



# CHÂTEAU TROPLONG MONDOT 1er Grand Cru Classé B 2018

Art. Nr.: 1238618

**Hersteller:** Château Troplong Mondot, St. Emilion

**Land:** Frankreich

**Region (Betriebssitz):** Bordeaux

**Gebiet (Betriebssitz):** Saint-Émilion

**Jahrgang:** 2018

**Rebsorte:** Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc

**Alkoholgehalt:** 14,5 %

**Reife:** bis 2033

**Kategorie:** Rotwein

**Süße:** Trocken

## **Bewertung:**

**Robert Parker Wine Advocate:** 96

**James Suckling:** 98

**Wine Enthusiast:** 96

**Wine Spectator:** 94

## **Speiseempfehlung:**

**Rind:** Geschmort/Gedünstet

**Käse:** Rotschmierkäse

**Flaschengröße:** 0,75 Liter

**Verschluss:** Naturkork

**Einzelflaschenpreis:** € 148.70

## **Verkostnotiz**

**JAMES SUCKLING:** "The focus to this wine sets a new standard for Troplong Mondot with density and minerality that I have not encountered for decades. Lots of slate and white-pepper character. Tight and very dense. Full body. Balanced. Wild mineral character and freshness here. Precise."

**WINE ENTHUSIAST:** "The tannins are beautifully integrated into this velvet-textured wine. It has density and richness allied to concentration. At the same time, it has kept wonderful freshness and acidity to give it fine lift. The aging potential is obvious. - Roger Voss"

**ROBERT PARKER - THE WINE ADVOCATE:** "The 2018 Troplong Mondot is blended of 85% Merlot, 13% Cabernet Sauvignon and 2% Cabernet Franc, with 14.5% alcohol and a pH of 3.56. Deep garnet-purple in color, it begins slowly with bold, bright black raspberries, ripe black plums, fresh blackberries and Morello cherries notes, giving way to underlying scents of tobacco, wild sage, Sichuan pepper, black olives, truffles and Marmite toast with hints of crushed stones and iron ore. Medium to full-bodied, the palate offers wonderfully fresh, energetic black fruit with a downright racy line of freshness (uncommon for this vintage) and firm, rounded tannins, finishing long with lots of mineral, earth and dried herbs layers giving beautiful electric sparks." - Lisa Perrotti-Brown

**WINE SPECTATOR:** "This offers a lovely display of boysenberry, cherry and plum fruit, yet stays refined and focused, relying on purity as this glides through. Has weight but feels silky, with a flinty mineral hint adding cut on the finish. - James Molesworth"

**DECANTER:** "One of the stories of the 2018 vintage in Bordeaux was Troplong Mondot bringing in its first grapes on 7 September. Proof, many



wine, and I hope the sceptics were too, because this is a  
first 10 days, the final harvest date was 10 October. There  
still a whole lot of Troplong strength and concentration here, ,  
softer, with more minerality. The relatively high alcohols are appa  
out in the most delicious of ways, with a slate and white pepper finish. On the new vineyards bought (4ha from Clos Labarde and 6ha from Bellisle  
Mondotte), everything is in the second wine this year. The château will probably ask for some sections to be included in the grand vin in the next  
classification in 2022. 3.56pH. Thomas Duclos consults. - Jane Anson"

light around 80% of the grapes did come in during those  
alone, and impressive complexity on the nose. There's  
that with these clay and flint over limestone soils, but now it is  
out not as heat. I love the persistency here, as it drags things