

## FRENCH BOULEDOGUE - RED WINE

## Merlot / Cabernet Sauvignon



**Appellation:** IGP Pays d'Oc

**Blend:** 50 % Merlot / 50% Cabernet Sauvignon

**ABV:** 13,5 % Alc. /Vol

**Soil:** 5000 vine per hectare

High trellising, Guyot and Royat pruning

Limestone and clay hills

Age of vines / 20 – 30 years / 35 HL / Hectare

<u>Yields:</u>

**Winemaking:** Night mechanical harvest for preservation of the aromatic potentiel.

Soft destemming and crushing. Heated pre-fermentation maceration.

3 weeks maceration on skins. Minimal use of sulfites.

**Color:** Vibrant and deep red color

**Nose:** The nose develops aromas blackcurrant buds, raspberry and menthol.

Palate: The mouth is round and the mid-palate is full and elegant. The final is velvety with milky

notes of strawberry and vanilla

Serving

**temperature:** Best served at 16-18°C

**Preservation:** Up to 5 years, in good storage conditions.

**Food pairing:** A perfect match with any red meat (grilled or stewed) or a plate of French cheeses.



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