



CHÂTEAU BEYCHEVELLE

VINTAGE 2001

Dates of Harvests 2001
From October 1st to 14th

Production
74 ha in Saint-Julien

Yields
57 hl/ha

Blend
Cabernet Sauvignon 54%
Merlot 39%
Petit Verdot 7%

After a very mild, wet winter, the vegetation cycle of the vines got off to a wet start in April. Flowering of the Merlot vines began on 23 May, with the Cabernet Sauvignon starting on 29 May. The flowering process progressed quickly and evenly in ideal hot, dry conditions.

After a cool, damp month of July, the grapes really started to change colour in the first days of August. The harvest, from 1 to 14 October, took place in very good weather conditions.

A result of very good weather conditions before and during harvesting, the wines have a very dense colour, powerful tannic structure and nice length.