



HOUSE OF TOWNEND

FAMILY WINE MERCHANTS SINCE 1906

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## Château Palmer 2021, 3ème Grand Cru Classé Margaux

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<b>Price</b>	£396.00
<b>Code</b>	PALM205

After the First Growths this is traditionally one of the highest performing Chateaux and is always in high demand. A classic Palmer, rich and creamy whilst maintaining a beautiful precision.

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### Tasting Notes:

This is a stellar Palmer with lower alcohol levels perfectly balancing an opulent and concentrated wine that has a lovely poise and refined classicism. There is more Cabernet in the blend this vintage yielding powerful and muscular black fruits, mulled cherry and a touch of violets builds as you swirl the glass, then notes of chocolate and a degree of spice edge over - but all this is balanced perfectly by an elegant and brooding tannin framework that holds the whole wine in perfect balance. The finish just goes on and on..

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Specification	
<b>Vinification</b>	Yields of 22hl/ha, aged in 65% new French oak barrels for 12 months, followed by ageing in foudre.
<b>ABV</b>	12.5%
<b>Size</b>	75cl
<b>Drinking Window</b>	Drink from 2030 through to 2045
<b>Country</b>	France
<b>Region</b>	Bordeaux
<b>Area</b>	Margaux
<b>Type</b>	Red Wine
<b>Grape Mix</b>	56% Cabernet Sauvignon, 41% Merlot, 3% Petit Verdot
<b>Genres</b>	Biodynamic, Fine Wine, Organic
<b>Vintage</b>	2021
<b>Body</b>	Rich, bold and robust
<b>Producer</b>	Château Palmer
<b>Producer Overview</b>	In 1938, four Bordeaux families – Sichel, Mähler-Besse, Ginestet, and Mialhe – all active in the Bordeaux fine wine trade – joined together to buy Palmer and restore it to the rank it deserved.
<b>Closure Type</b>	Cork
<b>Food Matches</b>	Enjoy with braised lamb with giant white beans.