

CLIMATE

The rain begins in September and ends in December. An abnormal mildness begins in January and finishes late February. The first COVID containment occurs under bright sunlight and high temperatures.

Beginning in mid-April, numerous and heavy rains compromise the works at the vineyards.

June is wet and mildew threatens (agaaaain!). A superb summer stops it but becomes too hot in late August and early September.

Our fresh sub-soils save the day to the cabernet-sauvignon.

The harvest sky is grey but the rains are rare.

GRAPE HARVESTS

Merlot : from 09/17/2020 to 09/27/2020 • **Cabernet**

sauvignon: from 09/27/2020 to 10/02/2020 • **Cabernet franc**: from 09/25/2020 to 09/30/2020 **Petit verdot**: from 09/25/2020 to

09/30/2020

BLENDING

Cabernet sauvignon: 49%

Merlot: 42% Petit verdot: 6,5%

Cabernet franc: 2,5%

TASTING NOTES

Dark Burgundy. Bright and clear.

Aromas of black pepper, candied tangerine peel, blackberry.

In mouth, an enveloping fat volume, very fine tannins.
Good balance. Soft, onctuous wine, light roasted notes with a discreet scent of vanilla.

Final of blackberry jelly.

"When you will drink this wine, if you're here to do it Will you wear a mask?"

Emmanuel Carrère pour

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