



## CAP ROYAL 2016

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#### Description

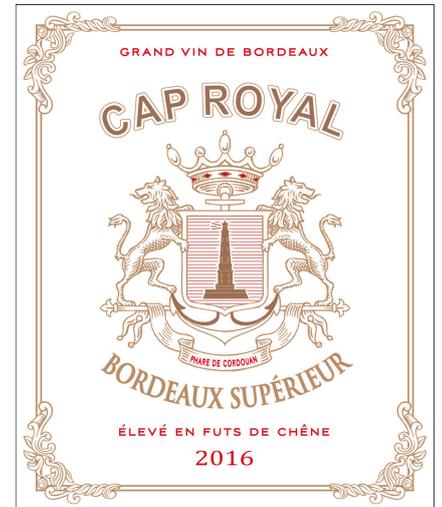
A wine, a signature. This Bordeaux Supérieur is aged in French oak barrels by Jean-René Matignon (Technical Director at Château Pichon Baron), an expert in the barrel ageing process.

#### History of the estate

Cap Royal takes its name from the royal Cordouan lighthouse, the oldest lighthouse of Europe. Situated at the entrance of Gironde Estuary, this 14th century beacon once signalled safe passage to Bordeaux wine merchants returning home after sharing the great wines of Bordeaux with the world. CAP ROYAL benefits from the expertise of Jean René Matignon, winemaker of Château Pichon Baron, Grand Cru Classé Pauillac. Jean René, over many vintages, is a master in the art of blending and expert in monitoring the barrel ageing.

#### Terroir

CAP ROYAL Bordeaux Supérieur comes from lots selected for their quality and complexity by Jean René Matignon with winemaker partners. Aged in oak barrels the traditional Bordeaux way, CAP ROYAL Bordeaux Supérieur is the promise of an immediately pleasurable wine stamped by the great vineyards of the Médoc.



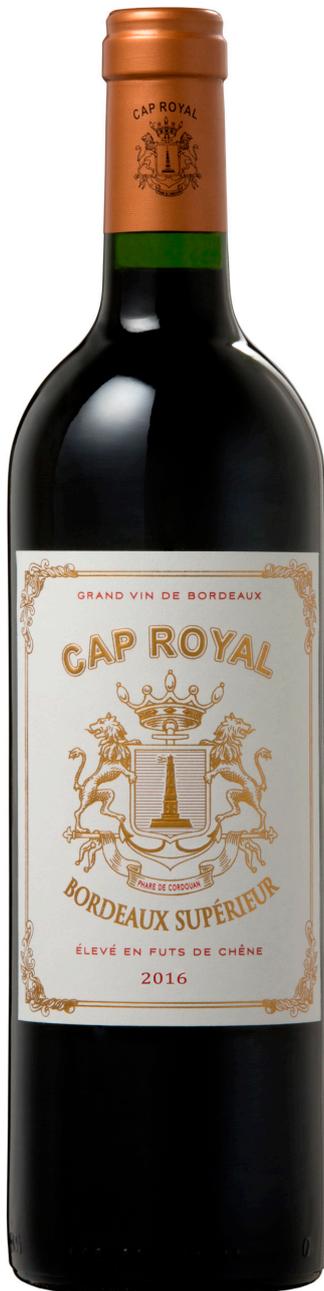
#### Website

<http://www.caproyal.com>



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### Vinification

Fermentation in thermo-regulated stainless steel vats

### Ageing

For CAP ROYAL Bordeaux Supérieur, ageing in oak barrels brings a slightly woody note that adds complexity and length in palate. This careful ageing is performed under the regular supervision of Jean René Matignon. He guarantees quality monitoring during this period.

### Blending

70% Merlot  
30% Cabernet-sauvignon

### Tasting note

Cap Royal 2016 has a beautiful red cherry color brightened with some purplish reflections. The complex and explosive nose reveals intense aromas of red fruits (redcurrant, cherries) which become more complex with subtle hints of spices. On the palate, the creaminess and fullness on the palate are the main characteristics of the wine, dominated by a delicate woody finish.

### Awards



Vinalies  
**Médaille d'Argent**



Decanter WWA  
**Médaille d'Argent**



Citadelles du Vin  
**Médaille d'Argent**



The International Wine  
Challenge (UK)  
**Médaille d'Argent**



Japan Wine Challenge  
**Médaille de Bronze**

