

CHATEAU BEAU SECRET



In 2014, Lucie RIBEIRO SECRET became Young Farmer and got this property located on the highest ridge of Cussac-Fort-Médoc between Margaux and Saint Julien.

Vintage : 2017

Appellation : Haut-Médoc

Geographic location: 35 km (22 miles) from Bordeaux on the «Route des Châteaux». Cussac-Fort-Médoc is 6 km (under 4 miles) far from Margaux appellation and next to Saint-Julien.

Surface area: 2.60 hectares (6.4 acres)

Soil type: gravelly hillocks

Grape varieties: 60 % Cabernet Sauvignon; 40 % Merlot

Average vine age: 30 years old

Traditional Vinegrowing: Pruning Guyot Double, sucker removal, deleafing, green harvest

Environmental certifications : HVE 3 (Haute Valeur Environnementale), AREA and SME des Vins de Bordeaux

Harvest : mechanical

Harvest date: from 18th to 30th September 2017

Vinification: Two sorting are realised in the cellar. Fermentations in stainless steel vats with temperature control. Pumping over and maceration are suitable to the grapes.

Ageing: traditional

Bottling: 21 months following the harvest: June 2019

Certified Vegan by The Vegan Society

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Tasting Notes

VEGAN certification by The Vegan Society, London

May 2019 : Gold medal, Concours des Vins de Bordeaux

Tasting note : Nice and deep colour, open nose, fruity and generous, presenting delicate oaky flavours. Fresh attack, full and gourmand mouth with a long finish.