

TASTING REPORT: MY 40 TOP 2011 BORDEAUX



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First Bottle Tasting - February 2014

Château Smith Haut Lafitte 2011 Red: 94

**The only Cru Classé de Graves red with Château Haut-Brion
of the 40 Top 2011 Bordeaux**

“A wine that has a beautiful depth of fruit, with currants, minerals and dried flowers on the nose and palate. It’s full-bodied, with super-integrated tannins that last for minutes. This is muscular yet polished. Extremely well done for the vintage. Better in 2017.”

Château Smith Haut Lafitte 2011 White: 96

Fourth dry white Bordeaux of the 40 Top 2011 Bordeaux

“This is truly great Smith white, with electrifying fruit and structure. It sends shivers down my back. Complex aromas of sliced lemon, minerals, stone, candied fruit and cream. It’s full-bodied, with bright acidity and a lively finish. It goes on for minutes. A wine for the future - but who can wait? Drink or hold.”

