

Our domains

# AOP CÔTES DU RHÔNE DOMAINE LES CASSANETS RED



The vineyard belongs to the Bressy family, third generation of growers in this estate. The Domaine Les Cassanets is located in Courthezon just meters aways from the Châteauneuf du Pape vines.

#### TERROIR

Brown sandy soils with sanstone from Miocene .....just across the road from the Chateauneuf du Pape area.

#### **GRAPE VARIETIES**

Grenache 80%, Syrah 15%, Mourvèdre 5%

#### WINEMAKING

Hand harvested. The grapes are coming from old vines producing very low yields. Destalking, 15 to 20 days vatting time, daily releases. Controlled temperature between 27 to 30° C

### AGEING

10 months in concrete vats. No oak to show the purest expression of the fruit and terroir.

#### TASTING NOTES

This wine is issued from old Grenache vines and old vines of Syrah and Mourvèdre. The grapes are picked at optimal maturity and sorted out before crushing. Grenache brings roundness, fatness and softness, while Syrah and Mourvèdre bring structure and frame. The tannins are extremely smooth and elegant, the wine is like velvet in the mouth, with roundness, complexity and a long finish of spices. It's like a baby Chateauneuf du Pape

### TASTING ADVICES

To enjoy now or can be kept 5-7 years. Serve at 14°-16°C.

## FOOD PAIRINGS

It will pair very well with Mediterranean dishes even spicy as well as dishes in sauce or game such as venison



AWARDS 2022 : Gold Medal Concours Lyon

2021 : Gold Medal Concours de Brignoles

2020 : Gold Medal Gilbert et Gaillard 2021

2019: Gold Medal Lyon 2020; Gold Medal Gilbert et Gaillard 2020

2018: Gold medal Gilbert & Gaillard

2017: Gold medal Gilbert & Gaillard

2016: Gold medal Orange, Gold medal Gilbert & Gaillard

2015: Gold medal Gilbert & Gaillard