

LA FLEUR DU PRIEURÉ

SAINT-ÉMILION



VINEYARD

Surface: 0,80 hectare

Soil: sandy-clay and clay-limestone

Planting density: 6,000 vinestocks/ha

Pruning: single Guyot method

Grape varieties: 100 % Merlot

Average age of vines: 25 years

Cultivation process: Plowing, no chemical herbicides

Average yield: 51 hl/ha

ENVIRONMENT

Environment is in the heart of the work in the vineyard:

- **No CMR** (carcinogenic, mutagenic and reprotoxic) products
- **No herbicides**
- **HVE** (High Environmental Value) approach
- **Sexual confusion** against grape worms
- **Autumn sowing** to loosen and enrich the soil and then serve as green fertilizer



WINE MAKING

Harvest: Manual harvesting with 2 sorting tables

Vinification: Soft pumping over, carried out with the objective of preserving the fruit

Average fermentation time: 18 days

Ageing: 12 months (50% in French oak barrels of 2 wines and the other half in temperature-controlled concrete tanks)

Bottling: At the Château