



THE HOUSE OF PRUNIER

Five generations. Five generations all with the same passion: Cognac.

For over two centuries the House of Prunier has preserved an oral memory of the trade and Stéphane Burnez, son of Claude, grandson of Jean who was himself Alphonse Prunier nephew – and Alphonse being the son of Jean Prunier – aims to protect the heritage of the company. The family treasures, all witnesses of the past, are to be found at the historical site. An invaluable collection of coopers' tools, posters, labels, old post cards of the town, bottles and decanters are the symbols of the history of Prunier.

PRUNIER XO CARAFE COGNAC

700ML/6PACK

Comprised of eaux-de-vie from several different growing regions, the Prunier XO Carafe Cognac has been matured for around 15 years in French oak at Maison Prunier's cellars by the River Charente. The years have given this XO a range of deep, golden brown tones, a complex nose and elegant rancio on the palate. For such a great quality Cognac, this also offers exceptional value for money - it really is a superb staple XO to own.

The House of Prunier specializes in the art of aging and blending carefully selected stocks. Unlike many other producers, they do not cultivate their own grapes; instead, they purchase directly from winegrowers and distillers all around Cognac. This way, they can select the best vintages from any cru. The notorious quality of their cellars, both at the historical site in the heart of Cognac and in Gimeux, contributes to the astonishing quality of Prunier Cognac. For five generations, this house has been perfecting the tradition of Cognac maturation and blending, exploring the unlimited possibilities of flavor that are created in this region.

Prunier's Extra Old expression comes in a curved, classic carafe. From its substantial glass base to the large golden stopper, this is a bottle that exudes quality and can take pride of place in any Cognac collection. The cardboard gift box features an illustration of La Vieille Maison ('The Old House'), a protected historical landmark in the centre of Cognac that has long been a symbol of the House of Prunier.

Cognac age:	XO
Growth area:	BLEND
ABV:	40%
Aged:	About 15 years
Eye:	Glimmering antique gold.
Nose:	Bright and intense nose with tobacco, leather, nuts and dried fruits, all finished off with a hint of liquorice wood. Very deep and well balanced.
Mouth:	First mouth soft, well balanced with very fine tannins, with a final combining aromas of toffee, cocoa, chocolate and cinnamon. The aftertaste is good, based on a fine balance, leaving a very clean mouth.

