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MAGNIFICENT BURGUNDY FROM ICONIC DOMAINES Including a Superb Private Collection

On offer at Christie's London in November



Romanée -Conti, 1990 3 bottles Estimate: £21,000-27,000

London - Christie's is pleased to announce the two-day sale of *Fine and Rare Burgundy and other Fine Wines* that will take place at King Street, London, on the 7 & 8 November 2013. A celebration of Burgundy, the sale features one of the finest private collections of wines from the Domaine de la Romanée-Conti that Christie's has brought to auction. Comprising 921 lots overall, this stellar sale is expected to realise in the region of £2 million.

Noah May, Wine Specialist, London commented: "We are thrilled to present our sale of Fine and Rare Burgundy and Other Fine Wines – this is a catalogue filled with superb, compelling wines. The sale is a fantastic opportunity for collectors to find rare Burgundy with perfect provenance from some of the greatest vintages in recent memory".

The sale is led by a magnificent collection comprising 156 lots, which include some of the finest Burgundies ever bottled and covers many of the most iconic producers from the Côte de Nuits, focusing on the villages of Vosne-Romanée and Gevrey-Chambertin. These bottles have been collected by a connoisseur who has strong links to the greatest Domaines including: Rousseau, Roumier, Comte George de Vogüé and Leflaive; almost all the wines were purchased direct, on release.

Further highlights offered are an array of wines from the Domaine de la Romanée-Conti. This spectacular collection includes three bottles of the fabled Romanée-Conti 1990 (estimate: £21,000-27,000) in addition to

other rarities such as; a full case of Musigny 2005 from J.F. Mugnier (estimate: £7,000-9,000), and six bottles of Chambertin, Clos de Bèze 2005, Rousseau (estimate: £3,600-4,800).

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AUCTION:

Fine & Rare Burgundy and Other Fine Wines
Thursday 7 November 2013 at 10:30am & 2:30pm
Friday 8 November 2013 at 10:30am

About Christie's

Christie's, the world's leading art business, had global auction and private sales in the first half of 2013 that totaled £2.4 billion/\$3.68 billion. In 2012, Christie's had global auction and private sales that totaled £3.92 billion/\$6.27 billion making it the highest annual total in Christie's history. Christie's is a name and place that speaks of extraordinary art, unparalleled service and expertise, as well as international glamour. Founded in 1766 by James Christie, Christie's has since conducted the greatest and most celebrated auctions through the centuries providing a popular showcase for the unique and the beautiful. Christie's offers over 450 auctions annually in over 80 categories, including all areas of fine and decorative arts, jewellery, photographs, collectibles, wine, and more. Prices range from \$200 to over \$100 million. Christie's also has a long and successful history conducting private sales for its clients in all categories, with emphasis on Post-War and Contemporary, Impressionist and Modern, Old Masters and Jewellery. Private sales totaled £465.2 million (\$711.8 million) in the first half of 2013, an increase of 13% on the previous year, and for the third successive year represents the highest total for the period in both company and art market history.

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