


**CHÂTEAU
GRAND-PUY-LACOSTE**
GRAND CRU CLASSÉ EN 1855

Lacoste Borie
2010



- ✦ **Date of harvest** 29th of September to 12th of October 2010
- ✦ **Blend** 62% Cabernet Sauvignon - 32% Merlot - 6% Cabernet Franc

- ✦ **Total vineyard surface** 90 hectares around the Château
- ✦ **Vineyard surface under production** 55 hectares in one block around the Château
- ✦ **Average age of the vines** 38 years old
- ✦ **Soil - Terroir** Very deep coarse gravel
- ✦ **Vineyard grape varieties** 75% Cabernet Sauvignon - 20% Merlot - 5% Cabernet Franc
- ✦ **Density of planting** 10 000 pieds/hectare
- ✦ **Rootstock** Riparia gloire & 101.14

- ✦ **Growing of the vines** Mechanical ploughing of the Soil Viticulture practices: Spraying kept to the absolute effective minimum.
- ✦ **Harvest** Exclusively hand picked
- ✦ **Grape sorting** Two successive selections before and after de-stemming process
- ✦ **Vinification** A long period of maceration (about 3 weeks)
- ✦ **Ageing** In French oak barrels (30% new barrels each vintage) for between 14 to 16 months depending on the vintage.

- ✦ **Owner** M. François-Xavier BORIE
- ✦ **Cellar Master** M. Philippe GOUZE
- ✦ **Vineyard Manager** M. Marc DUVOCELLE
- ✦ **Consultant oenologist** MM Jacques & Eric BOISSENOT
- ✦ **Public relation** Miss Emeline BORIE

- ✦ **Grand Cru** Château Grand-Puy-Lacoste