



SOVEX GRANDSCHÂTEAUX
BORDEAUX & BEYOND

CHATEAU PLANTEY

2021 - PAUILLAC AOC - CRU BOURGEOIS



OVERVIEW

The vineyard of Château Plantey is located in Pauillac. It is an old property which used to be owned by the De Gerès family from Loupes, Seigneurs of Camarsac. The vineyard was purchased by Gabriel Meffre in 1958. The current owner, his son Claude Meffre, was journalist in printed media during a dozen of years. In 1996, he decided to join the familial property to manage first its other château : Château La Commanderie in Saint-Estèphe and subsequently Château Plantey from 2000 onwards.

VINEYARD

Soil: Chalky-clay and gravel.

Location: The vineyard is located in the commune of Pauillac near the hamlet or Artigues.

Blend: 50% Cabernet Sauvignon - 50% Merlot

Surface: 30 ha

Average age of vineyards: 30 years

Ageing: Ageing for 12 months in vats and barrels, with 25% new barrels.

WINEMAKING PROCESS

Classical vinification with thermo-regulation by trickling. Vatting time during three weeks.

TASTING NOTES

Beautiful and dense ruby red colour. The bouquet reminds fruity notes such as blackcurrant and blackberry with vanilla hints. On the palate the attack is generous and fleshy. Tannins are firm with a straight thread. The balance is confirmed by a persistent and robust finish.

PAIRING

This wine pairs perfectly with grilled entrecôte with pepper sauce, roast rack of lamb with mustard, duck breast with red fruits, or a creamy risotto with seasonal vegetables for a vegan option.

AGEING POTENTIAL: From 5 to 10 years

ALCOHOL: 13% VOL

AWARDS

JAMES SUCKLING: 91 | WINE ENTHUSIAST: 92 | DECANTER: 89 MEDAILLE OR LYON 2023

