

## DOMAINE DE MOULINES

### Pays d'Hérault Rouge 'Syrah-Grenache'

*From the heady perfume of pine trees in the heat of the summer to the cry of seabirds that remind that the Camargue delta is just minutes away, Domaine de Moulines embodies the soul and seduction of France's winemaking south. This generations-old family estate was an abbey in the Middle Ages. With time, this land between the cities of Montpellier and Nîmes evolved into a working farm, with fruit trees and grape vines growing well in the region's sandy, stony soils. The Saumade family since 1913 has lived and worked in Mudaison, managing some 120 acres of woodland and vineyards naturally.*

**WINERY:** Domaine de Moulines

**WINEMAKER:** Michel Saumade

**ESTABLISHED:** 1913

**REGION:** FRANCE • Provence • Mudaison

**APPELLATION:** Pays d'Herault IGT

**BLEND:** 50% Grenache and 50% Syrah

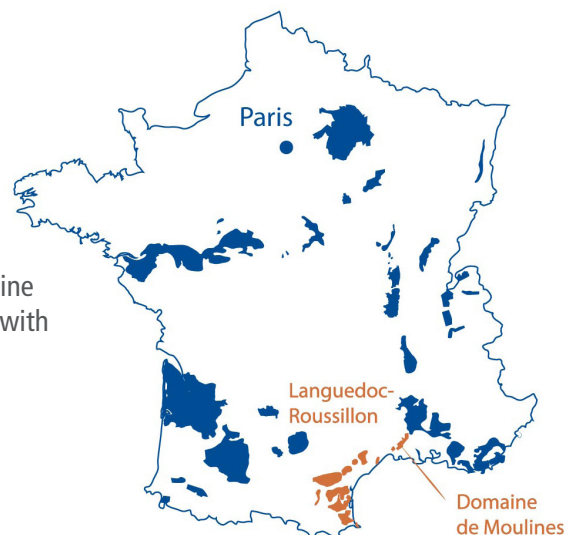
**VINEYARDS:** Estate vineyards are located near the Mediterranean coastline between Montpellier and Nîmes. Soils combine quartz stones and sand, with some clay.

**AGE OF VINES:** 10 to 30 years

**WINEMAKING:** Destemmed and fermented in temperature-controlled, stainless steel tanks. Aged in cement tank. Bottled unfiltered.

**TASTING IMPRESSIONS:** Aromas of raspberries, blackberries, light spice. Light tannins; full-bodied yet fresh. Flavors suggest red berries, baking spices.

**PAIRING SUGGESTIONS:** Weekday hamburgers; French charcuterie; aged goat cheese with herbs



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