



# 2013 Vintage – Prestige blend

**Appellation:** AOC Bordeaux Superieur

## Tasting notes (January 2016):

Purple robe with delicate ruby gleam. Deep and brilliant tint. Spicy aroma with toasted overtones. This wine is strong with silky tannins and subtle and gourmand wood taste. Long-tasting on spicy notes.

## Vineyard:

Siliceous-clavey soil 20.5 hectares planted 68 % Merlot, 32 % Cabernet Sauvignon Vine-plants 35 years old on average for this blend Density of planting: 4500 plants per hectare

## Cultivation and harvesting

Pruning: "guyot double" method

Thinning out of the leaves side after side after the "nouaison" and manually

just before the harvest on Cabernet Sauvignon.

Removing green bunches of grapes at the end of the "veraison" Mechanical grape-picking between October the 2<sup>nd</sup> and the 14<sup>th</sup>.

# Winemaking and maturing

Complete destalking, sorting of the grapes on the conveyor belt Fermentation: 15 days at a temperature between 20 and 27 degrees

Carbonic maceration: 2 weeks

Maturing: 12 months in French oak barrels

Slight fining

# **Production:**

6000 bottles. Bottling date: 12 of September 2015

### Other wine available:

Château Maison Noble (Traditional)

#### Awards:

Gold Medal at the "Challenge International du Vin", the oldest international French competition ISO 9001

Gold Medal at the "International Concours Gilbert et Gaillard"



