

CHATEAU FLORIE AUDE

Cuvée Espessas

BORDEAUX Rouge (Red)



Ownership & history:

Owner and winemaker, Daniel Brulatout named this estate after his two daughters: Florie and Aude.

His quest for high quality wine has been a success story, as his wine receives great many awards every vintage.

Vineyard & location:

The vineyard increased from 7 hectares in 1981 to 77 hectares today.

It is situated in the picturesque village of Aubie-Espessas, northeast Bordeaux. The vines are planted in a clay-limestone soil, which gives strength and elegance to the wine.

Harvest, vinification & ageing:

Careful attention is paid to the harvest, with regular analysis of the grapes so that they can be picked at optimum ripeness. The different grapes varieties are made into wine in separated vats, which allows to find the best wine-making process according to the variety. The final red wine blend is rigorously work out.

A third is aged in oak to soften the tannins and give a hint of vanilla to the wine.

Tasting:

Chateau Florie-Aude has a deep purple colour with tints of garnet-colour. On the nose, it shows ripe fruits, such as prune and blackberry. The mouth is first full-bodied but well-balanced, then appears a soft and silky finish. This surprising and bold wine pairs very well with hard cheeses, such as Comté, and also red meats.

Vintage:

2019

Blend:

85% MERLOT
15% CABERNET
SAUVIGNON

Cellaring potential:

Up to 5 years