



Château La Fleur

Saint-Emilion Grand Cru



THE ESTATE

Area: 16 Ha (39 acres)

Situation: northern slopes of Saint-Emilion

Soil: clay with limestone in the subsoil

Grape varieties: 77 % Merlot, 20 % Cabernet Franc, 3% Cabernet Sauvignon

Age of vines: 37 years

VINEYARD MANAGEMENT

Pruning: double guyot, debudding

Leaf removal: by hand, each sides of vines

Green harvesting: if necessary

Soil cultivation : rational surface tilling of the soil and growing of grass between the vines

WINEMAKING / AGEING

Winemaking: traditional, in concrete and inox vats with temperature control

Ageing: 75 % new barrels - 25 % in one year old barrels

Ageing period: 15 to 16 month depending on plots

PRODUCTION IN 2016

Surface area harvested: 16 Ha (39 acres)

Grape varieties: 77 % Merlot, 20 % Cabernet Franc, 3 % Cabernet Sauvignon

Harvesting date:

Merlot: 11 th October 2016

Cabernet Franc: 25 th October 2016

Cabernet Sauvignon: 26 th October 2016

Harvesting: by hand with grape densimetric sorting

Yield: 30 hl/ha

Production:

- Château La Fleur: 50 000 Bottles (estimated)