DOMAINE DES HAUTS CHASSIS

CROZES-HERMITAGE Esquisse

Franck Faugier is the 5th generation and took over the estate in 1998. He left the cooperative cellar and created the estate «Domaine des Hauts Chassis» in 2003. Today the estate covers 18 hectares in total, mainly in the South of Crozes-Hermitage. The estate has been certified organic since 2017. The terroir is of the Alpine diluvium type (fluvio-glacial alluvium), it is made up of large pebbles which accumulate heat throughout the day to release it during the night. His son Raphël joined Franck at the estate in 2022.





57 °F

14 °C







100% Syrah

2-4 years

10-20 yea old Organic Certified

45 hl/ha

TERROIR



SOIL : Alpine diluvium composed of large pebble stones on a 50 to 80 cm surface area with presence of coarse sands and red clay.

WINEMAKING

HARVEST : Manually harvested and sorted directly at the vineyard.

VINIFICATION : 3 to 4 days cold pre-fermentation maceration (6°C), alcoholic fermentation at 28-30 °C with pumping over and some crushing, 8 to 10 days hot maceration (30°C).

MATURATION: 6 month tank maturing before bottling in April

TASTING NOTES

Deep purple and violet colour

with garnet-red reflections.

Spicy, black violet, Zan, curcuma

Full, supple anf fruity mouth, supported by silky tannins

FOOD PAIRING

Pork meat Barbecue With friends



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