

Wine Spectator acclaims both **Autard 2005 Chateauneufs**, including ‘Highly Recommended’ for the **Cuvee La Cote Ronde 2005**

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Highly Recommended

The issue's most impressive wines. Includes top-scorers and wines that represent optimal purchases based on their combination of score, price and availability.



93 Paul Autard Châteauneuf-du-Pape Cuvée La Côte Ronde 2005 \$60 Delivers a healthy dose of cocoa and toast before more typical black cherry, currant, tobacco and mineral notes fill out the back end. There's also lots of spice, with a muscular, chewy finish that needs some time to settle in. Best from 2008 through 2020. 850 cases imported.—J.M.

93 Paul Autard Châteauneuf-du-Pape Cuvée La Côte Ronde 2005 \$60 See Highly Recommended, page 207. →

91 Paul Autard Châteauneuf-du-Pape 2005 \$40
There's nice drive to the cassis, blackberry and graphite flavors, with solid underlying notes of *garrigue* and tobacco. The structure is solid, but this is well-rounded for drinking now. Drink now through 2015. 1,200 cases imported.—J.M.