NENIN 2021



AOC

Pomerol

TERROIR

The vineyards of Château Nénin are all in one piece, with the exception of one plot. The vines dedicated to the grand vin of Château Nénin are planted on the largest clay and gravel terroirs of the Pomerol plateau, covering about one third of the total vineyard. In the context of the Pomerol appellation, where it is rare for an estate to exceed 10 hectares, Château Nénin represents a major surface: up to 32 hectares of vines in production. Consequently, its terroir includes all the diversity of soils that characterise Pomerol. It is mainly made up of Oligocene deposits covered with gravelly alluvial formations of the Dordogne; siliceous clays and gravels, quartz, granites, iron dross as well as basalt pebbles.

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This 2021 vintage will remain uniquely complex. Both early and late. Indeed, although the mildness and humidity of the winter imposed an early, yet homogeneous budburst, this advance was lost during the growing season. The total investment of the teams was more than ever essential to limit the impact of various hazards and risks: once the impact of frost contained, the vineyard was then be preserved until the end of the summer, for a slow but complete and very qualitative phenolic maturation. The gravelly soil, especially on the plateau, played its role perfectly, forcing the vines to refine the suave maturity of the Merlots and the intrinsic elegance of the Cabernet Franc.

Blend 64% Merlot 36% Cabernet Franc

Harvest period From 25th September to 4th October 2021

Alcohol: 13.31 % vol. - Total Acidity: 3.24 gH2SO4/l - pH: 3.53 - IPT: 65