

# Château Puyfromage

Vintage 2019



# **PUYFROMAGE**

A family estate following sustainable viticulture principles

## TASTING NOTES

Intense and deep ruby to purple colour.

Very expressive on the nose with aromas of cherry and fresh fruit, then more complex with aromas of candied berries.

The attack is suave and velvety. Dense, round and fruity on the mid palate, yet with a touch of freshness. Subtle on the finish with a reminder of aromas of cherries and candied berries. Very nice tannic balance between power and freshness.

#### **APPELATION**

Francs Côtes de Bordeaux

#### LOCATION

On the outskirts of the famous limestone plateau of Saint-Emilion

#### SOIL

**Limestone with asterias**, clay limestone slopes, clay / silt plateau

# SIZE OF THE VINEYARD

53 hectares (131 acres)

# AVERAGE AGE OF THE VINES

30 years

# **DENSITY OF PLANTING**

5000 plants per hectare

# **GRAPE VARIETIES**

87% Merlot, 7% Cabernet Sauvignon 6% Cabernet Franc.

# **AVERAGE YIELD**

35 hectolitres per hectare

#### **HARVEST**

From October 2nd to 9th

## **GROWING TECHNIQUES**

Tillage and grassing with inter-row sowing, **organic fertlizers**, **without herbicides**, protection of the vineyard, as well as the environment, with the introduction of eco-friendly solutions and organic viticulture.

# **VINIFICATION / MATURING**

De-stemming - Soft extracts for 3 weeks, temperature-controlled stainless steel vats - Pumping over with controlled aeration - Vertical pressing with separate aging of press wines. Aged for 18 months in vats..

#### 212Y IAMA

Alcoholic percentage: 14 % Vol. / SO<sup>2</sup> total: 73 mg/L. / absence of residues.

# **BOTTLING**

Bottled at the château.





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