

LA BELLE ENDORMIE

CHÂTEAU LA VIEILLE CROIX



FRONSAC



RED



75CL



MERLOT CABERNET FRANC



GREEN MANURES & VEGETATIVE COVER, MIXED FARMING



FRONSAC MOLASS



MECHANICS



12 MONTHS AGEING, 70% CONCRETE VATS, 30% IN OAK BARRELS



The Château La Vieille Croix sits at the heart of Fronsac, where both domain and region share a very rich history. This small appellation of only 170 properties scattered along hillsides between the Dordogne and Isle rivers is one of the finest terroirs in the region. The quality of wine made here is enough to rival its bigger, more well-known neighbours Saint-Émilion and Pomerol, and is one of the many reasons behind the region's nickname, La Belle Endormie or 'The Sleeping Beauty'.

WINEMAKER'S NOTE



Color

Deep purple



Nose

Red fruits and liquorice



Taste

Strong and tannic, good length



Ageing potential

15 years



Serving temperature

Between 16°C and 18°C



Pairing

Serve with prime rib meat



