



" COTE 50 " 2022

AOP BOURGUEIL ROUGE



GRAPE VARIETY

100% Cabernet Franc

ANALYZES

Alcohol: 13,79 %

Residual sugar: 0 g/L

PH: 3,76

Volatile acidity: 0,40 g/L

SO2 total: 28 mg/L

PRODUCTION

30.000 x 75cl

926 x 50cl

100 x magnums

THE ESTATE

Founded in 1936 by Eugène Amirault, the Y. Amirault estate is situated on the right bank of the Loire river, limestone land favored for cabernet franc. Taken over in 1977 by the grandson Yannick Amirault, it has constantly evolved to defend an organic and perfectionist cultivation of the vine. Today, it is the great-grandson Benoît Amirault who cultivates the ten crus spread over the village of Bourgueil & Saint-Nicolas-de-Bourgueil (19 hectares in total). Each terroir is gardened according to the lunar cycle, picked by hand and then aged individually in casks or sandstone jars. And as always, 100 % of our wines are produced with grapes from the estate only (no purchase of grapes).

THE TERROIR

Blend of localities located on the terrace of Bourgueil, 50 meters above the Loire river: les Sables, la Coudraye, les Pins and les Perrières (soils mainly gravel and sand, slightly clayey).

40 years-old vines on average.

Natural grass cover and tillage under the row.

WINEMAKING

100% hand harvesting.

Double sorting of the grapes with destalking (no crushing).

Alcoholic fermentation in open vats (soft maceration during 3-4 weeks).

Discrete resting in oak vats and sandstone eggs for 6 to 12 months.

THE VINTAGE

2022 democratizes Cabernet Franc even more with new records for earliness but also for drought. The year is marked by several forest fires. Grapes haven't suffered from these extreme weather conditions, with a very precise ripeness. The terroirs of Graves give generous and easy wines with a frank aromatic.

NOTES

The estate's friendliest Cabernet Franc, with a refined structure and intense fruit. Perfect in its youth.

To drink now through 2027.



+33 (0) 247 977 807

Y. AMIRAULT
BOURGUEIL - LOIRE VALLEY - FRANCE

WWW.YANNICKAMIRAULT.FR

INFO@YANNICKAMIRAULT.FR

