



# Louis Latour Agencies

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## Gigondas

## Vidal-Fleury

Vintage	2016
Country of Origin	France
Region	Southern Rhône
Grape varieties	Syrah, Grenache, Mourvèdre

### Wine description

Established in 1781 in the Northern Rhone Valley, Vidal-Fleury is the oldest continuously operating winery in the Rhone Valley. Today we vinify and age wines from the Rhone's renowned appellations, focusing on the choicest terroirs, allowing ample time to age and mature the wines. This wine is Grenache dominated with Syrah and Mourvèdre.

### Tasting note

This wine is dark red in colour with aromas of blackberry, cherry, prune and some notes of garrigue and violet. The palate is structured and unctuous. Grenache driven with good tannins with cherry and pepper aromas.

### Vineyard information

Average vine age	Planted 1971
Elevation	150-500 metres above sea level
Soil composition	Sandy soil on molasses or calcareous
Harvest type	Hand picked
Environmental management	Sustainable

### Winemaking information

Fermentation vessel	Stainless steel tanks
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Maturation vessel	Large oak barrels
Maturation time	9 months
Fining/clarification	No
Filtration	Yes, 1 (cross flow) before bottling

### Wine Analysis

Alcohol by volume	14.5%
pH	3.62
Residual sugar (grams per litre)	1.2 g/L
Acidity (grams per litre)	3.4 g/L