

Merlot La Vigneau 2022



Region

The Languedoc is a vast region stretching across much of the south and Mediterranean with large volume of IGP wine within the distinct areas of l'Aude, Gard and Hérault and also well known appellations such as Minervois, Corbières, Pic Saint Loup and Fitou. It's history dates back to the Greeks and Romans as well as monasteries in the Middle Ages. The Languedoc experiences Mediterranean climate with high levels of sunshine and warmth with low rainfall which are all favourable for grape growing. A wide range of grape varieties are grown including Syrah, Grenache and Carignan and the local variety piquepoul making a range of styles of red, white and rosé wines.

Producer

LGI were created in 1999 by forward thinking partners aware of the challenge and opportunity that lay ahead for regional French wines in the competitive international market. Wines are made and blended from three main sources. Saint Chinian in the Herault, Jean d'Alibert in Minervois and from Gascogne. In the heart of the Languedoc, one of the world's largest wine regions with an array of diverse climates and terroirs allowing a range of local and international varieties to be grown.

Tasting Notes

A soft and appealing Languedoc Merlot. Well balanced and concentrated with blackcurrant and summer fruits ripened by the seductive warmth of the Mediterranean. It has a nose of ripe berry fruit and hints of leather and mineral, a supple palate finishing with herbs, violets and blackberry fruit.

Food

To be enjoyed with olives and cold meats or rabbit, lamb or pork dishes, burgers and spicy sausages.

Technical Information

Country	France	Dry/Sweet Style	Dry
Region	Languedoc	Alcohol Content	13.5%
Grape(s)	Merlot (100%)	Closure Style	Screw cap
Type	Red	Organic/Biodynamic	No
Style	Smooth	Allergens	Milk: No Egg: No
Oaked Style	Unoaked	Vegetarian/Vegan	Vegetarian: Yes Vegan: Yes
Body Style	Full bodied		
Sustainable	No		



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