

# Château Bastian

## Réserve

Bordeaux  
2011

### History

The Château Bastian, a 14<sup>th</sup> century farm of Rivet abbey (at Auros), is a 35 hectare property, on the left bank of the Garonne.

Since 1988, it has belonged to Brigitte and Stéphane Savigneux who run the vineyard, including winemaking and marketing.

### Wine making

After manual grape harvesting and traditional winemaking, these warm wines are authentic and balanced.

### Soils – Geology

A 10 hectare vineyard located alongside a plateau.

### Ageing :

12 months in oak barrel.

**Grape** : Cabernet Sauvignon –Cabernet franc–  
Merlot

**Cellaring** : 8 years

### Tasting note:

Nice color, full bodied, with nice typical palate, lightly rocky with good acidity and body

### Food:

Will be perfect with grilled or roasted meats, poultry cooked with cream and mushrooms

**Serving temperature** : 17-18°C

### Press comments

Guide Huber 2013, 4,5 glasses

*"Intense nose, with a big ripe(mature) fruit and a wooded one marked, dense, deep mouth, with some fruit and an excellent freshness."*

Guide Hachette des Vins 2014 : 1\*

*« Nose, red and black fruit mature alongside accents grilled of barrels. Mouth turns soft and deep, supported by friendly tannins. Already harmonious, this 2011 vintage may also wait 3-5 years in the cellar. »*

Un vin presque parfait, M6,guide 2014 : 2\*

*«The dress with pink reflections offers brilliant Nose of black fruits and spices, offers a touch of roasting. Mouth is a beautiful freshness evolving into a milky way final. »*

Guide Dussert-Gerber 2014

*«Beautiful dress sustained, with notes of fresh fruits and humus, very good evolution, really reasonable.»*

