

Les Fleurs du Lac

BORDEAUX

2024

HISTORY

Historically, a large number of Chateaux in the Medoc used to produce white wine for their own consumption or receptions. Château Lagrange was part of them until the beginning of the sixties. The tradition was then revived, and from the 1996 vintage, a dry white wine (AOC Bordeaux) is produced by the estate, under the name "Les Arums de Lagrange". In 2011 we have created this beautiful second wine "Les Fleurs du Lac".

TERROIR

Covering an area of 11 hectares located in the communes of Cussac Fort Médoc and Saint-Laurent de Médoc, this vineyard of white vines is located on two distinct soils of gravelly sand and limestone clays. The blend is oriented to produce a wine elegant and delicate, well proportioned body without excessive acidity.

THE VINTAGE

The mild winter temperatures helped the vines to grow earlier than usual, which continued until the flowering stage. After a wet spring, the summer was dry but not excessively hot, which helped to maintain acidity in the grapes and the synthesis of aroma precursors. The harvest was later than in the previous two vintages, starting on 10 September with the Sauvignon Blanc, whose sugar content returned to more traditional levels, suggesting a fine balance.



Blend 87% Sauvignon Blanc
10% Sémillon
3% Sauvignon Gris

Planting Density From 6 700 to 8 700 vines / hectare

Harvest From September 10th to September 23rd 2024. Manual harvest in the cool morning, manual sorting.

Vinification Gentle extraction by pressing in bunches
Settling 12 hours after cold
Fermentation in 225 L barrels
No malolactic fermentation
Parcel and intra-plot selection
Selection of batch conducted according to the varietal, age of vines, terroir and grapes maturity.

Barrel Ageing Aged 7 months in barrels with 40% new barrels
Final blend before bottling

TASTING NOTE

A great deal of complexity Les Fleurs du Lac 2024, which brings together our three grape varieties in this blend dominated by Sauvignon Blanc. An explosion of fresh fruit with notes of grapefruit, pineapple and peach that are regularly found in this wine. The palate is tighter and fresher, with exotic notes of mango and passion fruit. A great success to be savoured without delay.

