

HAUT-LA PÉREYRE BORDEAUX SUPÉRIEUR ROUGE

certified sustainable (HVE)

This domaine started life in 1881 in the prestigious albeit small appellation of Haut-Benauge in Bordeaux's Entre-Deux-Mers region. It's a family domaine of 126 acres, and today Olivier Cailleux is the 6th generation to manage it.



<u>VINEYARD</u>

Site: Olivier reserves several of his best parcels for this Bordeaux

Supérieur. The vines grow in the hills in the hinterland back of

the ancient river town of Cadillac.

Soil: France's classic mix of clay and limestone with excellent

drainage and exposure (no lack of hills in Haut-Benauge!).

Vines: From 20 acres in organic conversion. Currently HVE certified.

Varieties: Three-quarters Merlot, one-quarter Cabernet Sauvignon.

CELLAR

Élevage: Aged 16 months in stainless steel tanks.

Bottling: No fining and only a light filtration at bottling.

Production: 4,500 cases.

Profile: This is a wine with aromas of graphite and earth that speak

clearly of classical Bordeaux. It's delicious, immensely

drinkable, and a great value.