



2023

DOMAINE DE LA SOLITUDE

CHATEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE ROUGE

65% Grenache noir, 20% Syrah, 5% Cinsault, 5% Mourvèdre, 5% Counoise

PRODUIT ISSU DE L'AGRICULTURE BIOLOGIQUE FR-BIO-01



Historical cuvée produced since the 17th century, the Tradition Rouge is a blend of our different terroirs, on safres and on rolled pebbles and of the eight black grape varieties of the appellation.

The entire vineyard is certified organic farming.

Yield: 32 hl/hectare.

Harvest: Harvesting is done by hand in 25 kg crates.

Vinification and aging:

- The grapes are hand-picked.
- After a selection of the best bunches by hand on a sorting table, the grapes are crushed and destemmed and fall by gravity in our concrete tanks.
- Long maceration with gentle extractions allow to obtain velvety yet powerful tannins, which are specific to our wines ;
- 10 % of the wine is then aged in oak barrels and demi-muids for 15 month, 90% in concrete vats.



Vintage 2023: "The vintage showed "great balance and structure across the northern and southern parts of the region," according to the report's bottom line. The assessment noted that the vintage endured a few hurdles, including a particularly rainy stretch with some hail embedded in storms in the north part of the Rhône Valley and then a drought and late-summer heat wave that was alleviated somewhat by a corresponding stretch of cool nights.." - Philippe Pellaton, President of Inter Rhône

Tasting note: Nose of garrigue bouquet, cistus flower, blackcurrant buds; Fresh and balanced mouth, with aromas of cocoa and cherry, with a long finish of liquorice.

Food and Wine pairing: In its youth, this vintage is perfect to pair with a shoulder of lamb 12 hr cooking in oven, roast pigeon with fungi porcini and from its fifth year, stew, Daube Provençal, all game and many cheeses.

Storage: Drink now through 15 years after the vintage.

Serving temperature: 60 to 62 F°.



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VINTAGE 2022: JAMES SUCKLING - 94 POINTS

VINTAGE 2022: VINOUS - 93 POINTS

VINTAGE 2022: WINE ADVOCATE - 91 POINTS

VINTAGE 2021: JAMES SUCKLING - 94 POINTS

VINTAGE 2021: WINE SPECTATOR - 92 POINTS

VINTAGE 2021: DECANTER - 92 POINTS