

# VIGNOBLES TACH

CHÂTEAU  
LES CLAUZOTS  
SAINT-PIERRE-DE-MONS



## CHÂTEAU LES CLAUZOTS "CUVÉE MAXIME" RED GRAVES 2010

• SILVER MEDAL AT THE BORDEAUX CONTEST •

### VINTAGE

**Harvest start:** September 15th

**Duration:** 4 weeks

**Winemaking process:** Wine grapes separated by variety during 4 weeks in stainless steel tanks, soft and frequent pumping

**Ageing:** 6 months in temperature controlled stainless steel tanks and 12 months in barrels

**Vintage blend:** Cabernet Sauvignon 65%, Merlot 35% (after 6 month ageing)

**Green harvesting:** Yes

**Yield:** 40 hl/ha

**Production:** 20,000 bottles

**Bottling:** June 2012

**Analytical Study:** Alcohol content: 13,5% Total acidity: 3.5  
Residual sugar: < 2 Collage: white of egg Filtration: yes

### VINEYARD

**Vineyard size:**

35 ha with 25 ha in red Graves

**Average age of vines:** 30 years

**Soil composition:**

Graves and sandy Graves

**Orientation vineyards:** North-South

**Red Grape varieties:**

Cabernet Sauvignon 60%, Merlot 40%

**Rootstock:** 101-14, 3303, Riparia

**Planting density:** 5,500 plants/ha

**Pruning:** Guyot simple

**Growing mode:** Natural grass cover

**Stripping:** Yes

### TASTING NOTE

*"The color is a very deep ruby, and it is still on the youth by its purple hues. The nose is delicate, slightly closed at first. After a aeration, the wine reveals its intensity. Aromas of blackberry and cassis are highlighted by toasted almonds and chocolate woodlot. On the palate the wine is rich, concentrated by the presence of ripe black fruits. In addition to roundness and mouthfeel, tannins marked by their presence and their subtleties. The peppery note on the finish gives freshness and remarkable draw. This powerful and concentrated wine gladly accompany a beautiful veal with cream and morels or entrecote bordelaise."*

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