

Composition 90% Merlot 10% Cabernet Franc

Origin & Classification

Fronsac, Bordeaux

Chateau du Tertre *Fronsac*

History of the Estate

The Chateau du Tertre is located on the famous "Tertre de Fronsac". This very old property had lost its aura due to the difficulty of maintenance due to its location. Extensive civil engineering work made it possible to build 14 terraces perpendicular to the slope. The south-eastern slope of the Tertre de Fronsac is again covered with vines.

Winemaking and Vinification

Low planting density, with only 5,500 plants per hectare. The soils are very complex because they correspond to alluvial deposits of sediments from different periods. There are limestone sands, sandy clay soils, sandy loam. The base layers are made up of limestone with asterias on a molasse bottom. Each type of soil is vinified separately. The assembly of these differences creates the unity and the particularity of this wine.

Tasting Notes & Food Pairing

The color is an opaque purple, and it has a sweet perfume of blueberries cassis and crushed rocks. Good purity and ripeness of the tannins. It is a full-bodied wine - concentrated & pure - very representative of the best Fronsac wines.

Awards



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