



# BORDEAUX TASTING

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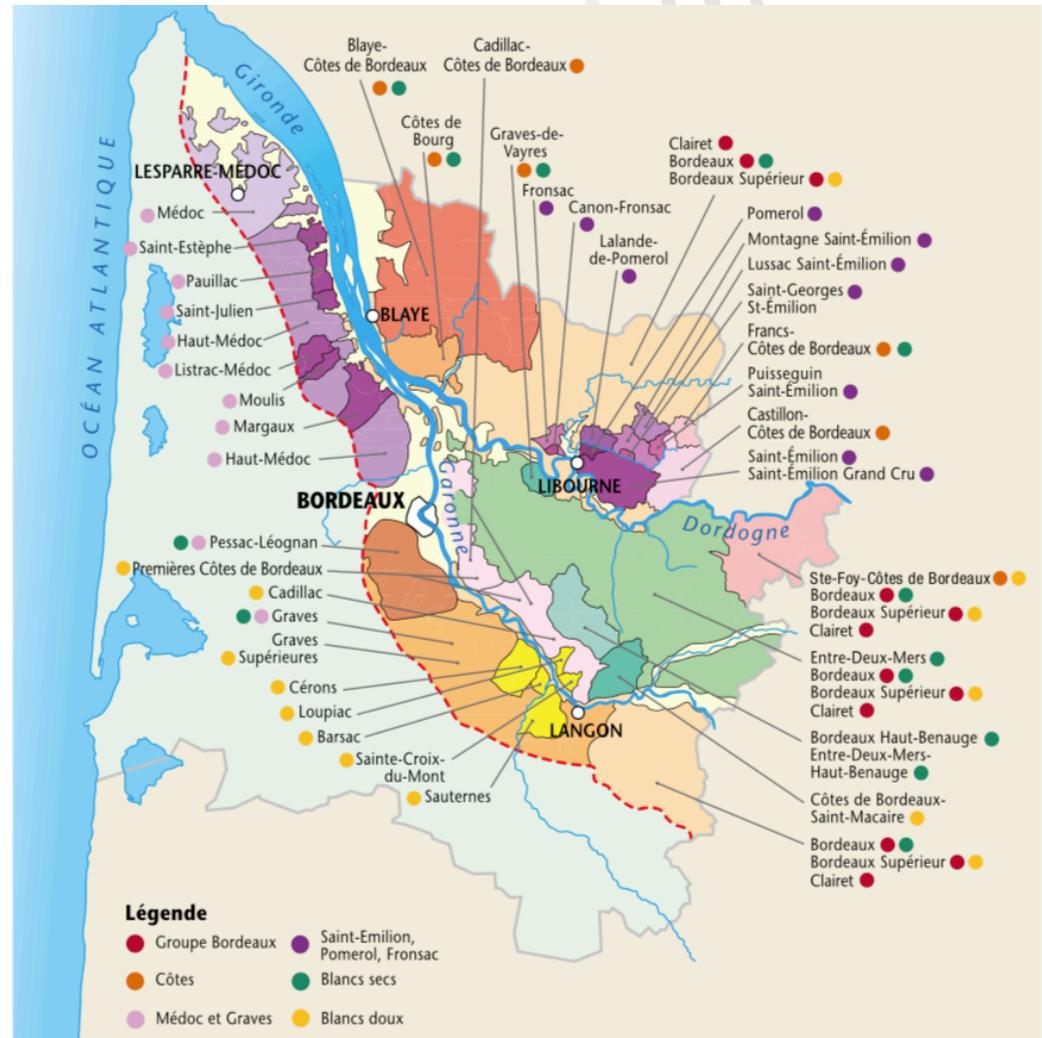
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# Bordeaux wine map

## Key figures

- 111 400 ha
- 89% red (66% merlot)
- 11% white (46% sauvignon, 46% sémillon)
- Around 5 MHI
- 5834 producers



# Bordeaux through 6 wines

- 1-** Château Landereau, Entre Deux Mers, 2018 – dry, white, mainly sauvignon, no oak
- 2-** Clos Floridène, Graves, 2017 – dry white, émillon & sauvignon, oak
- 3-** Château Brethous, Cadillac Côtes de Bordeaux, 2016, « classic » - Merlot & Cabernet Sauvignon, no oak
- 4-** Château Faugères, Saint Emilion Grand Cru, 2015 – right bank, 85% Merlot, oak
- 5-** Château Lagrange, Saint Julien, 2015 – left bank, 75% Cabernet Sauvignon, oak
- 6-** Château Doisy Daene, Barsac, 2014 – sweet white wine, Sémillon, noble rot (Botrytis), oak

# Bordeaux through 6 wines

1- Château Landereau, Entre Deux Mers, 2018 – dry, white, mainly sauvignon, no oak

Semillon 20%, Sauvignon blanc 40%, Sauvignon gris 20%, Muscadelle 10%.

The grapes are harvested at optimum maturity. After 15 to 24 hours of prefermentation maceration (which varies according to the grape varieties and vintages), we proceed to a pneumatic and technological pressing. The musts are then clarified by flotation before an alcoholic fermentation regulated at 14°/ 15°. This wine is aged on fine lees for 3 to 5 months. All our wines are bottled at the Château.

A pale yellow colour, brilliant.

Fleshy, balanced, a very expressive nose of exotic fruits, white fruits and citrus fruit notes. A very persistent finish with notes of ripe fruit.



Price : 8€

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2- Clos Floridène, Graves, 2017 – dry white, émillon & sauvignon, oak

62% Semillon - 34% Sauvignon - 4% Muscadelle

The Clos Floridène Blanc has the particular character of white wines from the great limestone terroirs: green gold colour, intense aroma with fruity notes of white peach, lemon, grapefruit, mineral nuances, toasted, toasted. Powerful and fresh flavours of the fruit in all its brilliance, density and structure of a great white wine. It can be kept for at least 10 years.

Property of Dubourdieu family. 40 ha on left bank (half red, half white)



Price : 22€

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**3-** Château Brethous, Cadillac Côtes de Bordeaux, 2016, « classic » - Merlot & Cabernet Sauvignon, no oak, bio

Family estate. 16 ha

A great Classic of Bordeaux wines, the pleasant balance of red black fruits and tannins present in finesse and softness. It is a sure value.

The simplest gastronomy will enhance a bottle of Château Brethous: a roast beef, a grilled chicken, a slice of sausage! In the same way a leg of lamb, a stuffed veal breast, a coq au vin?



Price : 9€

# Bordeaux through 6 wines

4- Château Faugères, Saint Emilion Grand Cru, 2015 – right bank, 85% Merlot, oak, Silvio Denz

Vineyard area: 37 ha

Soil: limestone plateau (calcosols on asteritic limestone) and clayey-limestone hillside (calcosols on clayey-limestone molasses)

Grape varieties : 85% Merlot, 10% Cabernet Franc, 5% Cabernet Sauvignon.

Average age of the vines: 35 years

Planting density: 6,600 plants/ha

Cultivation methods: double Guyot pruning, tillage and grassing, de-budding, manual thinning, manual harvesting in crates, sorting tables (one of which has an optical sorting system).

Vinification: gravity-filling of the vats, cold pre-fermentation maceration, thermo-regulated truncated cone-shaped wooden vats, gentle vatting for three weeks, malolactic fermentation partially in new barrels (50%).

Consulting oenologist : Michel ROLLAND

Ageing: 14 months, 50% in new French oak barrels, 50% in one-wine barrels, without fining

Average production: 65,000 bottles of Château Faugères

Price : 43€  
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5- Château Lagrange, Saint Julien, 2015 – left bank, 75% Cabernet Sauvignon, oak

118 ha. One of the largest grand cru classé in Bordeaux

75% Cabernet Sauvignon, 17% Merlot, 8% de Petit Verdot

The color is dark with purple reflections. Aromatic nose with elegant notes of black fruit, finely woody with a melted and discreet toast. The fleshy and voluminous attack remains very elegant, supported by ripe and velvety tannins. The finish is long-range with distinguished Cabernet Sauvignon. A complete, complex and harmonious wine.



Price : 50€

# Bordeaux through 6 wines

6- Château Doisy Daene, Barsac, 2014 – sweet white wine, Sémillon, noble rot (Botrytis), oak

18,2 ha. 86% Sémillon, 14% Sauvignon

Château Doisy-Daëne, Second Growth Classified in 1855, located in Barsac in the Sauternes appellation, has been in the Dubourdieu family since 1924. For more than eighty years, three generations of winegrowers have worked there from father to son to produce great sweet wines: Georges (1924-1948), Pierre (1949-1999) and Denis since 2000.

The Doisy-Daëne wine has a particular style, favouring the brilliance of the fruit concentrated by the "noble rot", nervousness, balance and delicacy of the flavours. This style is both the expression of a great limestone terroir and of a family aesthetic tradition, that of racy white wines, of diamond-shaped purity, combining power and freshness, in an interminable youth.

Price : 45€



5- Château Lagrange

4- Château Faugères

1- Château Landereau

3- Château Brethous

2- Château Floridène

6- Château Doisy Daene

