

Harvest year: 2014

Cuvée : Les Pierrelles

Vineyards: In the communes of Pont d'Isère and Mercurol

**Grape varieties**: 100 % Syrah **Yield**: 40 hl/ha

**Soil**: very stony sandy red clay soil

**Viticulture**: Organic manuring, reasoned use of natural phytosanitary treatments, close pruning, leaf thinning, green harvesting if necessary, harvesting by hand. Vineyard in organic conversion.

**Vinification**: Traditional in closed temperature-controlled vats, total de-stemming, daily pumping over and punching down, a final warm maceration, three-week fermentation with indigenous yeast.

**Ageing:** Entirely in oak barrels for 14 months, divided equally between old barrels of two to five years of age.

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