



CHÂTEAU MAZEYRES 2021

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Weather conditions of the vintage

2021 begins with a milder winter and much more water than average, in line with 2020. The budding, homogeneous and regular, is early. After a very cold, dry spring, a severe frost on April 7th destroyed 25% of the crop potential in Mazeyres.

Then until the end of April the temperatures are low and slow down the growth. The weather turns to rain in May. The stormy instability between mid-June and mid-July caused moderate pressure that we would have liked not to see again so quickly, and which lasted until the end of veraison. The tannic and anthocyanin richness of the skins is however promising. The Merlot harvest begins on the earliest plots on September 28th. The climatic pangs since the budding have eaten away at a fairly large part of the yield but offer very aromatic wines and we know how much effort they required in the vineyard, making us, if necessary, understand again this year that nature remains the master. 2021 or one of the greatest lessons in humility.

Surface area	23.57 hectares
Terroir	gravels and sandy clay
Grapes varieties	75% Merlot - 22 % Cabernet Franc - 3 % Petit Verdot
Harvest date	28th of september til 15th of october
Vineyard management	Organic and biodynamics wine Certified by FR-BIO-01 Agriculture France Contrôlé Biodyvin par Ecocert France SA
Ageing	38 % in barrels (22 % new oak) 27 % in concrete egg vats of 7 hl 15 % in amphora and small vats 20 % in foudres
Yield	17 hectoliters/ha
Production	32 000 bottles

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