



# TERRE<sup>DES</sup> 2 SOURCES

## EMPREINTES ROUGE 2020 - AOP LANGUEDOC



Varieties Syrah, Carignan, Grenache, Cinsault

Terroir/Viticulture

The vineyard parcels used to make this wine are on slight slopes at the base of the Cévennes mountains where the soils are deep stony calcareous clays. The parcels used for our Empreintes range have vines expressing a good balance between leaf and grape production, leading to a moderate amount of crop with optimum exposure to the sun. Vine management is proactive rather than reactive to minimise the number of interventions needed.

Winemaking

Fruit for this wine was harvested at optimum flavour ripeness and fermented in old concrete cuves, with temperatures peaking at around 28 C. The wine was pressed straight after fermentation was complete and aged in a combination of old/historic foudre, demi-muid, barriques and cuves, adding complexity to the final blend

Tasting Notes

Complex cocoa and spicy aromas on the nose with layers of ripe mulberry, cranberry and cherry fruit. On the palate it is lively, but elegant, with a seamless mix of fruit, dark chocolate and soft tannins. A versatile wine that you can savour on its own or pair with food.

Food Matches

A perfect pair with smoky aubergine dishes, spicy tagines or slow cooked roast beef.

Cellaring

This wine is drinking well now and until 2028, depending on storage conditions.

Details

Bottling date: 12 July, 2022; 14% Alcohol



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