

2010 Château La Tour Carnet, 4ème Cru Haut Médoc

Château Tour Carnet, Bordeaux Wine Region, France

Product details

Vintage: 2010 Drinking: Now 2035

Producer: Château Tour Carnet **Alcohol:**

Region: Bordeaux Wine Variety: Bordeaux blend

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Country: France

Tasting notes

Very ripe and sweet on the nose with deep, dark plum jam fruit characters. Firm tannins frame the ripe, cassis fruit and there is an attractive, fresh acidity on the finish. This is a powerful and concentrated wine which should age very well. 2018 - 2035

Reviews

Probably La Tour Carnet?s best since their 2001, the 2010 La Tour Carnet exhibits wonderful ripeness, a dense ruby/purple color, notes of licorice, camphor and some toast as well as lots of black currant and blueberry fruit. It is medium to full-bodied, with attractive sweetness of tannin, good acidity, excellent delineation to its component parts, and a full-bodied, impressively long finish. This wine may close down somewhat, given the moderate tannins, but it seems relatively accessible despite being a 2010. Anticipated maturity: 2018-2035. Another spectacular effort from proprietor Bernard Magrez, this Haut Medoc was harvested very late in 2010. The final blend is 60% Merlot, 34% Cabernet Sauvignon and the rest a small amount of Cabernet Franc and 1% Petit Verdot. Score: 93 Robert Parker

About the producer