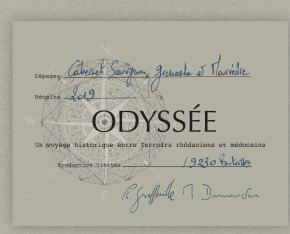
# ODYSSÉE

A voyage between the Médoc and the Rhône Valley

2019



## Synergy of Terroirs

Practiced since the 19th century, the blending of wines from Médoc and Rhône Valley ensures a beautiful synergy thanks to the complementary nature of their terroirs and grape varieties. From this link between the Atlantic Ocean and the Mediterranean Sea comes a stylish and unique wine, conveying the expression of this vintage in Bordeaux as well as in the Rhône Valley, which has the tannic structure of the great wines of the Médoc but also the charm, finesse and friendliness of the wines of the Rhône Valley.

## **Vintage**

In the Médoc area after a wet winter, spring was fresh yet dry. Then summer was hot with few showers just before the harvest. A great Cabs vintage. In the Rhône Valley, 2019 is a sunny vintage dotted with providential rains, especially during ripening process. Grenache are generous and Mourvèdre are intense and complex.

### Haute couture blend

This 5th edition of this blend brings together Cabernet Sauvignon (55%), Grenache (25%) and Mourvèdre (20%). The power and tension of the Cabernet Sauvignon grapes overlooking the Gironde estuary from their deep gravelly hilltops blend perfectly with the elegance and delicacy of the old Grenache, grown according to the gobelet pruning system on clay-limestone terraces. Mourvèdre adds in this solar vintage a really nice backbone with tautness and freshness, to get the perfect balance.





#### Lisa Perroti Brown: 94/100

"...the palate is packed with spicy black fruit flavors, supported by velvety tannins and plenty of freshness, finishing long with a skip in its step"

### James Suckling: 94/100

"Tannins are creamy and small grained, giving a nice, seamlless grip to the finale. Irresitible now, but can hold too"

Georgina Hindle / Decanter: 93/100

lane Anson: 93/100

## Typicity, style & originality!

Odyssée 2019 remains complexe, dense and refined without ever losing a magnificent mineral tension.

The ripe fruit and the finesse of the grapes are confirmed on the palate with volume and precision.

A new & superb journey !



More on this on the next trip!

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