

# 2016 VINTAGE SAINT-ÉMILION

### VINTAGE BLEND

85% Merlot, 15% Cabernet Franc

# CLIMATIC CONDITIONS

The 2016 climatic year was composed of two distinct parts. First, a cool and wet spring with record rainfall (259 mm from April to June, compared to 108 mm during the same period in 2015). A short break from the rain in May allowed for a quick and even flowering. The weather shifted in mid-June, giving way to clear skies and warm temperatures. The vegetative cycle slowed over the summer months, but rain in mid-September allowed the grapes to reach full maturity.

## TASTING NOTE

JEAN-PIERRE MOUEIX SAINT-ÉMILION 2016 presents a brilliant, intense crimson red robe. The expressive nose offers aromas of violet and blackberry complemented by a hint of spice. On the palate, the attack is supple and the tannins silky. The rich and expressive finish unfolds on notes of black fruit.

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« This is very pretty with dark berries, dark chocolate, and hazelnuts. Medium body, firm and silky tannins. Can age, but why wait? Drink now. »

90 pts - James Suckling



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