



# Louis Latour Agencies

## Chateauneuf-du-Pape Rouge Vidal-Fleury

Vintage	2009
Country of Origin	France
Region	Southern Rhône
Grape varieties	Syrah, Grenache, Mourvèdre

### Wine description

Established in 1781 Vidal-Fleury is the oldest continuously operating winery in the Rhone Valley. This Chateauneuf du Pape is a blend of 85% Grenache, 10% Syrah and 5% Mourvedre whose grapes are grown on stoney terraces of this world famous appellation. We recommend that this wine is decanted before serving.

### Tasting note

A round and generous wine with aromas of bramble fruit, wild herbs and touches of violets. The palate is medium bodied with ripe tannins and refreshing acidity with ripe berry and herbal flavours and long rounded finish.

### Vineyard information

Average vine age	Planted 1936
Elevation	80 - 150m
Soil composition	pebble stones with red clay and sandy soil
Average yield (hl/ha)	35 hl/ha
Harvest type	by hand
Environmental management	Sustainable

### Winemaking information

Fermentation	Indigenous yeast
Maturation vessel	on lees in large oak barrels
Maturation time	9 months + 3 in bottle
Finning/clarification	Natural clarification by settling
Filtration	Yes

### Wine Analysis

Alcohol by volume	14.5%
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