

Saint Cosme - "Châteauneuf-du-pape"

AOP Châteauneuf-du-Pape - red - 2020

"50 % Grenache – 30 % Mourvèdre – 15 % Syrah – 5 % Cinsault.

Provenance: La Crau, Valori and Christia.

Whole cluster fermentation.

Ageing for 24 months in casks used for two to five wines.

Aromas of garrigue, black olives and cherries in brandy.

Bottled unfiltered.

As always, our Châteauneuf-du-Pape is a year older because we mature it for 24 months. 2020 is a great classic for Châteauneuf-du-Pape with great balance, soft tannins and aromas of dried fruits and gingerbread. The structure does not comprise a huge framework, which is totally pointless in Châteauneuf wines. In Châteauneuf, what matters is expression, the rest is of trifling importance. The 2020 vintage was a fairly hot year but the ultimate rendition is very different to the 2019s. The 2020s show less concentration than the 2019s and have gained in fruitiness – Châteauneuf is no exception."