



SAJE CÔTES-DU-RHÔNE

Jérôme Mathieu's family roots go back to the 16th century in the village of Châteauneuf-du-Pape. The wisdom of the ages is something he feels keenly and explains his staunch traditionalism. He works with 23 acres divided into 26 parcels across the appellation in various exposures, elevations and soils, and practically all of these parcels are old field blends (many with the full allotment of Châteauneuf's 13 grape varieties), giving him a great deal of diversity to make a true, old-school Châteauneuf-du-Pape.



VINEYARD

- Site:** Just across the AOC border of Châteauneuf, northwest of Maucoil and Cabrières zones in the hamlet of Grès.
- Soil:** Sand and clay overtop of gravels.
- Vines:** From five acres of vines. Hand harvested.
- Varieties:** Based on Grenache with 35% Syrah.

CELLAR

- Élevage:** Made entirely in concrete tanks to emphasize the fruit.
- Production:** 700 cases.
- Profile:** Sumptuous ripeness without chest-beating levels of alcohol, and a great buy for a Côtes-du-Rhône which could be, given its proximity, considered a baby Châteauneuf.
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