



# CHÂTEAU LA CLOTTE

*The 2022 Vintage*

## **Location**

Vines spread over limestone hillside, south facing. Château La Clotte is located south, south-west of the Saint Emilion village.

## **Planted vineyard area**

4 hectares.

## **Nature of soils**

Soil is clay and limestone soil.

## **Plantation density**

6,000 vines per hectare.

## **Average age of the vines**

57 years.

## **Harvest dates**

Merlot : 8 and 20 September.

Cabernet Franc : 27 September.

## **Viticulture and oenology**

Traditional fermentation in stainless steel vats followed by 18 months ageing in French oak barrels. Conversion to organic farming since 2020.

## **2022 Blend**

85% of Merlot, 15% of Cabernet Franc.

## **Owner / Wine-grower**

VAUTHIER family (since 2014) / Managed by Alain VAUTHIER and Pauline VAUTHIER.

## **Wine team**

Vineyard Manager : Laurent VALLET.

Cellar Master : Thierry LEZIN.

## **Distribution**

Sales through Bordeaux traders.

