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# Château Lauduc

# L'InVINcible



VINTAGE	2020
REGION	Bordeaux
APPELLATION	Bordeaux
VARIETAL	100% Merlot
ALCOHOL	14 %
TERROIR	Limestone-clay.
INFO	55 Ha (135.9 Acres) total vineyard.
	8 Ha (19.77 Acres) single plot, devoted to l'InVINcible
	See vinification process
	No sulfer added
	Unfined / Unfiltered
	<b>HVE 3</b> , farm certified having high environmental value - 2nd Year <b>Organic Conversion</b>
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## About the Estate:

Family estate for 4 generations now run by Régis & Hervé GRANDEAU, the 55 Hectares (135.9 acres) vineyard of Château LAUDUC is located on the highest hillsides of the commune of Tresses, only 10km away from downtown Bordeaux. Enjoying various exposures and soils (limestoneclay, siliceous, gravels) which are particularly well adapted to vine growing and allowing grapes to achieve perfect ripeness. Once harvested at their best maturity, the grapes' vinification is handled in a modern cellar with thermoregulated stainless steel tanks used to extract soft tannins and deep color, respecting the fruits' true expression. The full estate is now certified HVE 3, the highest level of environment value & respect, and will be Certified Organic from 2022 Vintage. Château LAUDUC - InVINcible, is a new wine, made form 100% Merlot, with no sulfer added. See under

#### Vinification Process:

Single plot harvesting with bio-protection thanks to saccharomyces yeast, to help protecting grapes from oxidation. Fermentation process at lower temperature with seeding of yeast to finish fermentation. Winding reduction to keep fruit and freshness in the wine, Natural malolactic fermentation without lactic bacterium, followed by a raking to put off bacterium. Its does result a very pure, fruity, fresh wine, the feeling to drink grapes' juice,,, all natural! Great packaging, InVINcible and Irresistible bottle of Bordeaux!

### **Tasting Notes:**

Dark purple in color. Extremely juicy, ample in fruit & mouthwatering nose (cassis, dark cherries, blueberry), with soft spices & floral notes. Extremely charming & juicy palate, keeping the soft spices' notes, then going on Merlot grapes' juiciness. Ample & sappy length of freshness!

Food Pairing: Daily gourmandise, by itself!

#### Press Review:

"It is still young with black currant freshness and acidity. The wine needs some time to soften."  ${\bf 88Pts}\ Roger\ Voss$  - Wine Enthusiast

2019 Vint. "soft, supple & full of ripe blackberry flavors. Its' all fruit without any wood aging, giving a fresh, perfumed & jammy character." 88 Pts R. Voss - W. Enthusiast

"Fresh & direct, with red cherry, damson plum & red tea notes carried by bright acidity. Not big, but pure, & very nicely defined." 88 Pts James Molesworth - Wine Spectator

"Easy to like, floral, fruity, red berry oriented charmer, with chocolate-mint & cooking spice overtones." Jeff Leve