

# CHATEAU D'ALIX

2018

## PESSAC-LÉOGNAN ROUGE

In 2008, Jean-Noel et Muriel BELLOC, already owner of 2 estates in Graves and Sauternes appellation, bought 21 hectares of woods in Pessac Leognan. After planting vines, they produced their first vintage in 2012, on an exceptional terroir. They gave their daughter's name to the estate: ALIX.



**AREA UNDER VINES:** 14.5 hectares

**SOIL :** Small gravels, clay in subsoils

**AVERAGE AGE OF THE VINES:** 12 years

**GRAPPE VARIETIES :** 50% Merlot

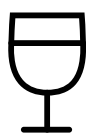
50% Cabernet Sauvignon



### VINIFICATION:

The best plots are selected during the harvest. Bunches are vatted during 3 weeks in temperature control vats, to extract color and tannins, thanks to regular puping over.

Ageing in oak barrels 50% new, 50% one year barrels, during 12 months



### TASTING :

Great wine with deep red garnet color. Aromas of red fruits, with toasted and vanilla notes. In mouth, the wine is supple, fresh and fruity, with melted tannins.

Ageing potential: 10 years



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