

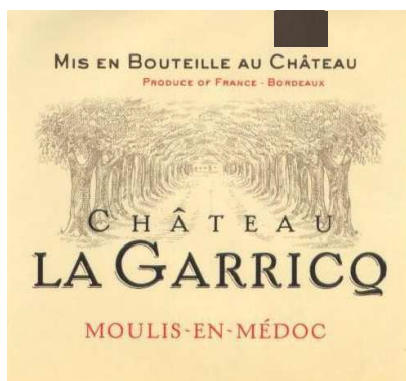
Vintage profile

A cold and dry winter. Thanks to warm spring temperatures the flowering was rapid and homogenous.

The summer was hot and dry; rainfall has been 2x inferior and temperature up 1,7°C compared to average years. Cool nights and warm days ensured a slow, long and regular ripening. Sugar and polyphenol values hit record heights. Berries were quite small and in perfect sanitary conditions, bringing down the yields.

Harvest Date

Merlots were brought in from September 20 at perfect maturation. Petit Verdots were harvested around October 6th. Cabernets with record IPT values followed starting from October 4th until October 14th.



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AOC	Moulis
Yield	34,5 hl/ha
Vinification	Plot by plot Temperature controlled fermentation in stainless steel tanks Post fermentation maceration between 20 and 26 days
Aging	12 months in oak casks and 4 months in stainless steel tanks after the final blending; 90% French oak 10% American oak medium toasted 30% new oak
Fining	With egg albumin after final blending No filtering before bottling
Blend	Cabernet Sauvignon 50% Merlot 30% Petit Verdot 20%
Alcohol	13,5 % Vol
Production	11 700 bottles

16,5/20

Remarquablement épanoui, avec des arômes de fruits confis frais et une bouche ayant gardé son gras et sa tenue. Les tanins demeurent vigoureux, sans sécheresse et avec une belle amplitude de style de très belle expression. Il évolue très bien.

La Revue du Vin de France - Mars 2013

85 - 88

Aromas of blackberries and spices follow through to a medium-bodied palate with fine tannins and a medium finish. Nice wine..

James Suckling Wine Spectator - March 2006

18/20

Sattes, dunkles Purpur mit Lila Schimmer. Tiefgründiges, saftiges Bouquet, Cassis, Maulbeeren, Rosenpfeffer. Viel Stoff im Gaumen, tolle Konzentration aufweisend, muskulöse Astringenz, schwarzebeeriges Finale, Potential zeigend, wieder bei den tollsten Moulis-Werten, genial wie der 2000er.

2010-2020

Rene Gabriel Weinwieser - April 2006

★★★ 16 points

Dense color, lots of new wood, crushed berry fruit, seductive wine with lift and grip.

Drink 2009 - 16

www.decanter.com - April 06

★★★★

Dense, sweet fruit but a touch reserved. Creamy oak. Firm fruit extract. Good acidity. Powerful tannic frame. Drink 2010-2018

Decanter, The 2009 Bordeaux Issue - June 2009