

FAT bastard™



PRODUCER PROFILE

Estate owned by: Gabriel Meffre
Winemaker: Véronique Torcolacci
Estate founded: 1997
Region: Languedoc Rousillon
Country: France

Syrah 2013

WINE DESCRIPTION

FAT *bastard* Syrah is sourced from vineyards in the Minervois and Pézenas areas near the picturesque, fortified city of Carcassonne in Languedoc-Roussillon. These vineyards present optimal conditions for Syrah vines due to the stony soil and impeccable microclimate that come together to yield mature grapes with a high concentration of color and aromas.

TASTING NOTES

Dark ruby in color with vibrant purple reflections. The nose displays a spicy, yet fresh profile containing tinges of olive, clove and sweet blueberry while the palate exhibits a robust body and invigorating flavors of paprika, tobacco, and peony.

FOOD PAIRING

A perfect match with smoked Gouda, baby-back ribs, and any dishes with a spicy kick!

VINEYARD & PRODUCTION INFO

Production area/appellation:	Vin de Pays d'Oc
Vineyard name:	Languedoc-Roussillon
Soil composition:	Stony

WINEMAKING & AGING

Varietal composition:	100% Syrah
Fermentation container:	Stainless steel tanks
Type of aging container:	35% in Oak barrels

ANALYTICAL DATA

Alcohol:	13.4 %
pH level:	3.7
Residual sugar:	1.7 g/L
Acidity:	3.3 g/L

