

HB Wine Merchants presents wines from: **Château Pilet**



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Château Pilet Prestige

Côtes de Bordeaux



Brand Highlights

- 100 year-old, Family-Owned estate
- Owned by Bruno Lafon
- 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

The Estate

For over 100 years, the Queyrens family has preserved and passed on its know-how and its passion for wine from generation to generation. They own several Château in Bordeaux, such as Château du Pin-Franc, and Château des Graves du Tich in Sainte Croix du Mont. They purchased Château Pilet in 1965. The estate covers 65 hectares in the town of Donzac in the 'Entre Deux Mers' region, on hillsides overlooking the right bank of the river Garonne. The vineyard is composed of 2/3 of red varieties (60% Merlot, 30% Cabernet Sauvignon and 10% Cabernet Franc) and 1/3 of white grapes (80% Semillon, 20% Sauvignon).

Wine Making

Traditional methods of winemaking combined with modern and efficient equipment are the hallmark of this estate. Alcoholic fermentation is performed in thermo-regulated vats for 3 to 4 weeks, which allows a full extraction of aromas and tannins. After 12 months of oak barrel ageing, this wine is clarified, assembled and bottled at the estate.

Tasting Notes

The wine is a red purple color enhanced by a beautiful shine. Toasted aromas marry with black fruit flavors supported by candied notes revealing a beautiful maturity. The palate is filled with a broad harmony of silky tannins, red fruit and toasted notes with a hint of sweetness.

Press

- ♦ 2015 Vintage **92 Points**—Wine Enthusiast

Product Specifications

- Available in: 750mL w/Natural Cork
- UPC: 8 75734 00416 3
- SCC: 108 75734 00416 0
- Case (in.): 12.25 x 18 x 6.5
- Sustainable farming—Vegan Friendly