



The Wine Houses

- Entre-Deux-Mers**
4, rue de l'Abbaye
33670 La Sauve-Majeure
Tel. 33 (0)5 57 34 32 12
- Graves de Vayres**
33870 Vayres
Tel. 33 (0)5 57 74 86 42
- Premières Côtes de Cadillac**
La Closière
104-106, rue Cazeaux Cazalet
33410 Cadillac
Tel. 33 (0)5 57 98 19 20
- Sainte-Foy-Bordeaux**
93, route de Bergerac
33220 Pineuilh
Tel. 33 (0)5 57 46 31 71

The Fortified Towns Road

Appellations

- Bordeaux Haut-Benauge
- Cadillac
- Côtes de Bordeaux Saint-Macaire
- Entre-Deux-Mers
- Entre-Deux-Mers Haut-Benauge
- Graves de Vayres
- Loupiac
- Premières Côtes de Bordeaux
- Sainte-Croix-du-Mont
- Sainte-Foy-Bordeaux



The region

The Entre-Deux-Mers, the largest of all the Bordeaux vineyards, owes its name to the two rivers surrounding it.

It produces a host of wines - lively, fruity, red, rosé and claret, a wide variety of dry whites to be enjoyed while still young and crisp, plus a range of semi-sweet and sweet white wines.

This region is an open invitation to a trip through history - typical fortified towns and abbeys dating from the Middle Ages - and through literature in the footsteps of its famous writers, Montaigne, Mauriac and his Château at Malagar.



Tourist office

- Cadillac**
9, place de la Libération
33410 Cadillac
Tel. 33 (0)5 56 62 12 92
- Créon**
11, rue du Docteur Fauché
33670 Créon
Tel. 33 (0)5 56 23 23 00
- Monsegur**
2, rue Franklin
B.P. 7 - 33580 Monsegur
Tel. 33 (0)5 56 61 82 73

Other information

Visit of the Farm of Forgotten Vegetables, at Sadirac.
Tel. 33 (0)5 56 30 61 00

Cycle trails and tasting stop-overs in old railway stations.
Delightful guest-houses amidst the vines.
Further information from the Tourist Offices above.

Did you know?

The bore is the 1st wave of the incoming tide resulting from the clash of 2 opposing currents. Each year, at the end of summer, the wave enables "bore-riders" to benefit from the Atlantic high tides at Saint-Pardon-de-Vayres

Calendar from the Libourne Tourist Office (p.7).

Your itinerary

To visit the wine châteaux and for further information, go to the Wine Houses of the appellations (see opposite).

Route 1 : from the centre of Bordeaux, cross the river and take the D10 towards Cadillac, running along the river.
Drive through the Premières Côtes de Bordeaux appellation,

producing red and rosé wines, and then the appellations dedicated to sweet white wines, Cadillac, Loupiac and Sainte-Croix-du-Mont. Drive on to Saint Maixant to visit Château Malromé, owned by Toulouse-Lautrec and the neighbouring picturesque village of Verdelais before going on to Saint Macaire and La Réole.

Route 2 : from Bordeaux, cross the river and take the D671 towards Créon, and Sauve-Majeure with its House of Wine of the Entre-Deux-Mers appellation.

Visit the superb 11th century abbey. Drive on to Sauveterre-de-Guyenne to visit its superb fortress then through the vineyards to Monsegur. Many vine-growers offer guest-house accommodation for a stay in the region and to enjoy the local produce in the markets.

Route 3 : cross the river in Bordeaux, then take the D936 to drive through the vineyards to Sainte-Foy-La-Grande, via Branne.

