

Corbières 'Les Pipelettes', Domaine Sainte-Marie des Crozes

Languedoc, France



Product code	MFo6ZZRC
Grapes	40% Cinsault 40% Syrah 20% Grenache
Country	France
ABV%	13
Case Size	6
Closure Style	Cork
Producer	
Vintage	2023



Organic



Biodynamic



Vegan



Vegetarian



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 color, supported, with purplish reflections. The very intense and fresh nose is dominated by notes of small red fruits (raspberry) which are mixed with aromas of sweet spices and violet. The mouth is both lively and ample from the attack, and has a beautiful sweetness. The tannins, well present, but of a beautiful finesse make it a very gouleyant wine.

Viticulture

Clay Limestone

Winemaking

This cuvée is specially cold vinified to develop the aromatic power of the three grape varieties and exhale their intense fruit flavors. Vinified at low temperature, the juice is separated from the skins and pulps at mid-fermentation to finish the fermentation in search of the fruit only.