ESPRIT DE FRONSAC

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World-renowned oenologist, famous wine scientist celebrated for his numerous discoveries. Winemaker and co-owner of Vignobles Chatonnet in Bordeaux, consultant to prestigious international wine estates, he offers the «Esprit de» range of wines, spirit of a place, spirit of a grape variety, spirit of a winemaker, wines of expression, simple and typical, designed for pleasure.

TERROIR

The terroirs of Fronsac are surrounded by superb landscapes of plateaus and hillsides that give it the air of the «Tuscany of Bordeaux». The soils of the Esprit de Fronsac are essentially clay-limestone on the plateaus and hillsides, with a minority of siliceous clay at the foot of the slopes. The molasse of Fronsadais, the typical clay of the right bank of Bordeaux, marks the slopes and the valleys. It is the quality of these soils, supplied with water in a regular way and without stress with an undulating relief, which confers to the wines of Fronsac their characteristic flavor.

AGEING

14 months

1 and 2 years old barrels 10% new barrels

BLEND

100% Merlot

ALCOHOL CONTENT

12,5%

