



# Château La Tour Cordouan 2011

*Médoc*



Château La Tour Cordouan is the second wine of château Laujac. Bernard CRUSE is the estate's manager since 1962. The total of the vineyard was replanted when Mr. CRUSE bought the estate that same year. The estate is located in the heart of the Médoc region on a total surface of 400 hectares. Two vineyards are part of the estate: the one of Laujac on gravel soils and the one of Laffitte on clay-limestone soils. The soils are the finest of the appellation

## Bordeaux Tradition

This wine respects the typicity of the Médoc region: the wine is strong, with character and will get finer as the years go by. This wine has supple tannins and fruity and possesses a nice ruby color.

## Why buy this wine?

- The proximity of the Gironde estuary and the Atlantic Ocean creates a microclimate that offers a good maturation of the grapes
- Second wine of château Laujac elaborated with the same care
- The wine ages one year in French barrels within 25% are new oak : the final wine is harmonious and oak is not to dominant
- Know-how of the CRUSE family

## Technical Sheet

**Owner:** S.C Château Laujac

**Surface:** 8 ha

**Soils:** clay-limestone

**Color:** red

**Grape varieties:**

50% Cabernet Sauvignon

40% Merlot

10% Cabernet Franc

## Quality criteria's:

- Once the harvest done the grapes are sorted out and then destemmed. A shortage machine is present in the vineyards and in the cellars.
- Thermo-regulated tanks with 4 pumping-overs per day during the fermentations

**Ageing potential:** 5 years

**Temperature:** 18°C

**Food march:** grilled meat, cheese, beef filet...