



Château Preuillac 2013

Médoc Cru Bourgeois

Located in the heart of Médoc, 10 km to the north of Saint Estèphe, the vineyard of Château Preuillac covers 30 hectares in a single stretch. Facing due south, it enjoys outstanding exposure to the sun, providing ideal conditions for the grapes to ripen. All the work on the vines is carried out exclusively by hands in order to compose the best wine possible, well balanced, harmonious, allowing the fruit to express itself to the fullest.

Château Preuillac earns well-deserved recognition since 1932 when it is included in the Crus Bourgeois classification created that year. With the constant pursuit for quality, Château Preuillac has establish itself as a reference among the great Médoc wines and Cru Bourgeois.

Average age of the vines: 35-40 years

Grapes variety: 61% Merlot, 36% Cabernet Sauvignon,

3% Cabernet Franc

Soil : Clay-limestone & Gravels

Aging: 12 months in French oak barrels (22% new barrels)

Alcohol content: 12.5%

Production: 86,100 bottles

Consultant: Stéphane Derenoncourt

Tasting Notes:

"With a closed nose and a firm, dry palate, this is a vintage which craves more time spent in the cellar. It is just too early to knock on this wine's door because the fruit is tightly wound, spicy, angular and in need of a few more years to mellow. In time this will all calm down and leave us with a bright cassis-scented wine with a crunch of acidity on this finish."

-Matthew Jukes, 15.5/20pts

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