



## CHÂTEAU FONBADET

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Technical sheet

2023

Owner Pascale Peyronie

Domaines Peyronie

Oenologists Michel Rolland

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**Area of vineyard** 11.5 ha, in two separate areas:

1.5 hectares around the property next to Château Latour and Château Pichon Comtesse, and 10 hectares in the north of the appellation surrounded

by Château Mouton Rothschild's vines.

Soil Deep Garonne gravel, gravelly rise

whose profile has been thoroughly analysed.

**Average age of vines** 50 years

Yields 57 hl/ha

**Harvests** Plot selection, manual harvests with an initial

sorting in the vineyard and a second sorting

on a vibrating table in the vat room.

Harvest dates Started on September the 19th of 2023

for Merlots and October the  $2^{rd}$  of 2023 for

Cabernets Sauvignon.

Ended on October the 8th of 2023.

**Vinification** Traditional vinification, separation from

solids after maceration for 28 to 35 days.

Temperature-controlled vats.

**Ageing in barrels** 100% (55% new french oak)

**Duration** 16 to 18 months

**Blend** 88% Cabernet Sauvignon

12% Merlot

Complex nose of blackcurrant, blackberry, and blueberry, supported on aeration by toasty notes of mocha, toast and cider.

There are also more floral notes of peony and violet.

Quite concentrated on the palate, with an elegant, tight texture. A fine texture underpinned by freshness, giving the blend great length.