

LES TERRES ROUGES - 100% Carignan

LES TERRES ROUGES is a demonstration Carignan is an exciting grape. Often used in the past to produce wines of poor quality,

this grape variety can give very interesting wines: complex, rich and elegant.

On this nice terroir, old vines give low yields.

Cold microclimate with fresh nights permits to obtain great phenolic maturity. Carignan keep some of its rustic type with more fineness and elegance. Still racy



- Terroir :** Schistous or limestone depending on the plots
Altitude between 220 and 350 meters above sea-level
Mediterranean climate moderated by altitude and proximity of MontagneNoire.
- Grapes :** 100% Carignan
- Yields :** 35 - 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
Pre-fermenting maceration for one week and long traditionnal maceration managed by tasting depending on feature of each vintage
Controlled temperature of fermentation limited at 27-28°C
- Ageing :** 18 months in tanks and barrels