

CHÂTEAU COUTET

PREMIER GRAND CRU CLASSÉ EN 1855



BARSAC

Owners: *Philippe Baly - Dominique Baly*



Recognised amongst the finest wines in its appellation, Château Coutet was classified a First Growth in 1855. One of the oldest estates in the Sauternes region, Coutet has an exceptional terroir and a rich architectural heritage. An English fortress in the 13th Century, this citadel with its square tower, a design typical of the era's military constructions, became a wine producing estate in 1643.

Château Coutet belonged to the de Lur Saluces family for over a century and currently is owned and managed by Philippe and Dominique Baly, with the technical and commercial collaboration of the Baron Philippe de Rothschild S.A., the vineyard's exclusive distributor.

The name Coutet comes from the Gascon word for knife ("couteau"), in reference to the wine's fresh, lively acidity and unique vivacity. In its youth, Château Coutet displays aromas of white flowers, citrus, honey, and vanilla. Age enhances the botrytis character to give the wines a deep, delicate bouquet with hints of spice and candied fruit.

Area under vine	38.5 hectares
Production	42,000 bottles
Soil	Clay on a limestone subsoil
Grape varieties	75% Sémillon, 23% Sauvignon Blanc, 2% Muscadelle
Barrel ageing	18 months - New barrels: 100%
Second wine	La Chartreuse de Coutet

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