



Benoît Dubourg, winemaker



## CHATEAU NICOT 2022 AOP Bordeaux Rosé

### — Background —

Situated on the right bank of the River Garonne, a little under 22 miles south of Bordeaux, Château Nicot has enjoyed an enviable reputation for over two hundred years. For over two centuries, the Dubourg Vineyards have been a family farm. Each generation has developed the company as regards the vineyard area as well as the level of marketing.

Bernard and Nadine Dubourg took over management of the family property in the late 60s, and have been joined by their children Benoit and Valerie. The property has continued to expand, by planting new vines and the acquisition of vin processing equipment of high performance and by the construction of new facilities. Production is divided in nine areas of different AOCs.

Historically, they produce quality wines with a combination of modern and traditional techniques. The Château produces AOC Bordeaux from Escoussans, in the heart of the Haut Benauge. The wines are supple and medium-bodied: the best of traditional Bordeaux at a great value price.

### — Viticulture —

- 70% Cabernet Franc, 30% Merlot
- This parcel is located on 5 ha
- Terroir composed of limestone and clay.
- Vine age: 25 years.
- Yield of 55 hectoliters per hectare
- Single Guyot pruning

### — Winemaking —

- Traditional vinification in temperature-controlled stainless steel vats
- Cold precipitation of the tartars.
- 4 months in stainless steel.
- Regular pumping overs.
- Production: 5,000 cases.

### — Tasting Notes —

*Wine with notes of red fruits. The palate is fresh and lively. A wine of pleasure to serve with all your meals.*

