

Louis Latour Agencies

Ardèche Viognier Louis Latour

Vintage Country of Origin Region

2011 France South of France

Wine description

Produced from hand-picked grapes grown on clay limestone soils and then carefully vinified in Latour's Ardèche winery on the outskirts of the village of Alba La Romaine. Thirty percent of the wine is aged in French oak barrels from Latour's cooperage giving roundness and a slightly spicy edge. The remaining seventy percent is vinified entirely in stainless steel.

Tasting note

The Viognier 2011 has a very pretty golden colour with a characteristic nose of peaches and apricots. It is an ample and smooth wine with a lovely length in the mouth.

Vineyard information

Average vine age	15 year
Soil composition	Clay, Li
Average yield (hl/ha)	35 hl/ha
Harvest type	Hand p
Environmental management	Sustain

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Winemaking information

Fermentation vessel Maturation vessel Finning/clarification Filtration

Stainless steel vats Stainless steel (70%), French oak (30%) Yes - Bentonite (mineral) Yes

Wine Analysis

Alcohol by volume

14%