

# CHÂTEAU LES REUILLES

## BORDEAUX Rouge (Red)



### Ownership & history:

Château Les Reuilles is made by Patrick Todesco, a third-generation winemaker at his award-winning estate in Savignac de Duras. It is located on the far east side of the Bordeaux region. This quiet corner of the world is where Bordeaux spreads into its satellite appellations, and Les Reuilles borders the lesser known Côtes de Duras appellation. The climate here is slightly warmer and dryer than that of its neighbour. The Todesco family are renowned for their hospitality and propose that you stay in their bed & breakfast, which has great views over the region.

### Harvest, vinification & ageing:

The grape juice is macerated and fermented in stainless steel vats with the focus being on keeping the primary fruit aromas and tastes. There is also some micro-oxygenation carried out, which helps to soften the tannins, to stabilise the colour and to accentuate the complexity of the wine. The final stage is the ageing, which takes place in underground concrete vats?

### Tasting:

"Mid ruby. Sumptuous perfume of very voluptuous ripe black fruits. Quite soft on the palate but with sufficient freshness too. Not especially dense. But it offers masses of pleasure per penny while not deviating from the model of good solid bordeaux. Very rich for the money. VGV" - Jancis Robinson

### Blend:

60% Merlot  
40% Cab. Sauvignon

### Cellaring potential:

Up to 6 years

### Awards & press:

2010 & 2011: Gold medal at Bordeaux WC  
2009 : 16/20 Jancis Robinson (Very Good Value)

