



# Louis Latour Agencies

## Côtes-du-Rhône Rouge Vidal-Fleury

Vintage	2018
Country of Origin	France
Region	Southern Rhône
Grape varieties	Cinsault, Syrah, Grenache, Mourvèdre, Carignan

### Wine description

Established in 1781 in the Northern Rhone Valley, Vidal-Fleury is the oldest continuously operating winery in the Rhone Valley. Today Vidal-Fleury vinify and age wines from across the Rhône Valley, focusing on the best sites and terroir, allowing ample time to age and mature the wines.

### Tasting note

A nose dominated by Grenache which offers a beautiful aromatic palette of Morello cherries, chocolate, spices and violets. Its well-structured palate evolves on a large scale and guarantees an explosion of aromas of cherry, spicy blackcurrant and rosemary with a toasted note.

### Vineyard information

Elevation	150 to 250 metres
Soil composition	Pebbles and calcareous stones on clay, sand
Average yield (hl/ha)	43 hl/ha
Harvest type	Hand and machine harvested
Environmental management	Sustainable

### Winemaking information

De-stemmed	Partially destemmed
Fermentation vessel	Stainless steel tank
Fermentation	Indigenous yeast
Maturation vessel	Stainless steel and large oak barrels (30%)
Maturation time	3 Months
Finning/clarification	Natural clarification by settling
Filtration	Yes

### Wine Analysis

Alcohol by volume	14%
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