## DOMAINE GOURNIER

## 2019 - IGP CÉVÈNNES Domaine Gournier Red

Located in the South of France, in Languedoc, the Domain benefits from an excellent exposure to the Mediterranean sun and also from the freshness of the Cevennes mountains. Maurice Barouin and David Helou are taking care of 445 acres of vines located on 14 different villages. 124 acres are already organic. In 1959, Maurice's father bought Domaine de Gournier. At that time, there were more fruit trees than vines. At the beginning of the 80's, Maurice took over the Domaine and decided to focus on the vineyard. In 1983, he left the co-op for good and created his own cellar.

35% Merlot 35% Cabernet Sauvignon 30% Syrah 62°F 2024

17°C

25 yo

Sustainable



60 hl/ha



VINEYARD: 185 hectares, 5500 feet/hectare in average

**LOCATION :** In the triangle made by the main historical towns of the region (Nîmes 20kms, Uzés 20kms, Alés 20kms), the vineyard is planted alongside the Gard river bed

SOIL : Clay and limestone gravel of the Gard River bed

EXPOSURE : South facing

## WINEMAKING

HARVEST : Mechanical

**VINIFICATION :** The bunches are destemmed, after a cold maceration, the fermentation lasts for 8 to 12 days in thermo-regulated concrete vat (maximum 28°C.).

MATURATION : 5 months on fine lees

TASTING NOTES

Intense ruby

Red fruit aromas, peppery

Black cherry fruit, with a hint of liquorice and mint, round & smooth tannins

## FOOD PAIRING

Beef stew Cheese burger 4 cheese pizza

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