



HOUSE OF TOWNEND

FAMILY WINE MERCHANTS SINCE 1906

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## Château Talbot 2023, 4ème Grand Cru Classé Saint-Julien 6 x 75cl

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<b>Price</b>	£231.00
<b>Code</b>	TALB150

Talbot is one of the most popular En Primeur châteaux, always delivering a wine true to its appellation. This vintage has the highest proportion of Cabernet Sauvignon yet and is a great performer in 2023.



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### Tasting Notes:

Aged in 60% new oak, this is a really impressive wine from this Château, now a consistent top performer of the St Julien appellation. Impressively structured, tight and classic in style, the fruit is fleshy with concentrated blackberry, plums and a touch of chocolate which adds to the viscosity on the palate. There is spice and forest floor and the tannins are perfectly tuned, whilst the finish is taut with notes of cedar.

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Specification	
<b>Vinification</b>	Harvest dates: 13th September - 6th October. Yields in 2023 were 54hl/ha. Château Talbot is vinified in a combination of temperature controlled, large, truncated, wood vats and stainless steel tanks. The stainless steel tanks are used only for the young vines. The wine of Château Talbot is then aged in 60% new, French oak barrels for an average of 14-16 months. Alc 13%
<b>Size</b>	6 x 75cl
<b>Drinking Window</b>	Drink from 2033 through to 2043
<b>Country</b>	France
<b>Region</b>	Bordeaux
<b>Area</b>	Saint-Julien
<b>Type</b>	Red Wine
<b>Grape Mix</b>	77% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Merlot, 3% Petit Verdot
<b>Genres</b>	En Primeur, Fine Wine
<b>Vintage</b>	2023
<b>Body</b>	Rich, bold and robust
<b>Producer</b>	Château Talbot
<b>Producer Overview</b>	Médoc Grand Cru Classé, Château Talbot comprises 107 hectares of vineyard cultivated in the heart of the Saint-Julien commune, an outstanding appellation, as it counts no fewer than 11 classified growths.
<b>Closure Type</b>	Cork
<b>Food Matches</b>	Delicious with beef ribs with mushrooms, bacon and potatoes.