



CHATEAU LA DOMINIQUE, SAINT-EMILION

Château La Dominique is well located in the North-West of Saint-Emilion, neighbor of Château Cheval Blanc and Château Figeac, on the side of Pomerol appellation. It's the estate of Clément Fayat since 1969. Nowadays, Château La Dominique skilfully harmonizes modernity and tradition with an high-tech cellar designed by Jean Nouvel.

2016



Production Area :	23 ha
Soil:	Brown soils with clay, old sands mixed with the gravel on clay sub-layer
Grape varieties :	Merlot 89%, Cabernet Franc 8%, Cabernet Sauvignon 3%
Average age of the vines:	35 years
Density:	6.000 vines/ha
Pruning:	Guyot simple, the load being adapted to the vigour of each vine
Harvesting:	Entirely hand-picked from September 29 th to October 12 th for Merlots and from October 14 th to 18 th for Cabernets
Winemaking:	Stainless steel tronconic vats, thermo regulated
Ageing :	16 months in 60% new oak barrel
Yield:	42 hl/ha
Production :	80 000 bottles
Blend 2016:	Merlot 80%, Cabernet Franc 12%, Cabernet Sauvignon 8%
Degree:	14°
pH :	3.7

Tasting notes :

Bettane & Desseauve : 96-97
Jeff Leve : 93-95
Decanter – Jane Anson : 94
Chris Kissack : 17-18
Jancis Robinson : 17
Jean-Marc Quarin : 17