



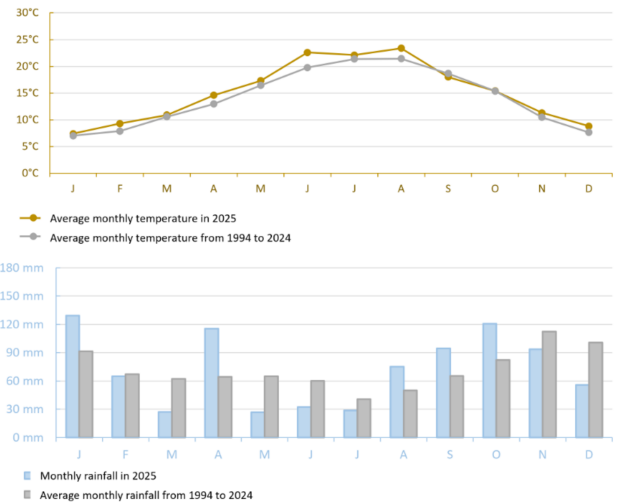
# Château Mouton Rothschild

## VINTAGE 2025

### CLIMATIC CONDITIONS

A mild winter with lower-than-average rainfall warmed the soil, so that budbreak arrived a few days earlier than usual in late March. In a particularly wet early spring, aggregate rainfall in April was 80% higher than the average for the last 30 years, while temperatures also remained above average. Summer weather arrived in May and lasted until the end of August, spurring vegetation growth and rapid, even flowering. Water stress was significant but not excessive and, following a more temperate spell in the second half of July, favoured very rapid, trouble-free veraison. Affected by the water shortage, the berries were small and concentrated, while the conditions generally kept the vineyard in excellent health throughout the growing season.

The summer had heralded a solar vintage but cooler weather arrived in the last few days of August, accompanied by welcome rainfall for the vines. The grapes were able to ripen fully as a result, and to achieve more classic balances. The harvest started in early September and ended historically early on the 20<sup>th</sup>, yielding a crop of rich and very healthy grapes. However, the lack of rain during most of the year resulted in reduced yields due to the small size of the grapes, especially on better-drained soils where the impact was reflected in final harvest volumes.



### VINEYARD

Surface in production 82 ha (203 acres)  
 Average age 65 years  
 Types of soil Deep gravel

### MATURING

New barrels 100%  
 Duration 18 months

### VEGETATION CYCLE

**BUDBREAK**  
 31 March

**FLOWERING**  
 22 to 27 May

**VERAISON**  
 27 to 31 July

### HARVEST

5 to 20 September

### VARIETAL MIX

Cabernet Sauvignon 98%  
 Merlot 2%

### TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Alcohol by volume 13.1%  
 pH 3.76

### TASTING NOTES

Château Mouton Rothschild 2025 is typical of vintages in which grapes reach optimum maturity. The wine immediately displays great depth of aroma and flavour on highly refined notes of black berry fruit – perfectly but not overly ripe blackberry and blackcurrant –, as well as that distinctive, almost mineral touch of graphite which, combined with mocha, bears the inimitable hallmark of Mouton Rothschild. Its full-bodied, generous, intense texture confers a degree of opulence, though with a certain tautness and the restraint typical of great vintages in which the terroir prevails over the weather. The tannins are creamy, close-knit and very well-defined. Abundant sunshine and warmth for several months of the year came together with the cooler late summer conditions to reveal the nobility of Cabernet Sauvignon grown on this unique terroir, reigning in majesty over the 2025 blend.