

VIGNOBLES PALOUMEY

CHÂTEAU LA BESSANE - CHÂTEAU PALOUMEY - CHÂTEAU LA GARRICQ

TECHNICAL DETAILS

Viticulture

- Grape Varieties: 23% Petit Verdot / 22% Cabernet Sauvignon / 55% Merlot
- Soil: Gravels, pebbles and sand
- Average age of vines: 27 years
- Planting density: 6 700 vines/ha
- Conversion in organic farming
- Bud pruning, desuckering, deleafing and green harvest when necessary

Winemaking

- Harvest: manual and by machine
- Double sorting: mechanical then manual on a vibrating table
- Vinification: plot by plot; fermentation in temperature controlled stainless steel tanks (40 to 180 hl). Post fermentation maceration between 20 and 26 days.
30% of malolactic fermentation done in new oak barrels
- Aging : 12 months in oak barrels; 30% new oak
Follow-up of barrels' quality: blind testing every 4 months.
- Racking every 4 months

Bottling

- Egg-white fining



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Appellation : Margaux

City : Cantenac

Owner : S.A. Château Paloumey
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Surface : 2,4 ha

Vineyard owner: Pierre Cazeneuve

Consultant : Axel Marchal

Cellar Master: Pascal Lamarque

2018 VINTAGE

Harvest dates:

Merlot: from September 19th to October 4th / Cabernet Sauvignon: from October 5th to October 13th /

Petit Verdot: October 12th

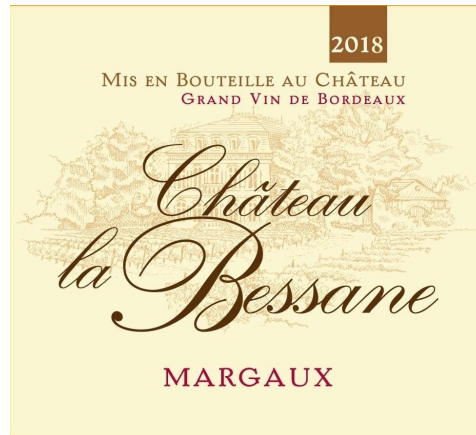
Yield: 35 hl/ha

Blend: Cabernet Sauvignon 28% / Merlot 57% / Petit Verdot 15%

Production: 10 200 bottles

In 1993, the Cazeneuve family took over a little jewel next to Cantenac in the famous appellation of Margaux.

La Bessane vineyards have 23% of Petit Verdot which is exceptional within this appellation. Everything is done so that the Petit Verdot achieve maximum body, color and richness in Château La Bessane.



PRESS REVIEW CHÂTEAU LA BESSANE 2018

Markus Del Monego **Score: 88/100** April 2019

Vert de Vin **92** Jonathan Choukroun Chicheportiche - May 2019

Le Point **15** Jacques Dupont May 2019

B. Burtschy **88-89** May 2019

Anthocyanes **87-89** Yohan Castaing April 2019

James Suckling **90-91** February 2019

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