

# 2009 Château Grand Puy Lacoste, 5ème Cru Pauillac

Château Grand Puy Lacoste, Bordeaux Wine Region, France

## Product details

<b>Vintage:</b>	2009	<b>Drinking:</b>	Now 2030+
<b>Producer:</b>	Château Grand Puy Lacoste	<b>Alcohol:</b>	
<b>Region:</b>	Bordeaux Wine Region	<b>Variety:</b>	Bordeaux blend
<b>Country:</b>	France		

## Tasting notes

Notes of loganberry, bramble and fresh cassis on the nose, this is fresh, stylish and charming with lots of energy and lift. On the palate, there is excellent depth but nothing is forced, the wine moving in the mouth with silky elegance backed up by good, ripe tannic structure. Minerality on the finish adds seriousness to accompany the succulence of the fruit. This is supremely elegant, stylish Pauillac that will also go the full distance. Drink 2019-2030+. 80CS:18M:2CF. 18

## About the producer

Frequently cited as punching above its weight in the classification stakes, this 5eme Cru classe has a complicated history, not unusual given the inheritance laws in France. The estate again began to produce wine that was not only worthy of the 1855 classification it had inherited but outperformed it. Francois Xavier now sits at the helm and undertook an extensive programme of investment, innovation and renovation. The wines have seen a serious upturn after the doldrums of the early part of the 20th century and now deserve the widespread acclaim they have achieved.

