



Terroir Daronton, AOC Côtes du Rhône Villages Sablet, Rouge, 2023

AOC Côtes du Rhône Villages Sablet, Vallée du Rhône, France



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

Gentle slopes made of red clay and round pebbles from the Rhone river.

WINEMAKING

Grapes are destemmed and crushed. Traditional vinification at controlled temp. and a 15-18 days maceration.

AGEING

10 months in vats.

VARIETALS

Grenache 70%, Syrah 20%, Carignan 10%

Contains sulphites.

SERVING

14-16°C

TASTING

Intense nose of wild strawberries and soft spices. Well-balanced on the mouth with soft tannins.

FOOD PAIRINGS

BBQs, Mediterranean meals, cheeses...



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