



CHÂTEAU PARADIS CASSEUIL 2012

■ VINEYARD ATTRIBUTES

Appellation : AOC Bordeaux, France

■ VINTAGE SUMMARY

2012 was a vintage that required a great deal of vigilance from winegrowers. After a harsh winter, the cool spring delayed flowering. Fertilisation was hampered by the rain in early June, resulting in flower abortion and uneven grape size, and therefore lower yields. The wet weather and lack of sunshine continued until mid-July and then fortunately August and early September were hot and dry, with a substantial variation between day and night-time temperatures, enabling the ripening process to catch up and the grapes to be harvested in good conditions.

■ TASTING NOTES

Colour: Beautiful, very deep crimson colour.

Nose: Elegant and expressive, blending aromas of blackcurrant and Morello cherries with well-integrated, delicate woody (vanilla) notes.

Palate: This is a powerful, well-structured wine, with a pleasant sweetness on the attack, evolving with firm tannins and a long spicy finish.



TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Varietals : Merlot 70%, Cabernet sauvignon 30%

Yield : 40 hL/ha

Alcohol content : 13.5 % vol.

pH : 3.63

Total acidity : 3.10 g/l