

The Mosaic of Senses

TO THE EAR :

By its living music: the song of the cicadas in the warm season, the noisy, intoxicating, icy, sharp breath of the Mistral in winter...

TO THE EYE:

By this depth of views in cool weather with the majestic Montagne Noire to the North East, a true actor of the semi-arid climate, towards the South one sees the chiselled elegance of the terraces that lead to the sea...

TO THE NOSE:

With its scents of thyme, boxwood, fennel and hot stones that burn your insides, so hot is the air in the height of summer...

IN MOUTH:

By its wine tasted on the shady and noisy terraces accompanied by local dishes Fréginat, crayfish poached in the local streams, wild boar, Sunday chicken, small stuffings and figs with garden wine...

TO THE TOUCH

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The Reflection of Nature



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LA LIVINIÈRE
LE 1^{ER} CRU DU LANGUEDOC



LA VIGNE DES CHANSONS - BLANC

VIN DE FRANCE
2025

TERRET 60% GRENACHE 40%



ABOUT THIS CUVÉE

- Parcels than 10 years old
- 210m altitude, benefiting from cool nights.
- Soil : sandstone marl and soft limestone
- Harvested exclusively by hand
- Direct pressing
- During vinification : control of fermentation temperature, stirring of fine lees.
- Bottled at the end of winter early spring.



TASTING COMMENTARY

Clear, limpid colour.

Expressive nose, marked by notes of citrus and exotic fruits.

Fresh and harmonious on the palate, revealing aromas of citrus and stone fruit, with an elegant finish of dried apricot.

The whole is balanced, carried by a beautiful freshness on the finish.

Ideal as an aperitif, it pairs perfectly with seafood, fish, cheese and white meat.

PROFILE



Keeping :
2 years

Service :
10°C



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LA VIGNE DES CHANSONS - ROSÉ

AOP MINERVOIS
2025

CINSAULT 50% SYRAH 50%



ABOUT THIS CUVEE

- Parcels 11 and 21 years old.
- From 120m to 180m altitude.
- Clay-limestone soils
- Harvested exclusively by hand
- Pressed rosé
- During vinification : control of fermentation temperature, stirring of fine lees.
- Bottled in late winter, early spring.

TASTING COMMENTARY

Salmon pink colour, clear and limpid.
Frank and expressive nose, revealing aromas of red fruit.

Palate marked by a beautiful aromatic persistence combining red fruit, brioche notes and a touch of saltiness.

Delicious, fresh and balanced.

Pairs well with raw vegetable starters, savoury tarts, stuffed vegetables, grilled vegetables and white meat.

Perfect as an aperitif.



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LA VIGNE DES CHANSONS - ROUGE

AOP MINERVOIS
2024

CINSAULT 80% CARIGNAN 20%



ABOUT THIS CUVÉE

- Plots 13 and 63 years old.
- Altitude around 170m
- Soil : clay-limestone with marl and sandstone.
- Harvested when ripe, partly by hand and partly by machine.
- The grapes are destemmed.
- Pumping over only.
- Short vatting period
- Bottled quickly to capture the aromas.



TASTING COMMENTARY

The colour is a bright, shallow red.
The nose is very aromatic and fruity,
as is the attack on the palate: red
fruit.

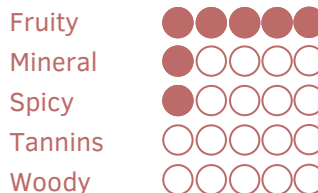
Little tannin.

Gourmet to perfection, instant
pleasure.

Goes well with starters, light cuisine,
spicy dishes and world cuisine.

Great as an aperitif and with
everything that goes with it, such as
spreads and all kinds of
cochonnailles.

PROFILE



Possible
keep :
5 years

Service :
18°C

Can
refresh it



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NU & CULOTTÉ

VIN DE FRANCE

2023

SYRAH 70% CARIGNAN 30%



ABOUT THIS CUVÉE

- Parcels aged between 30 and 60 years
- Clay-limestone soils with veins of soft limestone.
- Harvested by hand
- Vinification destemmed, using indigenous yeasts
- Remontages, délestages
- Aged in vats
- Filtered and bottled in spring
- Cuvée without sulphites add

TASTING COMMENTARY

The colour is an intense dark red.

The nose has aromas of fruit and fresh herbs.

On the palate, the wine is dense with black fruit and a liquorice finish.

A sunny cuvée, it conveys the goodness of our work.



PROFILE



AWARDS

2022 -

Voted 'Coup de Coeur' by Terre de Vins - Article written by Sylvie TONNAIRE

2023 - Silver medal at the Terre de Vins 2025 wine competition.



Possible keep : 5 years

Service : 18°C



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CHÂTEAU FAITEAU

AOP MINERVOIS
2022

SYRAH 50% CARIGNAN 20% GRENACHE 20% MOURVÈDRE 10%



ABOUT THIS CUVÉE

- Parcels between 31 and 61 years old, from our 3 terroirs: on stony terraces, the soubergues composed of sandstone and sandstone marl, and the first slopes composed of limestone.
- Altitude between 160m and 180m
- Harvested in part by hand at maturity
- Vinified destemmed
- Remontages et délestages to extract the aromas
- Aged in vats after blending for 6 months.

TASTING COMMENTARY

This cuvée has a brilliant, deep, bright red colour, with an expressive nose of ripe red fruit and spices.

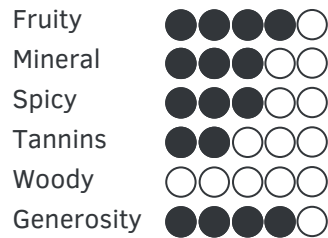
On the palate, the attack is straightforward, dense and full-bodied, with tannins that are present and mellow.

Beautiful balance, harmony, freshness and a graceful finish.

Château Faiteau exudes the enchantment of our terroir and the sincerity of our work.



PROFILE



AWARDS

Vintage 2022 -

Gold medal at the competition of great wines of France in Macon 2025

2* in the 2026 Hachette Wine Guide 'Seductive, indulgent aromas of fresh blackcurrant and spices, a velvety texture, substance, lots of freshness, crisp tannins and very juicy fruitiness: the jury praised this "modern and energetic" Minervois wine.'

Gold Medal at the competition of Vignerons Indépendants 2026

Vintage 2021 - Silver medal at the competition of great wines of France in Macon 2023

Vintage 2017 - Gold medal at the competition of great wines of France in Macon 2018

Vintage 2015 - Bronze medal at the competition of great wines of France in Macon 2016

Possible keep : 5 to 8 years

Service : 18°C



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GASTON

AOP LA LIVINIÈRE
2020

SYRAH 70% CARIGNAN 15% GRENACHE 15%

ABOUT THIS CUVEE

- Parcels aged between 31 and 71 years, located on the soubergues, composed of sandstone and sandstone marl, and the first slopes, composed of limestone.
- Altitude varies between 100m and 220m
- Harvested by hand
- Vinified destemmed
- Pumping over, délestage, punching down
- to extract the aromas
- Aged in vats for a minimum of one year after blending

TASTING COMMENTARY

This cuvée has an intense, purplish-red colour.

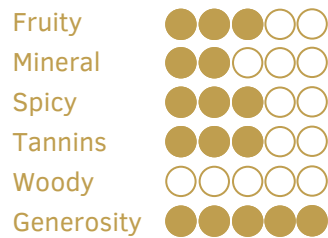
The nose is rich and complex, with notes of mocha, undergrowth and jammy black fruit.

Smooth, silky tannins on the palate. Good length.

To be enjoyed between the fireplace, barbecue and seasonal vegetable garden.



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AWARDS

Vintage 2020 -

Gold medal at the Concours des Grands Vins de France at Macon 2025

Vintage 2019 -

Coup de cœur awarded by the Maison des Vins du Minervois.

Vintage 2018 -

Medalist in the Bettane+desseuve prix+plaisir competition.

1 star in the Guide Hachette des Vins 2022.

Coup de cœur awarded by the Maison des Vins du Minervois.

Vintage 2017 -

Gold medal in the Elle à Table competition.

Gold medal at the Grands Vins de France competition in Macon.



Possible keep : more than 10 years

Service : 18°C

Can be decanted before drinking



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FLORIANE

AOP LA LIVINIÈRE
2022

SYRAH 84% MOURVÈDRE 16%



ABOUT THIS CUVÉE

- Plot selection, young vines 6 years old, reclaimed abandoned hillside, south-facing
- Altitude 230m.
- Low yield, approx. 25hl/hectare.
- Clay-limestone soil with veins of soft limestone
- Hand-harvested, slightly over-ripe grapes.
- Vinified destemmed
- Remontages, délestages.
- Aged in jars (60% clay, 40% sandstone.) Micro-oxygenation is favoured, preserving the purity of the fruit : this type of ageing does not impart any taste or smell.

TASTING COMMENTARY

Deep colour, black juice.
The nose is fruity and mineral.
There are hints of menthol and garrigue.
On the palate, the attack is straightforward and fresh, with black fruit, minerality and a slightly chalky finish.

Aeration reveals its full bouquet.



PROFILE

Fruity	●●●○
Mineral	●●●●
Spicy	●●●○
Tannins	●●●●
Woody	○●○●
Generosity	●●●●



AWARDS

2022 -

Article on Terre de Vins by Jean-Michel BROUARD
(<https://www.terredevins.com/actualites/quatuor-de-bio-minervois-la-liviniere>)

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Our grape varieties

SYRAH

Legend has it that it comes from Persia (Iran), from the town of Shiraz or Chiraz. In 1998, a paternity test revealed that Syrah is the fruit of a natural cross between Mondeuse blanche (the mother, from Savoie) and Dureza (the father, from Ardèche). A grape variety with red and black fruit aromas.

CARIGNAN

It tolerates heat and wind well. It likes dry, stony slopes, which are highly susceptible to powdery mildew. On hillsides, when properly trained and vinified, it develops the inimitable fragrance of the garrigue. Perfectly adapted to the Mediterranean climate, it can be pruned in a goblet shape, which, with its drooping leaves close to the ground, protects it from the sun and enables it to withstand the violent winds that often blow here.

Another quality is its great resistance to drought. An unloved plant...and yet so great.

GRENAICHE

Seductive and generous, Grenache is one of the world's most popular and widely grown grape varieties. Also known as Grenache Noir, of Spanish origin, it is found in a large number of Mediterranean appellations. A sun-loving variety, it thrives in our terroirs.

It produces particularly fruity, characterful red wines. It is characterized by its golden-red color.

Remarkably powerful, it exhales aromas of red fruit (especially raspberry) and spices.

MOURVÈDRE

It has found its preferred terroir here, particularly in the south. It thrives in a hot, dry climate.

A variety with a strong personality, it produces red wines of character, powerful and tannic. Its aromas are empyreumatic, with notes of pepper, caramel and roasting. Mourvèdre also imparts black fruit notes (blackberry and blueberry) with vegetal touches of laurel and garrigue.

CINSAULT

It produces large black grapes, with very sweet, juicy white flesh. An old Languedoc variety, low in tannins. It is drought and wind resistant and can tolerate extreme temperatures.

TERRET BLANC

These are twin varieties of Terret Noir. Both were widely cultivated in the Hérault region near Sète. Nervous grape variety.

GRENAICHE BLANC

This variety is the white mutation of Grenache noir. Its area of cultivation is steadily declining in Languedoc. It produces an interesting, warm dry white wine, long on the palate with fullness and body, with aromas of fennel, dill, melon and white nectarine.

