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RÉSERVE SAINT-JULIEN

IGP PAYS D'OC

PRODUCER: Philippe Cases

TYPE: Red

GRAPES: 100% Merlot

SOIL TYPES: The vineyards are located between Arzens and Sainte-Eulalie in the Malepère area. The soils are clay-limestone and the vineyard sites are mainly on hillsides set in a rolling landscape. The climate is Mediterranean, Atlantic and Pyrenean, imparting the wines a special kind of freshness.

VINEYARD MANAGEMENT: The main varieties grown on the estate are Merlot, Cinsault and Sauvignon, along with Marselan and Cabernet Franc.

WINEMAKING: The grapes are picked by machine based on strict vineyard site selection taking into account the ripeness of each plot. They are entirely destemmed before fermentation which takes place in lined concrete tanks. Particular attention is paid to fermentation temperatures and pumping over in order to produce fine tannins and lots of fruitiness.

TASTING NOTES: Garnet hue with purple-blue tints. Nose of fresh cherry and strawberry, blackberry and spice accompanied by a faint herbal framework typical of the grape variety. Lovely palate with fine tannins. Drink preferably in the first years following bottling, will mature well for 3 to 4 years. Drinking temperature: 16°C.

FOOD PAIRINGS: This wine can be enjoyed with smoked pork meats, roast and grilled meats, oven-baked vegetables and mild cheeses.

BOTTLE

Type: BDX Caractère
Height: 30 cm
Weight: 1,15 kg

BOX

Size: 23 x 15,4 x 30 cm
Weight: 7,12 kg
SU/Box: 6

LAYER

Number of boxes: 20
Su/Layer: 120

PALLET

Size: 120 x 80 x 180 cm
Weight: 712 kg
Number of layers: 5
Boxes/pallet: 100
SU/Pallet: 600