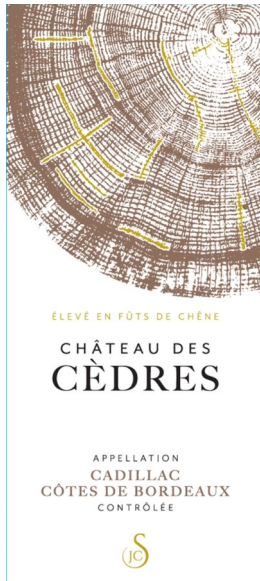


## Château des Cèdres

### Futs de Chêne



<b>VINTAGE</b>	<b>2020</b>
<b>REGION</b>	<b>Bordeaux</b>
<b>APPELLATION</b>	<b>Cadillac Côtes de Bordeaux</b>
<b>VARIETAL</b>	70% Merlot 30% Cabernet-Sauvignon
<b>ALCOHOL</b>	14 %
<b>TERROIR</b>	Limestone-clay, Gravels
<b>INFO</b>	35 Ha (86.48 Acres) total vineyard. 3 Ha (7.41 acres on slopes & 35 year old vines on average devoted to Cuvée Futs de Chêne  Pre-cold maceration & Vinification in concrete tanks & 12 months aging in French oak barrels (Seguin Moreau, Aura & Viné), 20% new ones - Fined / Filtered  <b>New Label</b> <b>Sustainable Agriculture Practices - HVE 3 certified from 2021 Vintage.</b>

#### About the Estate:

The total 35 hectares vineyard of Château des CEDRES is situated in Paillet in the heart of the 1eres Cotes de Bordeaux and Cadillac Appellations. With an incredible and unobstructed view on the Garonne Valley at more than 120 meters altitude, the 86.48 acres vines have an exceptional exposure and natural draining. Cultivated following Sustainable Agriculture practices for more than 15 years, Château des CEDRES produces very expressive Red Bordeaux, Cadillac Côtes de Bordeaux and also sweet white Cadillac Appellation wines.

Why talking about the Château des CEDRES Red Bordeaux on Cadillac Côtes de Bordeaux Cuvée Prestige fact sheet? Just because, the words are the same to describe Serge & Cédric LARROQUE Cadillac Côtes de Bordeaux Cuvée aged in oak barrels, when we present it to our customers and professionals: an exciting wine and a real pleasure to drink. This wine is now among our top 5 best sellers in Bordeaux in more than 10 of our export markets. Re-considering ideas about Bordeaux, which is not expensive and can be an everyday wine with some nice potential and unique expression!

The Futs de Chêne is made from older vines on high slopes, with some gravels in Podensac for Cabernet Sauvignon vines. Pre-cold maceration, vinification in thermo-controlled concrete tanks & 12 months aging in French oak barrels only renewed by 10%. Really charming & seductive wine & value, way under \$ 25.

**Tasting Notes:** Soon to come

**Food Pairing:** Juicy ground beef, hand patted into thick burgers; or a NY strip steak au poivre. - Craig Heffley, NC

#### Press Review:

"Matured in wood, the wine has a caramel and spice aroma, and richly textured black fruits. Cherry and generous tannins give fruit and structure." Roger Voss **91 Pts - Editor's Choice** Wine Enthusiast Oct. 2024

2019 Vint.: "Offering darker cherry & currant fruit as well as tobacco leaf, spice box, & cedar notes. Medium bodied on the palate, it's nicely balanced & has ripe, slightly firm tannins, a great mouthfeel, & no shortage of length on the finish. **High quality Cadillac Cotes de Bordeaux.**" Jeb Dunnuck 90 Pts

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