

## Composition 80% Merlot 20% Cabernet Franc

Origin & Classification
Saint Emilion, Bordeaux

# Chateau d'Arthus Saint Emilion

### **History of the Estate**

The Château is a very pretty Girondine Charterhouse, typical of the region, built entirely in Saint-Émilion stone, and dating from the end of the 18th century. Divided into 5 plots, the vineyards are all located on sandy-gravel soils at the foot of the village of Saint-Emilion. The sandy-gravelly soil makes it possible to obtain fine wines, as well as achieve great ripening.

## **Winemaking and Vinification**

12.50 hectares of vines and an average yield per hectare of 55 hlhectare. The average age of the plants is 50 years old. Harvest by machine to achieve maximum maturity. Fermentation in low-capacity concrete vats to separate each plot of the property before aging for 12 months in French oak barrels made by coopers Darnajou and Sylvain (20% new barrels and 80% barrels with 1 to 2 years of use).

#### **Tasting Notes & Food Pairing**

Intense purple & ruby color with purple reflections. On the nose black berries and aromas of red fruits. Supple, fine, elegant, balanced, with good aromatic persistence on the palate. Silky tannins, seductive taste, & ripe fruit with a round and generous texture.

#### **Awards**

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