

# CASTLE MONDESIR GAZIN Blaye

**Soil:** Clay-limestone

**Planting density:** 5500 and 7400 feet/ha

**Vine varieties:** Merlot 60 %, 20 % cabernet sauvignon 20 % Malbec

**Breeding:**

18-20 months in barrels (1/3 new drums)

**Production:** 24 000 bottles 2nd wine: CHÂTEAU MONDESIR

**Breeding:** 18 months in tanks

**Production:** 20,000 bottles

**Tasting Note:**

35 years old vines on average. This wine shows a dark color, intense & profound nose of black fruits, spices, cedar, lead pencil, and spicy oak, in which it ages for 18 months, in 33% new barrels. More of the same flavors on the palate, in a full-bodied style, extremely round, juicy, & supple, with a tightly knit yet very ripe structure and concentration. Superb finish with hints of licorice.

