

Château Léoville Las Cases has aged this wine for you in its cellars from harvest to shipping in 2022



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Grand Vin de Léoville du Marquis de Las Cases

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In the heart of the Chateau Léoville Las Cases, one can admire two twin Italian mirrors from the 18th Century. In fact, when one chooses to look closely at them, minute differences could be noted. It is said to be a signature in Italian art, objects created in pairs will always bear tiny, hardly noticeable differences, so one element would be for Madame, and one for Monsieur.

Our "Collection Miroir" is a very limited edition of two sister cases, one complementing the other, one reflecting the other. The first one would be named "Millésimes Secrets" – Secret Vintages and the other one would be "Millésimes Historiques" – Historical Vintages.

Establishing such a special case is never easy. Determining a selection of laudatory praised vintages that are all the same ready to be enjoyed from now on, was a great challenge, but finalizing a shortlist of lesser known, forgotten or misunderstood vintages was even trickier. The consistency of the Grand Vin of Léoville Las Cases is such that many vintages would have deserved to be included in this case. So it was decided to create two cases instead of one.

The Grand Vin de Léoville du Marquis de Las Cases, most of the time called « Léoville Las Cases », is known for its balance, its elegance and its tremendous ageing capacity. Even though it can be enjoyed in its youth, those who have had the opportunity to taste ancient vintages, are aware of the expected and moving experience in seeing their patience rewarded, no matter the quality of the vintage.

Each vintage you now own was carefully chosen, each bottle matured in our cellars until it was prepared and laid down in this case.

∎1982	99/100 (Jeb Dunnuck, 2019) 97/100 (Decanter, Jane Anson, 2018) 18/20 (Wein Gabriel, René Gabriel, 2021)	99/	20 (Wein Gabriel, René Gabriel, 2021) 100 (Jeb Dunnuck, 2019) 100 (Vinous, Neal Martin, 2021)
BLEND		BLEND	100 (<i>v</i> mous, <i>iveu iviurun</i> , 2021)
Cabernet Sauvignon 60% - Merlot 26% - Cabernet Franc 9% - Petit Verdot 5%		Cabernet Sauvignon 77% - Cabernet Franc 14% - Merlot 9%	
HARVEST PERIOD	LAB ANALYSES	HARVEST PERIOD	LAB ANALYSES
From 13 th to 29 th September 1982 Alcohol: 12.40 % vol pH: 3.48		From 28 th September to 11 th October 2000 Alcohol: 12.75 % vol pH: 3.73	
■1990	19/20 (Jancisrobinson.com, Jancis Robinson, 2018) 98/100 (The Wine Cellar Insider, Jeff Leve, 2022) 97/100 (Beckustator, Yves Beck, 2022)	97+	100 (Wine Spectator, James Molesworth, 2018) /100 (Vinous, Antonio Galloni, 2021) /100 (Wine Advocate, Robert Parker, 2015)
BLEND		BLEND	
Cabernet Sauvignon 43% - Merlot 29% - Cabernet Franc 21% - Petit Verdot 7%		Cabernet Sauvignon 88% - Merlot 7% - Cabernet Franc 5%	
HARVEST PERIOD	LAB ANALYSES	HARVEST PERIOD	LAB ANALYSES
From 20 th September to 6 th October 1990 Alcohol: 13.25 % vol pH: 3.55		From 21 st September to 7 th October 2005 Alcohol: 13.15 % vol pH: 3.58	
■1996	100/100 (Janeanson.com, Jane Anson, 2021)	2009 99/	100 (James Suckling, 2019)
	98/100 (The Wine Cellar Insider, Jeff Leve, 2021)		100 (Wine Advocate, Lisa Perrotti-Brown, 2019)
	98/100 (Wine Advocate, Neal Martin, 2016)		100 (Jeb Dunnuck, 2020)
BLEND	, or roo (white reactions) reacting 2010)	BLEND	
Cabernet Sauvignon 70% - Cabernet Franc 16% - Merlot 14%		Cabernet Sauvignon 76% - Merlot 15% - Cabernet Franc 9%	
HARVEST PERIOD	LAB ANALYSES	HARVEST PERIOD	LAB ANALYSES
From 25 th September to 10 th October 1996 Alcohol: 12.65 % vol pH: 3.66		From 22 nd September to 7 th October 20	09 Alcohol: 13.80 % vol pH: 3.62