



MOULIN DE GASSAC
GUILHEM ROSÉ - PAYS D'HÉRAULT IGP
2021



Moulin de Gassac, or windmill over the Gassac River, is the entry line of the iconic estate Mas de Daumas Gassac. Considered by many as the greatest estate of the Languedoc region, "A Lafite in the Languedoc", they are known to be at the origin of the rebirth of the region. Brothers Samuel, Basile, Gaël & Roman are following the legacy of their father Aimé Guibert who, with his wife Véronique, gave birth to this estate 4 decades ago.

A carefully selected group of farmers, who are instructed to farm with organic practices, are providing them with top quality fruits that come in the production of this line of white, rosé and red. Personnel from the estate harvest and vinify in winemaking facilities located next to the plots in order to preserve the most genuine quality of the place.

"Guilhem", Gaelic version of William, is a tribute to a local monastery based at Saint-Guilhem-le-desert whose monks launched the wine production in the region. St. Andrew's cross is here to remind us the Gaelic heritage.

SOIL TYPE _____

Clay and limestone plateau with quartz and gravels.
 Located close to the Thau lagoon overlooking the Méditerranée, contiguous with Picpoul de Pinet.

VARIETAL _____

50% Cinsault, 30% Carignan & 20% Grenache

VINIFICATION _____

Harvest at high maturity. 100% destemmed.
 Direct pressing with juice selection.
 Must clarification at cold temperature. Fermentation at low temperature.
 Ageing in stainless steel tanks during 5 to 6 months.

TASTING NOTES _____

"Lively and sharply focused on the nose, displaying fresh red berry and citrus fruit aromas and sneaky mineral and floral nuances. Shows very good clarity the palate with nervy strawberry, redcurrant and tangerine flavors, plus a touch of honeysuckle. Finishes taut and long, with repeating florality and firm mineral cut."

90pts - Josh Reynolds, By Vinous on June 2022

20 Wines Under \$20: New York Times by Eric Asimov July 2022

From the same estate:

- Moulin de Gassac "Guilhem" rouge*
- Moulin de Gassac Chardonnay*
- Moulin de Gassac Pinot Noir*
- Moulin de Gassac Picpoul de Pinet*
- Mas de Daumas Gassac white & red*
- Mas de Daumas Gassac Rosé Frizant*

