

CHATEAU
MARQUIS DE TERME

"CHÂTEAU MARQUIS DE TERME - CUVÉE 1762" 2018

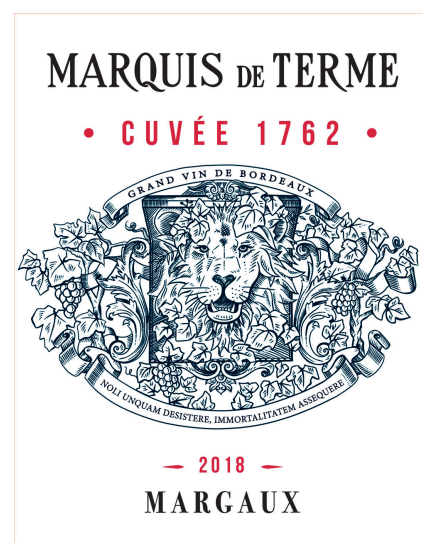
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History of the estate

Marquis de Terme' story begins in 1762, when Miss Ledoux d'Emplet, wife of François de Peguilhan Marquis de Terme, giving him as a dowry the estate which will henceforth bear his name. In the aftermath of the French Revolution (1789), multiple families will take turns. Nevertheless, one of them will leave a deep impression in the history of Marquis de Terme : for more than 120 years, the Feuillerat Family will manage the estate before becoming the owner. Thus, 3 generations will take turns who will never stop improving the estate's wines. Thomas Jefferson, future 3rd president of the United States, stays a long time in France where he is the ambassador from 1785 to 1789. He also acts as wine broker and writes travel diaries in the great French wine-growing regions. He thus stays at Château Marquis de Terme in 1787 and classify it among the top 16 best wines he has ever tasted. Napoléon III decided to organize the universal exhibition in Paris, official committees are responsible for selecting products and work of art for exhibition. In order to honour the wines of Bordeaux, a classification is requested. That is how Marquis de Terme joined the circle of the Grands Crus Classés 1855. 1935, Pierre Sénéclauze repurchases the property and conveys it to its sons, Pierre-Louis, Phillipe and Jean, actual owners. The owners appoint Ludovic David in 2009 to the board of directors of Château Marquis de Terme. This change is the starting point of a new area for the estate. Numerous innovations and a new dynamism are brought to enhance the exceptional terroir of the Marquis de Terme wines.

Terroir

Located in the heart of the village of Margaux, Marquis de Terme wears gracefully its range of Grand Cru Classé. Situated in a central location, its 40 hectares of gravelly soil typical of Margaux pebbles are planted with noble grape varieties: Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Merlot, Petit Verdot which make the international reputation of the Medoc wines. When we mention Margaux and its land, the first words that come to mind are grace, finesse, delicacy. Moreover, the appellation has the largest number of Grands Crus Classés, of which Château Marquis de Terme is one.



Area

40 ha

Age of vines

35 ans



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Vinification

Parcellar vinification in concrete, wood and stainless-steel temperature-controlled vats filled by gravity without pumping. Cold pre-fermentation maceration, alcoholic fermentation with natural yeasts, punching down, vinification without sulphites.

Ageing

12 months in French oak barrels and concrete vats

Blending

5% Cabernet franc

18% Merlot

77% Cabernet-sauvignon

Tasting note

Cuvée 1762 has a deep colour with glints of purple. Rich bouquet with floral notes and scents of blackberry, dark chocolate, bitter orange and liquorice. The palate is full-bodied, round and creamy. Dark berry flavours emerge to accompany the mocha finish.



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