



Lacoste-Borie 2009

Blend

70% Cabernet Sauvignon - 28% Merlot - 2% Cabernet Franc

Date of harvest

24th of September to 7th of October 2009

Tasting note

This wine presents a very ruby red color. The nose is dominated by black fruits with black cherry very much to the fore and by coffee aromas.

The mid palate has the sweetness of ripe fruit and rounded tannins. The richness is well balanced by some bilberry freshness. This wine will need a little bite of patience before starting to enjoy it.



Total surface area of the estate

90 hectares around the Château

Vineyard in production

55 hectares in one block around the Château

Average age of the vineyard

38 years old

Terroir

Very deep coarse gravel

Vineyard grape varieties

75% Cabernet Sauvignon - 20% Merlot - 5% Cabernet Franc

Planting density

10 000 pieds/hectare

Grafting

Riparia gloire & 101.14

Vineyard management

Mechanical ploughing of the Soil Viticulture practices: Spraying kept to the absolute effective minimum.

Harvest

Exclusively hand picked

Grape sorting

Two successive selections before and after de-stemming process

Vinification

A long period of maceration (about 3 weeks)

Aging

In French oak barrels (30% new barrels each vintage) for between 14 to 16 months depending on the vintage.

Owner

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Cellar Master

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