



HOUSE OF TOWNEND

FAMILY WINE MERCHANTS SINCE 1906

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## Margaux de Brane 2016

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<b>Price</b>	£33.49
<b>Code</b>	MARG150

“2016 is a fantastic, sublime and at times entrancing vintage” Neal Martin. The 2016 Margaux de Brane, from Chateau Brane-Cantenac, is a delicious fine wine to drink now and over the next few years. Dark plum, chocolate, leather, licorice and grilled herb notes are nicely pushed forward in this succulent Cabernet Sauvignon-based wine.

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### Tasting Notes:

Ruby color. The nose offers an explosion of red fruits aromas, especially strawberry, mixed with vanilla and a hint of forest floor. On the palate, the wine is supple and intense. Beautiful roundness on the fruit and well balanced, with a slightly toasty finish. A delicious wine full of freshness.

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Specification	
<b>Vinification</b>	In stainless steel vats
<b>ABV</b>	13%
<b>Size</b>	75cl
<b>Drinking Window</b>	Drink now through to 2029
<b>Country</b>	France
<b>Region</b>	Bordeaux
<b>Area</b>	Margaux
<b>Type</b>	Red Wine
<b>Grape Mix</b>	73% Cabernet Sauvignon, 27% Merlot
<b>Genres</b>	Fine Wine
<b>Vintage</b>	2016
<b>Body</b>	Rich, rounded and full flavoured
<b>Producer</b>	Château Brane Cantenac
<b>Producer Overview</b>	The vineyards of this château are located to the west of the village of Cantenac. Proprietor Henri Lurton has improved the quality in the vines, regrafting previously planted Merlot to high quality Cabernet Sauvignon.
<b>Closure Type</b>	Cork
<b>Food Matches</b>	Sirloin steak, burger, comté cheese, cashew nuts and dark chocolate (higher cocoa % the better)