

# CHATEAU DE QUANTIN



## Château de Quantin Red 2017

AOC Pessac-Léognan, Bordeaux, France

### PRESENTATION

The vines at Quantin grow on deep gravel to produce a red wine with very ripe, smoky aromas. This is very elegant on the palate with solid, well-extracted tannin and an attractive personality in all vintages.

### THE VINTAGE

#### WEATHER CONDITIONS

The 2017 vintage was one of the earliest on record. The growing season was marked by a dry winter and spring (46% less rainfall than usual), accompanied by temperatures 2°C above average (except for the frost in April). This dry summer weather was ideal for ripening the seeds until late August.

#### HARVEST

09/05/2017

### THE WINE

#### VARIETALS

Cabernet sauvignon 50%, Merlot 50%

#### ALCOHOL CONTENT

12.5 % vol.

#### TASTING

2017 Château de Quantin is a brilliant, classy cherry-red colour.

The bouquet is particularly pleasant, displaying wonderful fruity aromas underscored by subtle empyreumatic overtones.

This wine is reminiscent of the finest Pessac-Léognan terroirs. It is particularly well-balanced and elegant on the palate while the delicate, well-integrated tannin means that it is a joy to drink, even when young.

#### FOOD PAIRINGS

This wine is ideal with braised fillet of beef, roast guinea fowl or cordon bleu-style veal escalopes.

#### SERVING

Serve between 15°C and 17°C

#### AGEING POTENTIAL

5 to 10 years



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### THE VINEYARD

#### TERROIR

Deep gravel

#### SURFACE AREA OF THE VINEYARD

37.06 ac

#### AGE OF VINES

19 years old

#### IN THE VINEYARD

Pruning type: Double guyot with debudding

Grape Harvest: By hand or mechanical after manual sorting at the vine

### THE CELLAR

#### WINEMAKING

In stainless-steel temperature controlled tanks with patented cap-breaking system.

#### AGEING

For 12 months in barrels with racking each trimester.



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