AP WINE IMPORTS

CHÂTEAU MAUVESIN BARTON

L'Impression de Mauvesin Barton

The Estate: 15th-century fortified castle in Moulis-en-Médoc acquired by the Barton family in 2011 (owners of Langoa and Léoville Barton for eight generations). Rebuilt in 1853 in Louis XIII style.

Location: Moulis-en-Médoc, Bordeaux, France.

Age of the Vines: From the estate's youngest plots

Vines: Manual harvest with 2 sorting operations (the first in the vineyard and the second before entering the vathouse).

Varietals: 50% Merlot, 35% Cabernet Sauvignon, 15% Cabernet Franc

Vinification: In temperature-controlled stainless steel vats. Vatting lasts 15-20 days. Malolactic fermentation occurs in barrels and vats.

Aging: 12 months in French oak barrels (20-25% new wood). Racking every 3 months. Fining with egg whites.

Tasting Notes: Deep garnet color with crimson highlights. Nose of red fruit, vanilla, and oak. Harmonious, full, and velvety on the palate; warm, well-balanced, and lively. Seamless, with a taut finish framed by freshness.

