









REVUE DE PRESSE
CHÂTEAU SANSONNET
MILLESIME 2020



Récapitulatifs des notes - Millésime 2020

MEDIA	DEGUSTATEUR	NOTES/100
	Antonio Galloni	96
JEB DUNNUCK	Jeb Dunnuck	96
JAMES SUCKLING.COM 	James Suckling	95
	Jeff Leve	95
 the world's best wine magazine	Georgina Hindle	94
JEAN-MARC  UARIN	Jean Marc Quarin	94
 The world's largest wine information source	Marcus Del Monego	94
<i>YvesBeck.wine</i>	Yves Beck	94
	Lisa Perrotti-Brown	94
	Neal Martin	92+



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JEBDUNNUCK.COM - Jeb DUNNUCK - March 2023

Score : 96/100

"Another head-turning vintage from this château, the 2020 Château Sansonnet is based on 95% Merlot, 3% Cabernet Sauvignon, and the rest Cabernet Franc, from yields of 36 hectoliters per hectare, that was raised in 80% new barrels. Possessing incredible purity in its black raspberry and cassis fruit as well as notes of white flowers, camphor, and spicy oak, it hits the palate with medium to full-bodied richness, polished, ultra-fine tannins, flawless balance, and a great, great finish. This estate, under the guidance of Marie and Christophe Lefèvre, has had a shocking string of truly incredible vintages, and given that these continue to be undervalued in the market, it's the wine lovers and wine drinkers out there who benefit. If you get a chance, don't miss this beauty." 2025 - 2040

VINOUS MEDIA - Antonio Galloni - December 2022

Score : 96/100

"The 2020 Sansonnet has a powerful nose, ripe black cherries, cassis and pressed violet aromas, and touches of orange zest. It has not the delineation I was hoping for from barrel. The palate is medium-bodied but quite muscular on the entry, though the acidity is well judged, and it obtains more detail and elegance towards the cirus-driven finish. there is a bit rigidity here needs to become more malleable with tim. Give this 4-5 years in bottle. Tasted twice with consistent notes." 2025-2035

JAMESSUCKLING.COM - James SUCKLING - 30 Dec, 2022

Score : 95/100

"Notes of ripe blackberries and blueberries with black licorice, tree bark, chocolate and moist earth. Medium- to full-bodied and dense. It has layers of ultra-fine tannins wrapping up the deep core of dark fruit. Structured and velvety with a long finish". Try after 2026.

THE WINE CELLAR INSIDER - Jeff LEVE - March 2023

Score : 95/100

Dark in hue, the wine opens with espresso, black cherries, dark chocolate and flowers in the perfume. Full-bodied, creamy, concentrated, silky and fresh, the finish strives to coat your palate with its layers of polished, ripe, black and blue fruit, espresso, licorice chocolate and smoke. Drink from 2024-2050



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DECANTER - Georgina Hindle - February 2023

Score : 94/100

"Ripe, fleshy and mouthcoating, this packs a punch in terms of flavour, concentration, acidity and tannins. Everything is on show. Minty liquorice is dominant, so you get quite a lot of wood spice and bitter elements which do detract a little from the fruit, although this is a bold, brooding and characterful wine. Rich and heady. A blockbuster that just manages to stay on the right side of being too much. One to watch." Drinking Window: 2025 - 2042

Marcus Del Monego - Mars 20223

Score : 94/100

One of the great surprises in 2020 with intense purple colour, violet hue and black core. The nose combines fruit and spices, blackberries, black cherries and mulberries in combination with oriental spices and white pepper. Hints of liquorice in the background. On the palate well structured with juicy fruit, ripe tannins, velvety character and excellent length.

YVESBECK.WINE - Yves BECK - Decembre 2022

Score : 94/100

Au fil des années, il me semble qu'après ampleur et richesse, c'est au tour de la finesse et de l'énergie de rejoindre les nombreuses facettes de Sansonnet. Le cru se montre de plus en plus concret avec de surcroît une dose de tempérament bienvenue dans le contexte de 2020. On relèvera également la finesse des tannins ainsi que la tension en fin de bouche. Le bouquet, invitant, révèle des nuances de cassis et de sureau, suivies d'une touche de chocolat, tandis que l'attaque, subtilement saline, affiche du caractère. Quel repositionnement, et quelle belle réussite.

Jean Marc Quarin - Mars 2023

Score : 94/100

Couleur sombre, pourpre, belle et intense. Nez très aromatique, au fruité mûr. Subtil. Devient plus frais et plus pur à l'agitation du verre. Ample à l'attaque, juteux en milieu de bouche, avec de la classe dans le toucher, à la fois fruité, savoureux et légèrement boisé, le vin s'étire puissant, sèveux et long. C'est très bon.



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THE WINE INDEPENDENT - Lisa Perrotti-Brown - March 2023

Score : 94/100

«Deep garnet-purple colored, the 2020 Sansonnet explodes with notes of baked plums, boysenberry preserves, black raspberries, and Morello cherries, giving way to wafts of crushed rocks, cedar, and baking spices. The full-bodied palate has a rock-solid structure of firm, fine-grained tannins and bold freshness supporting the generous black and red fruit flavors, finishing with compelling energy.»

VINOUS MEDIA - Neal MARTIN - December 2022

Score : 92+/100

"The 2020 Sansonnet is one of the best wines here in recent memory. Ample and explosive in feel, the 2020 offers up copious dark fruit, chocolate, spice and new leather note. There's not much subtlety, but I don't think it matters much. This full-throttle, unabashedly, opulent Saint Emilion is lights out. Tasted two times." 2028-2050



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