

Château La Fleur Peyrabon Pauillac Cru Bourgeois

COUNTRY	REGION	GRAPE	VINTAGE
France	Bordeaux	Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot	2012

ABOUT THE DOMAINE

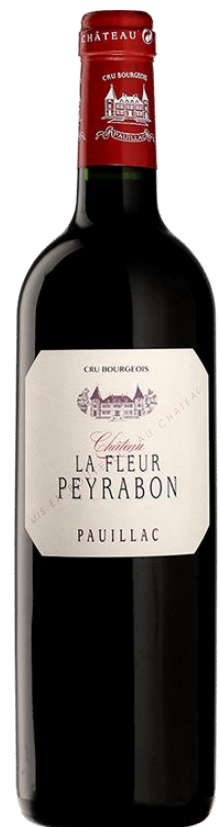
Nestled in its green setting, Château Peyrabon can be seen suddenly emerging at the bend of the perfectly aligned rows of vines. For more than 20 years, the Bernard family has put all their passion and energy at the service of this pearl of Haut-Médoc, magnificently located on a gravel ridge a few kilometers from Pauillac. In September 2022, the Castéja family bought the property from the Millésima group. Through this acquisition, the Castéja family, already the owner of several properties in Pauillac and Haut Médoc including the famous Château Batailley and Château Lynch-Moussas, both 5th Grand Cru Classé, wishes to continue and amplify the development of this property by making it benefit of its expertise in viticultural and commercial matters.

WINEMAKING

Hand harvesting with pre-selection and sorting in the vineyard, de-stemmed on an oscillating sorting table. Thermoregulated concrete and stainless steel vats. Complete vinification in barrel on a selection of cabernet. Fermentation at around 25-26°C. Gentle extraction by pumping-over / punch downs / adapted releases. Length of maceration, determined by tastings and dependant on the grape variety and the parcels: from 21 to 30 days. Use of rotating vertical wine press to obtain gentle extraction. Further tasting of press wine determines whether or not it is added to the finished wine. Partial barrel fermentation of free-run juice (egg albumin 40ml/hl) - Traditional maturation in barrel (of which 50% are renewed each year). Duration: 14 months.

TASTING NOTES

This 2012 Pauillac displays a ruby-tinted deep, intense red colour. The expressive and very rich nose develops biscuit, black fruit (such as blackcurrant) and cocoa with spicy notes. The silky, creamy palate has integrated sweet tannins with fruit notes dominated by juicy blackberries, cassis and cherries with hints of chocolate and coffee. The elegant and balanced mouthfeel is followed by an aromatic long finish. A stunning Pauillac!



TECHNICAL NOTES

Alcohol by volume
14.5%