



CHÂTEAU LANSCADE Bordeaux

Three generations of the Descorps family have tended vines and made wines from traditional Bordeaux grape varieties Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon on the alluvial plains of the Garonne, between Escoussans and Soullignac. This is true Bordeaux countryside, far away from the hustle and bustle of the city, where families make wines for neighbors and friends to enjoy with local cuisine. Since 1989, winemaker Laurent Descorps has crafted just one Bordeaux wine—a bold, juicy red rich in plum and red berry flavors—from his 25 acres.

WINERY: Château Lanscade

WINEMAKERS: Laurent Descorps

ESTABLISHED: 1940s

REGION: FRANCE • Bordeaux • Escoussans

APPELLATION: Bordeaux AOC

BLEND: 85% Merlot, 15% Cabernet Sauvignon

VINEYARDS: Estate vineyards, some 25 acres, cover gently rolling plains northwest of the Garonne river near the town of Escoussans. Soils are alluvial, with subsoils a combination of clay and limestone.

AGE OF VINES: 30 years

WINEMAKING: Destemmed; fermented on selected yeasts in temperature-controlled, stainless steel tanks. Aged in French oak barrels.

TASTING IMPRESSIONS: Aromas of black raspberries, black cherries, light smoke, licorice. Full-bodied, suave tannins; plums, red berry flavors

PAIRING SUGGESTIONS: Red meat or autumn stews; aged French cheeses



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