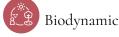


Cabernet Franc, 'L'Outsider' IGP d'Oc, Domaine Sainte-Marie des Crozes Languedoc, France



Product code	MF04ZZRC
Grapes	100% Cabernet
	Franc
Country	France
ABV%	13
Case Size	6
Closure Style	Cork
Producer	
Vintage	2022











Producer

Run with fantastic energy by the young Christelle Alias, this 38 ha estate lies at the foot of the Montagne d'Alaric in the northerly, cooler part of the Corbières. In 1997 the vineyards were completely restructured by Christelle's father, Bernard, and are now cultivated organically. Christelle joined her father in 2012 after a tour of the viticultural world and has clearly had fun creating her wines: there is a juicy vibrancy – she clearly aims for freshness and elegance over extraction and power.

Tasting Notes

Beautiful ruby dress, clear and sustained. The nose is very intense and complex, mixing floral aromas and red berries with vanilla flavors. The mouth, silky and soft in attack, is dominated by a beautiful vivacity, and structured by tannins of great finesse. The finish, very long, offers aromas of mocha, caramel and licorice.

Viticulture

Clay Limestone

Winemaking

Short vinification of 6 days cold, daily pickeages to extract the aromas of red berries.