



# 2022

## STUPENDOUS VINTAGE

### HISTORY

Château Tour des Termes owes its name to the Tower located on the site "Termes" plot, referring to "The End of the Lands". Located between the ocean and the Gironde river, Tour des Termes vineyards benefits of unique micro climate and rich biodiversity thanks to meadows, forest surrounding vines.

Eddie O'Connor has aquired Tour des Termes with his family in 2023 from Anney family. Adding a family investment to his passion for wines next to their family main businesses : renewable energy.

### TECHNICAL CARD

Blend : 60 % Cabernet Sauvignon, 30 % Merlot, 5 % Cabernet Franc, 5 % Petit-Verdot

Analysis : 14.26 % vol - pH 3.52

### TOUR DES TERMES SAINT-ESTÈPHE

Owners : O'Connor family  
CEO : Julien Brustis  
Consultant Winemaker : Hubert de Bouard  
Soils : 1/3 Pyrenean Gravels, 2/3 Clay-limestone  
Average age of wines : 35 years old  
Estate : 70 ha  
Vineyard : 35 ha  
Ageing : 15 months in French oak barrels.  
40 % new oak.

Classement : Cru Bourgeois Supérieur  
Vineyard Management : Terra Vitis & HVE3

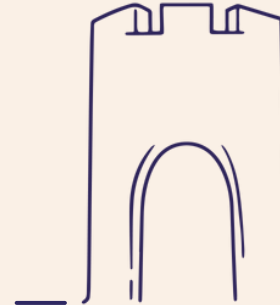
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An exceptional concentration of colours and a tannic structure enhanced by opulent creaminess on the palate. In winemakers memory, the 2022 vintage has reached an unmatched quality level. "Never seen before"

Heat and drought set in as early as the end of winter, causing a homogeneous but early bud break at the end of March and flowering at the beginning of May. The harvest started on 12 September.

The vines have defied extreme climatic conditions thanks to the clay-limestone soils that remain fresh and naturally drained in depth by the Gironde and thanks to the winds coming from the ocean which have given us a few cool nights. The harvest ended on September 30. Very high temperatures favored the maturity and concentration of juices, but water stress impacted our yield by a decrease in berry size



# NOTES

- ANDREAS LARSSON : 94/100
- TASTING BOOK - MARKUS DEL MONEGO : 94/100
- FALSTAFF - PETER MOSER : 93/100
- JAMES SUCKLING : 93/100
- JANE ANSON : 93/100
- FIGARO: 93/100
- VINOUS - NEAL MARTIN : 92/100
- JM QUARIN : 92/100
- TERRE DE VINS : 92/100
- ANTONIO GALLONI : 91/100