

## CHATEAU CHAGNON

## **AOC BORDEAUX SUPERIEUR 2019**



Vinification: Grapes are picked up at the end of the night. Picking them when they are cold preserves the purity of the fruit, protect the aromas but also saves energy (later cooling of must will so be limited). When arriving at the winery, the grapes are sorted out and sent to a stainless steel or concrete thermo-regulated vat. Both the alcoholic fermentation (converting sugar into alcohol by the action of yeasts) and the malolactic fermentation (making softer-tasting red wine) will take place in similar vats.

Blend: Merlot (70 %), Cabernet Franc (15 %), and Cabernet Sauvignon (15 %)

Alcohol content: 13.5 % vol

Tasting: A garnet red color, a nose offering aromas of ripe red and black fruits, a smooth and tender palate with velvety tannins. A pleasant wine to drink now to take advantage of fresh fruit flavors but that can also be kept for some time.

Recommended serving temperatue: 15°-17° C

Cellaring advice: minimum 5 years

Location: The estate is located in the Entre-deux-Mers area and covers 30 ha of vines classified as Appellation d'Origine Contrôlée. The vines are planted on hillsides overhanging the valley of the Dropt (tributary of the Garonne River).

Soil: clay and limestone