

CHÂTEAU GAZIN

Pomerol



WINERY

Château GAZIN's vineyard covers an area of 26 hectares, in a single holding, on the upper terrace of the Pomerol terroir. The terroir at Château Gazin consists of Gunzian gravel on the surface and a subsoil of blue and green clay with iron oxides (iron residues). As is characteristic of great terroirs, these clays (smectites) ensure that the vines have a reasonably stable supply of water. The vineyard is planted with 90% Merlot, 7% Cabernet Sauvignon and 3% Cabernet Franc. The vines are cultivated using traditional growing methods and an environmentally-friendly approach with ploughing, organic fertilizers, minimum use of pesticides (including mating disruption), and manual harvests. The average age of the vines is 35 years.

Name:	Château Gazin
Class:	Red
Region:	Pomerol
Vintage:	2011
Grape Varieties:	90% Merlot, 5% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Cabernet Franc
Case / Bottle Size:	12/750ml
Alcohol Volume:	13%

TASTING NOTE

A powerful, virile 2011, Gazin reveals a dense ruby/purple color, a big, meaty, earthy richness, lots of coffee, black cherry liqueur and spice notes, and a full-bodied mouthfeel. It will benefit from another 3-4 years of cellaring and should keep for 15+ years.

