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CHATEAU LANGLET 2022 AOP Graves Blanc

— Background —

Located in the Cabanac-Villagrains commune, within the La Brède canton, Château Langlet is one of the oldest vineyards of the Graves region. It was first mentioned in wine literature over 140 years ago, in the 1868 edition of “Bordeaux et Ses Vins”, published by Féret, for both its red and white wines. Château Langlet was purchased in 1999 by the Kressman family, owners of the renowned Château Latour-Martillac in Pessac Léognan. A boutique property with a planted surface of 10 hectares, Château Langlet employs traditional cultivation and vinification methods to produce excellent wines. The consultant winemaker is Valérie Vialard. The winery has obtained High Environmental Value (HEV) certification in 2019.

— Viticulture —

- **100% Sauvignon Blanc.**
- 1.5 hectares.
- Small gravel soils from the tertiary period covered by clay and sand.
- Pruning: Double Guyot
- Average vine age of 25 years.
- Density of 5500 vines/hectare.
- Yield of 48 Hl/hectare.
- Sustainable agricultural practices.
- Debudding, leaf thinning, and green harvest to produce the best possible grapes.
- Manual harvest.

— Winemaking —

- Grapes sorted manually.
- Vinification by parcel.
- Alcoholic fermentation in oak barrels.
- Pumping over twice daily.
- Aged 6 months in French oak barrels. 10% new oak. 4 coopers used.
- No filtering. Fining.
- 6 200 bottles produced for 2020 vintage.

— Tasting Notes —

Very pale yellow robe. The exuberant nose is characterized by notes of exotic fruits, such as pineapple, and citrus fruits, such as grapefruit from the sauvignon. The mouth is continuous and fresh. It has a pleasant slight bitterness and a zesty character comparable to a lemon sorbet.

