HB Wine Merchants presents wines from Château Pech-Latt



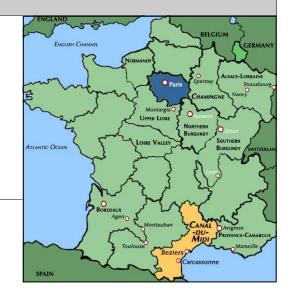
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Corbieres

Corbieres, AOC

Brand Highlights

- Ecocert organic since 1984
- Grenache 30%, Carignan 30%, Syrah 25%, Mourvèdre 15%
- The average age of the vines is 40 years.



The Estate

Certified Organic in 1996, but practicing organic since 1984, it is one of the early Corbiere vineyards to capitalize on their terroir. Situated near the idyllic town of Lagrasse, the vineyard is 130 hectares (320 acres) of beautiful land, bounded by hills on 3 sides, and divided into parcels, each planted with a specific grape. With its natural spring, Pech Latt's grape-growing pedigree can be traced back almost 2,000 years. The estate also preserved the old vines of Carignane, which have be systematically removed by other estates so the character of the wine is greatly influenced by up to 40% of these 60+ year old vines depending on the vintage.

Wine Making

This wine from the the Corbieres AOC within the Languedoc, is a fantastic value. Made from a blend of old vine Carignan, Syrah, Grenache, and Mourvedre, it offers plenty of dark berry fruit and explosive flavors. It is also made from grapes farmed Organically and carries the Ecocert for Organic origin on the label. Manual harvest with a strict sorting at the vineyard. Before the winemaking, the grapes are sorted a second time and destalked. Vattingf or 20-25 days in cement vats, with several pumping over and rack-and return operations during the vatting. Ageing for a minimum of 8 months.

Tasting Notes

Deep dark red. Intense aromas of fruits and flowers, especially violet and blackberry. Unctuous in the mouth, with notes of spices and liquorice, this is a powerful and concentrated wine.

Press

 2009 vintage 89 points Wine Spectator "There's good concentration and depth to the rich dark fruit flavors, which feature plenty of olive and licorice overtones. The muscular finish is loaded with dark chocolate notes and plenty of tannins. ."

Product Specifications

- Available in 750ml with natural cork only
- UPC Code: 8 75734 00015 8
- SCC Code:
- Case dimensions: 12.25"x19"x6.25"

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