

Bas Armagnac - Delord Frères

*Good stocks are now in
for a wonderful
Christmas and New Year
and why not also for
February, March, April
and beyond.*

*The VSOP, Napoleon,
Hors d'Age as well as the 15, 20 and 25 year old spirit is ready for delivery
along with our wines from all the best regions of France. The spirit is in
Ariane bottles with a deep heavy-weight base and sealed with an additional waxing*



*over the conventional
replacing capped cork.*

*The wax seal is also added
to the label as well as the cork.*

Founded in the late 19th century, Armagnac Delord is very much a small family concern. Jacques and his two sons- Sylvain and Jérôme and Jacques' brother, Pierre run the entire production from the 11 hectares of land around the tiny village of

Lannepax, the harvest in September; and the distillation in November.

Their standard spirit is older than most- The VSOP being a minimum of 7 years cask ageing, the Hors d'Age at least 15 years. The alambic stills were replaced in 1972 for making the VSOP, but the old ones are still used to make the very special single vintage Armagnacs. This is a specialty of the House. Jacques and Pierre have maintained casks of practically every vintage since 1898 The combination of evaporation and the sales have dwindled the very old stocks but there is still plenty of 1950 to 1980 spirit ageing nicely in Gascony, awaiting someone with a birth-date or anniversary to match the vintage and enjoy *their special year.*



The grape varieties are **Colombard, Ugni Blanc and Folle Blanche** The distillation, the most essential and fascinating stage in the production of Armagnac, takes place at the beginning of November through to the end of December. Their old Sier Armagnac alambics, that we wouldn't part with for all the gold in the world, produce less than 30 litres of eau-de-vie an hour.

You can add a bottle or three to your wine orders

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Price list per bottle ex VAT and included in orders of our wines

V S O P	70cl	£24.50
Napoléon	70cl	£29.00
X O	70cl	£33.00
Hors d'Age	70cl	£41.00
15 year old	70cl	£44.50
20 year old	70cl	£48.00
25 year old	70cl	£58.00

Note. Single bottles may be added to wine orders.

There is a 5% discount on orders of 3 or more bottles, mixed if preferred.

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