

Château de Fargues 1995

COUNTRY	REGION	GRAPE	VINTAGE
France	Sauternes, Bordeaux	Sauvignon Blanc, Sémillon	1995

ABOUT THE DOMAINE

Built in 1306, Chateau de Fargues is located atop a gravelly hilltop overlooking the Garonne valley. The estate's fifteen-hectare vineyard has been gradually and patiently replanted since 1928 with the sole aim of making outstanding Sauternes. Benefiting from a unique microclimate, the vines are on average 35 years of age and consist of Semillon and Sauvignon Blanc. Since 1472, the estate has been managed by the Lur Saluces family, one of the oldest and most influential in the Bordeaux region. Today, Alexandre de Lur Saluces and his son Philippe perpetuate the family tradition of excellence.

WINEMAKING

Located near the Landes forest, on top of a hill overlooking the Garonne valley, the vineyard benefits from a unique microclimate in autumn. The vineyard is planted with two grape varieties: Sémillon (80%), which adds richness, roundness, and ample structure to the wine, and Sauvignon Blanc, grown for its aromatic qualities and great freshness. Harvest by hand, pneumatic pressing, the fermentation will take place for 3 to 5 five weeks in oak, using indigenous yeasts. Matured 30 months in oak barrels.

TASTING NOTES

Beautiful golden colour. Powerful bouquet of apricot and candied fruit. Well balanced on the palate. Honey liqueur and candied fruit quality with spice on the aftertaste.



TECHNICAL NOTES

Alcohol by volume
13.5%