



2012 vintage

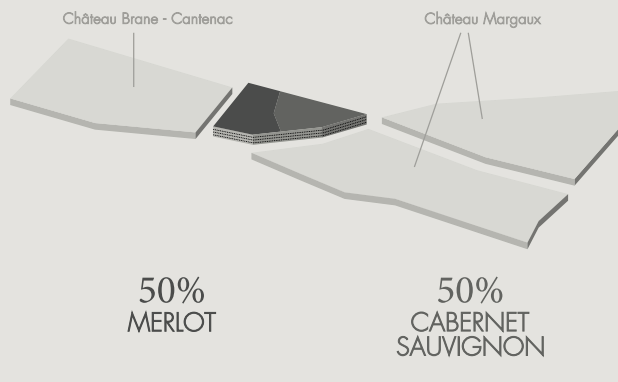
L'AURA



50 ares of grace

A small half-hectare (1.25 acres) plot nestling amongst the vines that make the most prestigious wines in the world. A small area but a big wine, which is the fruit of thorough work in the vines that respects the principles of sustainable development and a traditional winemaking style by gravity (without pumping).

An enjoyable wine with a very silky texture.



key figures

Harvesting:

Merlot: 11/10
Cabernet Sauvignon: 16/10

Average yield: 42 hl

Total acidity 3,5 - Ph 3,61 - IPT 89

Blend:

50% Merlot
50% Cabernet Sauvignon

Alcohol 13,5% vol.

Anticipated Maturity: 2017 - 2020

the estate

Appellation: Margaux
Soils: large gravel from the quaternary era.
Area: 0,5 ha (1.25 acres)

vine growing

Grape varieties: Merlot 50% - Cabernet Sauvignon 50%

Average age of the vines: 18 years
Density: 8000 vines/ha

Pest management

Traditionnal viticultural practisis
Removal of excess buds, leaf-stripping and green harvesting
Ploughing of the ground

œnology

Harvesting: manual
Strict sorting by hand on a table on reception of the harvest

Wine-making: 2 temperature-controlled vats (32 Hl);
Cold Pre-Fermentary Maceration : from 3 to 4 days
Vatting : From 3 to 4 weeks
Malo lactic Fermentation with new barrels
Ageing : from 12 to 15 months
100% new barrels - Cooperage Chassin & Darnajou
Ageing on fine lees.

Consultant œnologists : Claude GROS - Hubert de BOUARD

bottling :

Fining with egg-white

production

3 000 bottles

owners

Annick and Jean-Pierre MARIE

Tasting

James Suckling - Score 87 - 89

The Wine Advocate / Robert Parker - Score 85 - 87

Jean-Marc Quarin - Note 15,5/20

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