



FICHE TECHNIQUE

Château Olivier Red 2006



Grand Vin du Château Olivier *Grand Cru Classé de Graves*

Appellation : Pessac-Léognan

Owner : Family de BETHMANN

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Vineyard

Area	40 Ha (100 acres)
Soils	Gravels (50%), clay-limestone (35%) and sands (15%)
Varieties	Cabernet Sauvignon (45%), Merlot (45%), Cabernet Franc (10%)
Average age	22 years

Winemaking

Harvesting	By hand, in small baskets, sorting of the fruits.
Vinification	Slow fermentations with temperature control, Long and soft post fermentation extraction, skin contact, Malo-lactic fermentation in vats and barrels.
Ageing	12 months, 35% new barrels

Tasting Notes *Millésime 2006*

With its deep, almost black color, this wine appears to be wearing evening dress. A lively attack, both full and incisive, with scents of liquorice and cashew. The wine's fresh, lively impression does not mask the perfect maturity of the tannins. Typically Bordelais elegance and classicism spring to mind. A good bottle for laying down, this wine will be best from 2011 with a family pot-au-feu and many other dishes.

Commercialization

Annual production : ± 120,000 bottles

France, Germany, Switzerland, UK, Belgium, The Netherlands, USA, Canada, Japan, Hong Kong, Singapour.

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