



# V de Provence

AOC Côtes de Provence, Provence, France

# A WHITE FLOWERS AND SUMMER FRUIT NOTES BOUOUET IN A BOX

# PRESENTATION

The domaine, which existes for a very long time, was bought by the Quiot Family in 2002. Marketing under the name Domaine de Verlaque had gradually been abandoned. We decided, in 2020, to give all its individuality to this splendid 30 hectare cultural unit by producing the V de Provence cuvee from Domaine de Verlaque.

### THE VINTAGE

2020 is the Renaissance vintage for our Domaine de Verlaque.

#### LOCATION

At the foot of the Mont Aurelien, in the plain, also bordered by the Sainte Victoire mountain in the north. This plain, located in the north-west of the Côtes de Provence Appellation has a very particular micro-climate, very extreme, which gives the wines character.

#### **TERROIR**

Clay-limestone soils, with a coarse texture, resulting from the decomposition of the bedrock of the surrounding mountains.

# HARVEST

Mid-september 2020.

### WINEMAKING

Direct pressing without maceration in order to preserve a pale and soft rosé.

# AGEING

The ageing is very short since the bottling is done in December, which allows consumers to have fresh Rosés to consume, from the beginning of the year following the harvest.

# **VARIETALS**

14 % VOL.

Cinsault 50%, Grenache noir 50%

### SFRVING

Serve chilled to benefit from the fullness of the delicately present aromas.

# **AGEING POTENTIAL**

Enjoy all year long

# VISUAL APPEARANCE

Pale rosé with slightly grey reflections.

# **AT NOSE**

White flowers bouquet.





#### ON THE PALATE

Freshness and delicacy.

#### **FOOD PAIRINGS**

Aperitif, delicate Asian cuisine, salad, seafood such as shrimp.

#### **REVIEWS AND AWARDS**

### Argent

Mundus Vini Argent 2021, 08/03/2021

# Argent / Silver

Meininger's International Rosé Award 2021, 13/04/2021

## Argent

Concours Mondial de Bruxelles 2021, 11/03/2021

""Not convinced by the label but it's a lovely rippled, dimpled, hammered bottle, completely unique. A bit shy on the nose with some red berries and tomato leaves. On the palate, lovely salinity, chalkiness, weighty with ripe, opulent dark jammy fruit. Big surprise. Slightly silky, almost meaty chewiness on the finish but kept up with creamy and fresh red fruit. Quite good structure but a little short and clumsy acidity. Commended.""

Elizabeth Gabay, 09/06/2021

### Bronze

International Wine and Spirit Competition 2021, 12/05/2021

#### Bronze

Hong Kong International Wine and Spirit Competition, 11/11/2021



# 1 étoile / 1 star

"« Mi-grenache, mi-cinsault, cette cuvée entre rose et orangé révèle à l'aération des notes de crise, de fraise, de pêche et de bonbon anglais accompagnées de nuances florales. Bien équilibrée, la bouche se montre à la fois fraîche et ronde, de plaisantes saveurs fruitées se prolongeant jusqu'à la finale. Un rosé gourmand et gouleyant. »"

Le Guide Hachette des Vins, 16/09/2021

