

## Red Wine 4 - Château Lamothe-Bergeron, Cru Bourgeois (Haut-Médoc) 2017

Describe and assess the wine under the following headings.

### Appearance

MARKERS  
USE ONLY  
2 Marks

The wine is deep garnet ✓✓

2

**Nose** For aroma descriptors there are a maximum of 5 marks available. Think in terms of primary, secondary and tertiary as appropriate.

7 Marks

(primary) ✓ The wine has a medium (+) intensity of aroma. Aromas include primary notes of blackcurrant, red cherry, black cherry, black plum, green bell pepper. Oak influence gives notes of vanilla cedar and smoke. Bottle age has given aromas of leather, tobacco, prune and cooked plums, the wine is therefore developing. ✓  
(secondary)  
(tertiary)

7

**Palate** For flavour descriptors there are a maximum of 3 marks available. Think in terms of primary, secondary and tertiary as appropriate.

10 Marks

✓ The wine is dry with high acid and medium(+) tannins. The alcohol is medium, ✓ and the body is medium (+) the flavour intensity is medium (+). Flavours include primary notes of blackcurrant, red cherry, black cherry, black plum, green bell pepper, mint. Oak influence gives notes of vanilla cedar and smoke. Bottle age has given aromas of leather, tobacco, prune and cooked plums. The wine has a medium (+) finish. ✓  
(primary)  
(secondary)  
(tertiary)

10

### Assessment of quality

1 Mark

The wine is of a very good quality. ✓

1

### Readiness for drinking

1 Mark

Drink now but has potential for ageing. ✓

1

Total 21 marks

21