

Souis Latour Agencies

Ventoux Vidal-Fleury

Vintage 2009 Country of Origin France

Region Southern Rhône

Grape varieties Grenache, Syrah, Grenache, Carignan

Wine description

Established in 1781 Vidal-Fleury is the oldest continuously operating winery in the Rhone Valley. Today Vidal-Fleury vinify and age wines from the Rhone's renowned appelations, focusing on the choicest terroirs, allowing ample time to age and mature the wines. Ventoux is principally Syrah (60%), complemented by Grenache (30%) and Mourvedre (10%)

Tasting note

The wine begins with attractive blueberry, cranberry, violet and cumin aromas. The palate is medium bodied with rich and rounded dark berries and blueberry flavours and a slightly toasty finish.

Vineyard information

Average vine age Planted 1973
Elevation 250 - 500m
Soil composition limestone
Average yield (hl/ha) 45 hl/ha

Harvest type Hand and machine

Environmental management Sustainable

Winemaking information

Fermentation Indigenous yeast

Maturation vessel Aged on lees 70% in tanks and 30% in

large barrels

Finning/clarification No Filtration Yes

Wine Analysis

Alcohol by volume 14%