



2021 VINTAGE

APPELLATION PESSAC-LÉOGNAN

HISTORY
 Château Pape Clément is one of the oldest Grands Crus in Bordeaux. It takes its name from Pope Clement V, the archbishop of Bordeaux who was elected pope in 1305. Originally named Bertrand de Goth, it was he who planted the chateau's first vines in the 13th century. The estate can take pride in having produced wine on the same land for over seven centuries.



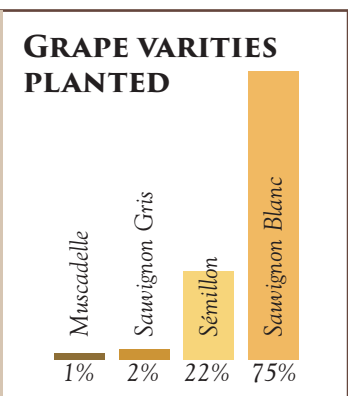
WINEGROWING REGION

Superficie : 10 HA
 Bordeaux
 Pessac
 Gradignan
 AOC Pessac-Léognan

PLANTING DENSITY
7,500 vines /ha

AGE OF THE VINES
23 years

SOIL TYPE
Pyrenean clayey gravel from the late Pliocene epoch and Quaternary period.



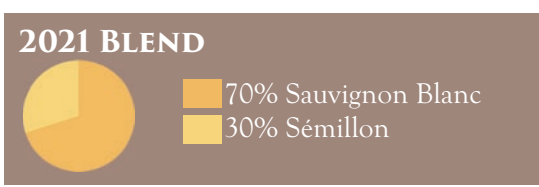
HARVEST DATES :
From 8th to 23rd September, 2021

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BOTTLING :
December 2022

GROWING SEASON ☁️

- ❄️ Winter : Warm and wet.
- 🌧️ Spring : Chilly and rainy with some frost.
- ☀️ Summer : Chilly and wet.



VINEYARD MANAGEMENT 🍃

- Micro-plot management.
- Controlled grass cover, animal-drawn ploughing under the vines.
- Sustainable pest and disease management.
- Lateral shoot removal and leaf thinning.
- Manual harvest in two rounds of selective picking.

WINEMAKING 🍷

- Manual filling of the pneumatic press.
- Whole-cluster pressing, increasing the pressure very slowly in an inert atmosphere to preserve the aromas.
- Gravity-flow of the press juices into barrels.
- Settling and vinification in French oak barrels and foudres.
- Ageing on fine lees and regular stirring.

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