

## Collection Castera

Alexandrin | 2009

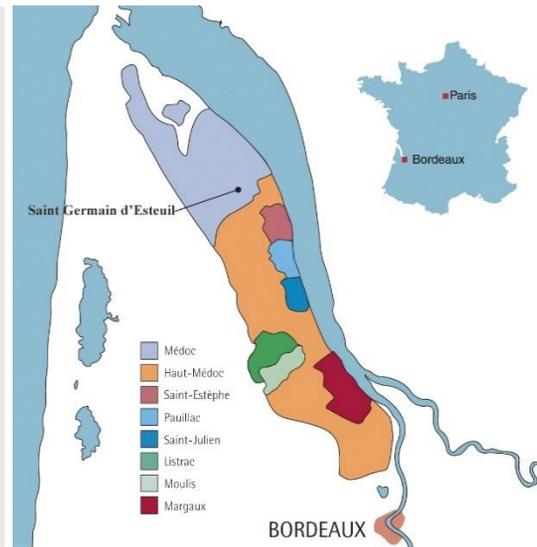
### Grape varieties:

70 % Merlot  
30 % Cabernet Sauvignon

### Soil:

Clay-limestone  
Pyrenean gravel

**Density:** 7500 vines/Ha



### PRESENTATION

In the course of its history, Château Castera has developed a close relationship with literature, particularly with La Boétie and Montaigne, who liked to retreat there to write. Hence the idea arose to name each of our premium cuvées after a literary device intrinsically linked to the temperament of the vintage. 2009, by its finesse, power and balance, evokes the Alexandrine (Alexandrin in French), the standard verse of classical poetry and the only one named with a proper noun.

### DATES OF THE HARVEST

28 September – 15 October

### WINEMAKING

The grapes are picked from the oldest vines in our best clay-limestone terroirs. Alexandrin is aged for 18 months in French oak barrels originating from the famous Tronçais forest in central France.

### TASTING NOTES

The bouquet displays aged notes of grilled cocoa accompanied by roasted and smoky overtones. The delicate palate features generous tannins, alongside black fruit notes and oaky overtones, paving the way for a long, full-bodied aftertaste.



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