



Fleur de Pédesclaux, Pauillac, 2011

AOC Pauillac, Bordeaux, France



Blossoming as soon as it is opened. With its richer concentration in merlot, this wine offers a softer, lighter touch with a warm and silky texture. Its fruity aromas are intense, crisp and pleasing on the palate.

THE STORY

Owners : Family Lorenzetti
 Managing director : Emmanuel Cruse
 Director : Vincent Bache-Gabrielsen
 Oenologist: Eric Boissenot
 Area : 42 ha

THE VINTAGE

Extremes of weather and rare early development characterized the 2011 vintage. An exceptionally hot, dry spring (the warmest on record for the past 50 years) enabled the first flowers to make their appearance four weeks ahead of schedule.

Vineyard growth, however, slowed until mid-July due to water stress, requiring flexibility during green operations when the work had to be staggered and repeated.

Scorching hot days were a feature of 2011 (maximum highs of 39°C on June 26th and 27th), which led to light scorching of some of the Cabernet Sauvignon. July and August brought mixed weather, July being cool and rainy, whereas August was hot and sunny, bringing with it gradual maturation.

TERROIR

Garonne gravel on limestone bedrock

IN THE VINEYARD

All work favorizing a good distribution and aeration of the grapes (disbudding, clipping, thinning out of leaves.

Hand-picked sorting harvest according to the terroir, the vigorous zones and separation between stocks from the heart and the borders of our plots.

Harvest in crates, followed by a manual sorting on clusters and then on berries.

VINIFICATION

Encuvage gravitaire sans foulage
 Macération préfermentaire à froid
 Cuvaison longue
 Délestages et pigeages
 Entonnage gravitaire

AGEING

16 months in barrels
 33% of new barrels



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VARIETALS

Merlot 100%

SPECIFICATIONS

Alcohol content: 12.6 ABV

TECHNICAL DATA

Production volume: 491 hL

Yield: 42hL hL/ha

Age of vines: 35 ans years old

Residual Sugar: 0.1 g/l

pH: 3.53

Acidity (g/l): 5.5 g/l

TASTING NOTES

Shiny garnet red color. Fleur de Pédesclaux 2010 has a nose of delicate cranberries, Morello cherry and cigar box. Highly supple, the palate presents a silky texture and subtle wood notes. The finish is made of spicy notes slightly powdered.

Tasted at the Château in October 2012

REVIEWS AND AWARDS

"The charm of this delicate second wine of Château Pédesclaux works from the first nose to the end of the glass. A good length with spicy notes and red plum."

Terre de vins - September 2015

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