



## CHATEAU BEL AIR

**Appellation:** Bordeaux

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**Surface:** 20 ha of vines among which 16 go to the private production (the left off is sold to cooperative cellar)

**Varietals:** Merlot 50% - Cabernet Franc 50%

**Vinification:** traditional in stainless steel tanks

**Aging:** few months in tanks

### Tasting

Deep and bright colour. Pleasant nose with aromas of red berries. Smooth, delicate, well-balanced and so fresh wine.

**Serving condition:** Room temperature (19°)

**Pairings:** Red meat, poultry, pizza and delicatessen.

### Origin

Château Bel-Air is a small family-owned winery.

It is located just a few kilometers from Saint-Emilion, in one contiguous vineyard block that surrounds the house and the cellars, enjoying exceptional southern exposure. The chateau sits on hillsides of clay and limestone, and the underlying rock gives the wines of this estate a character that is highly appreciated by connoisseurs.

In the late 1950s, the estate also began producing fruit and juices, as a way of diversifying after 5 consecutive years of heavy frosts. Today the property includes 6 hectares of apple, pear and cherry orchards.

