

# Château Tronquoy Lalande, St-Estèphe, Bordeaux, France, 2015

#### **PRODUCER PROFILE**

#### **VITICULTURE**

The vineyard is farmed meticulously in the traditional way. It is ploughed using the "four ways" method, which involves repeated earthing-up and earthing-down. Ploughing loosens and aerates the soil, making it easier for rainwater to penetrate. It is also a natural way of eliminating weeds and increasing microbial life in the soil.

#### **WINEMAKING**

The phenolic maturity of each grape variety, depending on each plot and implantation was followed with precision and was lead up to its optimum, while controlling its balance and final level of alcohol. The alcoholic fermentation this year was particularly quick. The extraction was mastered during pump-over, in order to keep the elegance and the finesse of the tannins, while conserving the structure of the wine.

#### **TASTING NOTE**

Beautiful deep red colour with light purplish reflections. The fruity blackcurrant and black cherry nose sit on top of a discreet oak and subtle minty note. On the palate this has a beautiful concentration, accompanied by smooth and structured tannins. The finish is persistent and elegant.

### **FOOD MATCHING**

Lamb Chops, Steak with Béarnaise Sauce, Ribeye Steak, Lamb Shawarma and Venison Stew.



Product code: 5649

## **TECHNICAL DETAILS**

**Varieties:**Merlot 55%
Cabernet Sauvignon 37%
Others 8%

**Features:** 

ABV: 14% Oak Ageing
Colour: Red Time: 12 Months
Style: Still wine Type: French Oak
Case Size: 12 x 75cl % wine oaked: 100

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