicious apples and white peaches with a waft of allspice. The medium-bodied palate has a seriously racy line lifting all the ripe, expressive apple and spice flavors and pleasant oiliness to the texture to an invigorating finish.”

Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker Wine Advocate*, mai 2021

89-91/100

“Bright yellow colour with green hue. Fragrant nose with aroma reminiscent of white blossoms, apricots and citrus fruit. On the palate crisp character with fine minerality and juicy fruit, citrus zest in the background. Very good length in a mouth-watering style.”

Markus del Monego, mai 2021

90/100

“Plump apricot and nectarine flesh, stone fruits that are juicy and well defined. Harvest began on August 31, which meant all the white fruit was in before the heat spikes of later in September. Drinking Window 2021-2030”

Jane Anson, Decanter, mai 2021

89/100

« L'aération amplifie des arômes floraux (verveine et fleurs blanches), d'agrumes (oranges, citrons, et pamplemousse), avec une pointe d'épices et un élevage discret et élégant. L'attaque est délicatement charnue et veloutée, le vin prend de la densité, et de l'énergie dans un milieu de bouche fruité. La finale est longue, tonique, fraîche, expressive, et saline, avec une petite fermeté crayeuse de bon aloi. »

Daniel Seriot, Journal d'un Passionné de la Rive droite, mai 2021

92-93/100

“Le nez est fruité, frais et offre un fruit frais/éclatant. (...) La bouche est fraîche, gourmandise, et offre du gras, de la rondeur, une jolie finesse du gras, de la suavité, une certaine énergie ainsi qu'une fine richesse. En bouche ce vin exprime des notes de litchi, de quénette et plus légèrement de pêche de vigne juteuse/éclatante (...). Bonne longueur.”

Jonathan Choukroun-Chicheportiche, Vert de Vin, mai 2021

91/100