

# THUNEVIN

## Domaine Virginie Thunevin Bordeaux Rouge

In 2006, Jean-Luc Thunevin purchased this property located in Lalande de Fronsac, on behalf of his daughter Virginie Thunevin. The vineyard, harvest, vinification are under the supervision of our Saint Emilion team: Christophe Lardière head of vineyard work, Rémi Dalmasso cellar master.

Jean-Luc Thunevin has selected Claude Gros as consultant oenologist in order to reach our goal : produce a delicious and affordable Bordeaux wine !

### Technical information:

Surface : 13,5 ha

Soil : clayey limestone and clay

Grape varieties : 100% Merlot

Average age of the vineyard: 40 years

Vinification : Traditionnal , in concrete tanks

Ageing : 11months 50% new barrels / 50% concrete tanks

Production : 80 000 bottles

### Tasting notes

The 2015 Domaine Virginie Thunevin has a fragrant bouquet with dark cherries, bergamot and light stony scents. There is a clarity here, an honesty that I like. The palate is medium-bodied with slightly coarse tannin, but I appreciate the fruit profile: mulberry, red plum and a healthy sprinkle of white pepper and spice towards the finish. Give this 2-3 years in bottle to absorb the oak and you'll have yourself a perfect introduction to Jean-Luc Thunevin's winemaking skill.

Neal Martin The Wine Advocate



### Notes

#### Millésime 2009

Wine Spectator : 89/100

#### Millésime 2010

Wine Advocate 87/100

Wine Spectator : 89/100

#### Millésime 2011

Wine Spectator 85-88/100

#### Millésime 2014

Wine Advocate 86-88/100

#### Millésime 2015

Wine Advocate : 88-90/100

#### Millésime 2016

Wine Advocate : 86-88/100