



Chemin de vie

IGP Côtes de Thau

Red 2014

Tasting : Density and substance for this vintage. Shiraz is softened with elegant woody taste. Full range of black fruits, prune, and olive refreshed in mouth by an eucalyptus note. Final is a mix of cacao and coffee cream which gives this wine a rare complexity. An iron fist in a velvet glove...

Climate : Mediterranean sea influence, plots ideally exposed to the wind

Soil : clay and limestone, only natural amendments

Grappes : Shiraz, blend of 2 different parcels

Cutting : Cordon Royat (universal cordon pruning)

Vines age : between 11 and 23 years old

Alcohol proof : 13,5%

Growing... vigilance and prevention! Responsible farming, biodiversity protected. Leaf removal on North side for better ventilation and phenolic maturity.

Harvest : manual

Vinification : separate vinification of parcels. Complete destemming and crushing to weaken the skin. Maceration done at moderate temperature in thermoregulated stainless vat. Smooth extraction.

Wine aging : in used barrels only! To preserve the wine typicality

Filtration : no

Bottling : done in the wine estate by a specialized provider.

