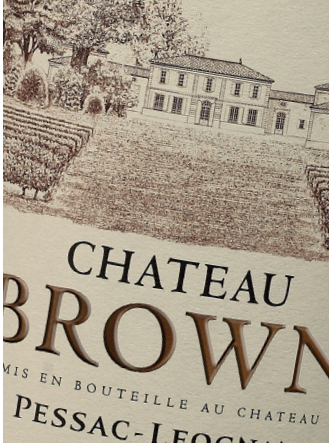


# CHATEAU BROWN

PESSAC-LEOGNAN  
GRAND VIN DE GRAVES



## CHATEAU BROWN

### WHITE

#### **SURFACE AREA OF WHITE VINES:**

5 hectares (estate total: 31ha)

#### **PLANTED WHITE GRAPE VARIETIES:**

60% Sauvignon Blanc  
40% Sémillon

#### **HARVESTING:**

100% manual, with sorting in the vineyard and transportation in small cases to avoid any risk of oxydation

#### **VINIFICATION:**

- Light pressing for the grapes, in inert conditions (horizontal pneumatic press)
- Cold must settling (8°C) in small, thermo-regulated stainless steel vats
- Alcoholic fermentation at 16.5° in barrels (50% new and 50% used once previously).

#### **MATURING:**

100% of the production in French oak barrels with mild toast (50% new and 50% used once previously). Over fine lees, with stirring, during 8 months.

#### **SOIL:**

- Clay-limestone and fine gravel over a clay-limestone subsoil
- Plot-by-plot management with integrated drainage system

#### **VINEYARD MANAGEMENT:**

Eco-responsible viticulture certified HEV 3 (High Environmental Value)

#### **AVERAGE AGE OF THE VINES:**

18 years

#### **AVERAGE YIELD FOR WHITE WINE:**

(ten-year average)  
36 hectolitres/hectare

#### **SECOND WINE:**

Le Colombier de Brown  
La Pommeraie de Brown

**PROPRIETORS:** Families Mau et Dirkzwager

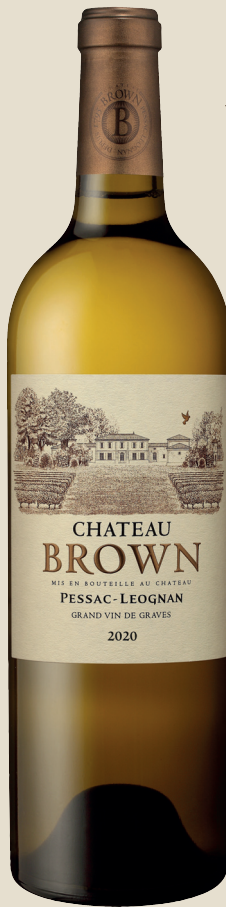
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2020

**Blend:**

72% Sauvignon Blanc  
28% Sémillon

**Alcohol Degree:** 14°

**Yield:**

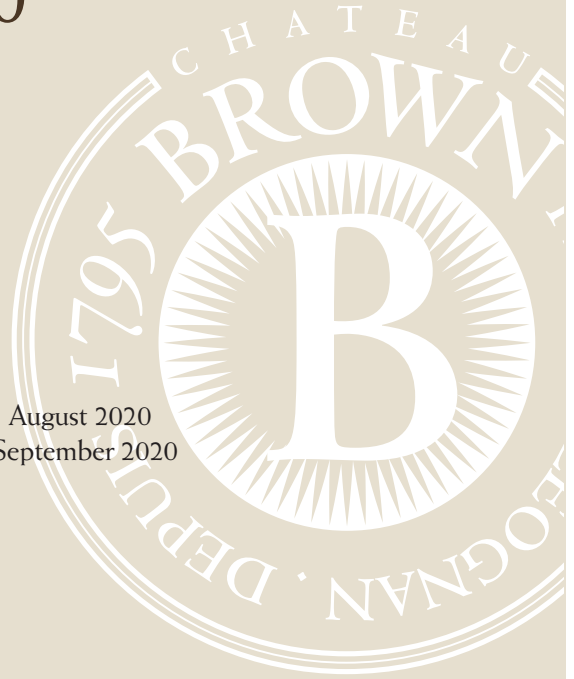
29 hl/ha

**Harvest dates:**

Sauvignon blanc: from 26<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> August 2020  
Sémillon: from 27<sup>th</sup> August to 7<sup>th</sup> September 2020

**Bottling date at the property:**

26<sup>th</sup> August 2021



## TASTING COMMENTS:

Château Brown Blanc 2020 features a stunning, shiny, yellow colour. The first nose is very expressive and floral, before quickly opening out into intense scents of fresh ananas and citrus zest. The attack is smooth and precise. On the palate, it is generous and full-bodied. The finish is long, with roasted and lemon notes. Lingers superbly in the mouth.

Jean-Christophe Mau, September 2021

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