

# CHÂTEAU MONT-REDON LE CÔTES DU RHÔNE DU CHÂTEAU





#### **LOCATION & TERROIR**

Part of the vineyard is located on the right bank of the Rhône, in the town of Roquemaure, at the edge of the Lirac appellation and close to Tavel on a plateau of rolled pebbles. The other part is situated near the North-Western edge of the Châteauneuf du Pape appellation on Urgonian limestone soil.

# CLIMATE

The climate is Mediterranean with hot dry Summers punctuated with the occasional thunder storm. The Mistral wind blows fairly consistently year-round, ensuring very favorable sanitary conditions for wine growing.

#### HARVEST

Grapes are harvested at perfect maturity following confirmation through tasting of the berries. The harvest is both manual and mechanical with a first sorting in the vineyard. In the cellar, the second selection, realized on optical sorting tables provides perfect results. We are stringent on this point, of utmost importance for quality.

# WINEMAKING & MATURING

Complete de-stemming followed by around 15 days of skin contact, which allows our Côtes du Rhône to acquire a structure and tannic frame making it a wine with a few years' aging ability. After malolactic fermentation, maturing is done in vats in our underground cellars for 8 to 10 months followed by bottling. Bottles rest for a few months in our cellars before any shipments.

## **GRAPE VARIETIES**

Mostly Grenache Noir & Syrah, then Mourvèdre and Carignan.

## DRINKING

We recommend this wine to be enjoyed young for its intense crunchy black fruit notes. The mouth displays silky yet bold tannins, red fruit notes and a slightly spicy finish. Grilled red meats (grilled rib steak), delicatessen (game terrine, cured ham) and cheeses will ideally pair with this terroir driven Côtes du Rhône.