

LES CARDÈRES - AOP Corbières red

LES CARDÈRES is produced on the specific «terroir» of limestone hills of moyennes Corbières (medium high Corbières), at an altitude around 200m above sea level.

There is a typically mediterranean climate, moderated by some

altitude and immediate proximity of an oceanic influence climatic area. It is dry with cooler temperatures during the night.

These low rainfall conditions are hard for vines. Adapted actions in vines and low yields permit to success in production of grapes

with perfect phenolic maturity.

LES CARDÈRES is a very well balanced wine with round tannins, freshness and fineness

Terroir :	Limestone hills Mediterranean climate with moderate effects due to some altitude and proximity of an oceanic influence climatic area
Grapes :	50% Syrah 25% Grenache 25% Carignan
Yields :	30 to 40 hl/ha depending on the vintage
Wine Making :	Date of harvest at the optimal phenolic maturity Manual harvest. Grape sorting in the vineyard Total destalking Separate wine making for each variety Long traditionnal maceration. Duration of maceration managed by tasting depending on feature of each vintage Controlled temprature of fermentation limited at 27-28°C
Ageing :	In tanks

