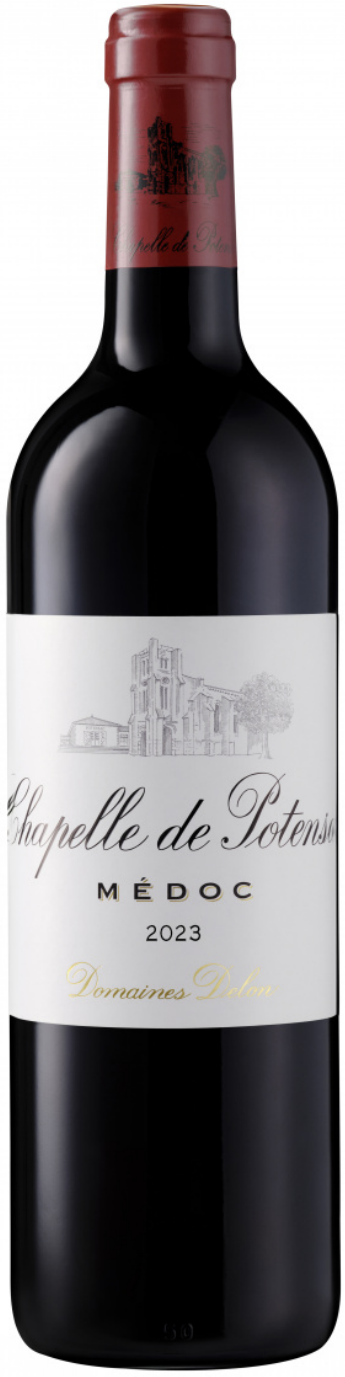
Chapelle de Potensac

2023



TERROIR

The vineyards of Château Potensac are located on one of the highest points in the northern Médoc, and extend mainly over limestone subsoil covered with clay and gravel with a high proportion of gravel, a terroir similar to that of the Saint-Estèphe appellation. Managed by the Delon family (Léoville Las Cases) since time immemorial, this renowned cru includes plots of Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Franc planted over 75 years ago, producing perfectly ripe, healthy grapes.

VINTAGE 2023

The 2023 vintage for Chapelle de Potensac had an early and vigorous start, with uniform budbreak at the end of March. The warm temperatures in May and June led to very rapid vine growth, demanding great responsiveness in the vineyard. June brought steady rainfall and persistent disease pressure. July remained warm but cloudy, followed by two heat waves in late August and early September that accelerated grape ripening. Careful management of harvest dates preserved the fruit's integrity by avoiding the September rains. Thanks to the vines' deep root systems, well-drained soils, and precise viticulture, the 2023 vintage stands out for its freshness, structure, and depth.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Blend : Merlot 60 % , Cabernet Sauvignon 35% , Cabernet Franc 5 %
Harvest period : 18th September to 29th September 2023
Alcohol degree : 13.08 % - Total Acidity : 3.62 gH2SO4/l - pH : 3.61 - IPT : 74

DOMAINES DELON