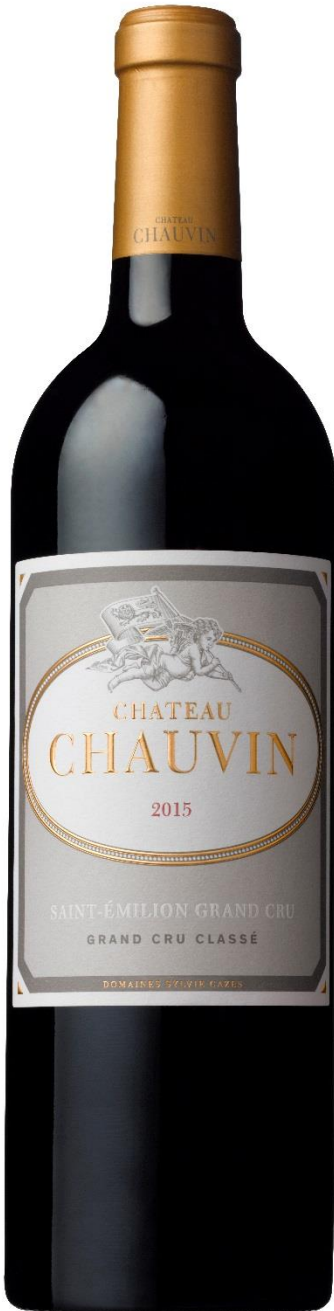


CHATEAU CHAUVIN

SAINT-ÉMILION GRAND CRU
GRAND CRU CLASSÉ

2015



GENERAL INFORMATION

Owner	Sylvie Cazes
Vineyard	15 hectares
Terroir	Sand clay soils with iron dross sub-soil
Average age of vines	28 years

HARVEST

Beginning of harvest: September 28th 2015

End of harvest: October 8th 2015

GRAPE VARIETIES IN THE FINAL BLEND

80% Merlot

14% Cabernet Franc

6% Cabernet Sauvignon

French oak barrels for 15 to 18 months

60% new barrels

TASTING NOTES

James Suckling: 94

The level of richness and fruit power captured in this elegant, silky St.-Emilion is impressive. Dark plums, roasted coffee and baking spices are wrapped up in solid, silky tannins. Great depth.

Neal Martin/Wine Advocate: 91-93

The 2015 Chauvin, which now belongs to Sylvie Cazes and her family, has a focused, precise bouquet, restrained in style but delivering plenty of tensile red berry fruit. The palate is medium-bodied with succulent tannin on the entry. There is quite a lot of new oak to be absorbed here, although there appears to be adequate fruit underneath and there is a pleasant licoricetinged finish that bodes