

Red carignan Slate 2019

Grape Varieties: 100% Carignan.

#### **Soils & Vines:**

It is made from the best grapes of two plots: "Vinya de l'Avi" planted in 1946 and "El Roqué" planted in 1969, with an altitude over 200 m above the sea level and oriented to the southeast.

### Viticulture:

We practice an ecological viticulture under the principles of biodynamics, through a rigorous manual work in the vineyard and focusing our efforts on recover the autochthonous varieties

## **Harvest & vinification process:**

Hand picking harvest in plastic crates of 10 kg, carrying out a first sorting in the vineyard and a second berry by berry in the cellar. Cold soak (4°C) and alcoholic fermentation at controlled temperature over 26-28°C.

We combine the processing techniques punching down (pigeage) and pump over to extract the great personality of their grapes.

Long maceration and pressing at very low pressure. Aged for 21 months in a Rousseau barrel of 1.600 stirring the lees (bâtonnage) and malolactic fermentation in them that will qualify harmonically its aromatic expression.

Bottled without fining or filtering.

Acohol content: 14,5% vol.

**PH:** 3,34

Total acidity: 6,34 gr/l (a.t.)
Residual sugar: < 2 g/l
Bottled: February 2022
Limited Productions:
1.600 bottles (750ml)
100 magnums (1.500ml)



# **Tasting notes**

Cherry color with violet reflections.

Intense expression of black fruit like blackberry and plum, balsamic notes reminiscent of eucalyptus, and subtle touches of dark chocolate and graphite that emerge as it progresses.

Fresh and acidic entry on the palate, with a velvety, indulgent, and structured texture. Displaying the distinctive minerality of its terroir, the Slate, as it passes through.

#### Scores

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