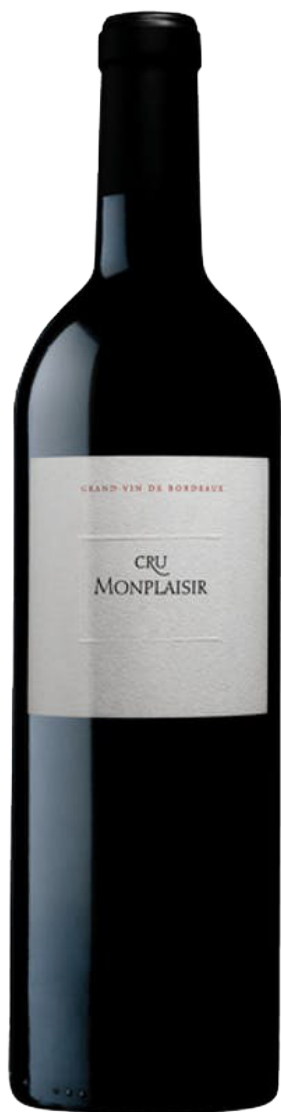




VIGNOBLES GONET-MEDEVILLE

## CRU MONPLAISIR

BORDEAUX SUPÉRIEUR



*One of the estates in the remarkable portfolio of Julie and Xavier Médeville, Monplaisir is a Bordeaux Supérieur that has some serious pedigree. Adjacent to the commune of Margaux, the vines are planted on two parcels, one abutting Château Margaux and the other neighboring Château d'Issan. Aging in only 10% oak and the rest in tank make the nature of the varietals the stars of this bottling. Merlot-driven with some Cabernets Sauvignon and Franc, this is a fruitforward, easy-to-love wine that over-delivers.*

**VARIETAL:** 75% Merlot, 20% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Cabernet Franc

**COUNTRY:** France

**APPELLATION:** Bordeaux Supérieur

**SOIL:** Clay, gravel with silt

**FARMING:** Sustainable (HVE3), Vegan

**SURFACE AREA:** 8.5 hectares

**VINEYARDS & VITICULTURE:** The grapes come from vineyards just outside the Margaux appellation, along the 'palus', or former marshland, near the Gironde, as well as from the village of Grignons, south of Preignac.

**HARVEST & VINIFICATION:** The grapes are macerated for 18 days, fermented in stainless steel tanks, then aged 10% in barrels, 90% in tanks for 10 months.

**TASTING NOTES:** A delicate and easy-drinking wine with an intense ruby red color. On the nose, rich aromas of red fruits and hints of cocoa reveal themselves on the palate with a soft and elegant flavor, marked by soft tannins and currant notes.

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