



## Terroir Daronton - 11.5% - AOC Côtes du Rhône, Rouge, 2023

AOC Côtes du Rhône, Vallée du Rhône, France

Low alcohol by Daronton



### PRESENTATION

"Originating from 13 names... those of the thirteen founders who came together and gathered a team of expert winemakers to create a trusted signature for Rhone Valley wines. As a tribute to their work, the name DARONTON was born from a blend of parts of their names."

### THE VINTAGE

2023 was a year full of contrasts: warm temperatures at the end of December and beginning of January raised concerns about early budding; a return to normalcy continued until February with relatively cool weather; a persistent drought accompanied by a strong Mistral wind, followed by regular rainfall until the end of June. Thanks to constant vigilance in the vineyards, the berries were healthy and well-ripened when harvest started, promising one of the finest vintages of the past decade.

### TERROIR

Soil of pebbles and limestone on south-east facing slopes.

### WINEMAKING

Pre-fermentation maceration at high temperature. Vatting for 12 to 15 days with punching down. Temperature control for a soft extraction, on the fruit. De-alcoholization is done on a part of the juices, by cold distillation, to preserve the fruit and structure of the wine.

### VARIETALS

Grenache, Carignan, Syrah

11.5 % VOL.

### SERVING

16-18°C

### TASTING

Nice red color with intense red reflections. On the nose, a basket of red fruits with notes of red currant, cherry and strawberry. In the mouth, the tannins are supple and soft.

### FOOD PAIRINGS

A cosmopolitan red wine for world cuisine: tapas, BBQs, cheeses, ham & sausages...



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