

# CHÂTEAU DE PAILLET-QUANCARD

*Cadillac, Côtes de Bordeaux*

2011

Dating back to the 16th century, the Château owes its name to the neighbouring village of Paillet. The symbiosis is complete between a vineyard and its birthplace, giving extra feeling to a wine that remains elegant, subtle and refined throughout the years and always lives up to expectations. This very old vineyard was bought in the 18th century by Squire d'Alphonse, canon of the church of Bordeaux.

## THE VINEYARD

**Terroirs** : clay-limestone and clay-gravel hillsides.

**Surface area** : 18 hectares

**Planting density** : 4700 Vine / ha

**Yield** : 49 hl / ha

**Grape varieties** : Cabernet-Franc, Cabernet-Sauvignon, Merlot

**Average age of the vine** : 25 years

## THE WINE

### Blend

80% Merlot, 15% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Cabernet Franc

### Vinification

Cold maceration for a week at 8°C then fermentation with maceration for 18 days at 27°C.

### Ageing

Maturing in barrels and vats

### Ageing potential

Ready to drink now, this wine will reach its full potential around 2019-2021

### Tasting

A very nice, rich and complex 2011 vintage .  
A beautiful range of aromas of candied fruit and dried flowers .A fleshy and velvety palate beautifully enriched with toasted wood notes.

### Food pairing

Perfect with red and white meats, poultry and also with soft cheese.



Our Chateaux

## AWARDS

- Bronze Challenge International du Vin Blaye-Bourg 2014
- Silver Concours de Bordeaux Vins d'Aquitaine 2013

