

Bourgueil, Rouge de Minière

Château de MINIÈRE



LOCALITY: FRANCE – Loire – Bourgueil

APPELLATION: Bourgueil

GRAPE VARIETY: 100% Cabernet Franc

WINEMAKER: Clément Maire-Leguistin

VINEYARD: Planted in the 1990s. Slopes on right bank of Loire (original riverbed). South/ southwest facing. Admixture of Aeolian sand, silt and clay over Turonian limestone base

VITICULTURE: Organic certified Ecocert and HVE (High Environmental Value). Grassing between rows. Guyot simple pruning. Yield 35 hL/ha.

WINEMAKING: 100% de-stemmed. 3–5 weeks *cuvaison*. Fermented over indigenous yeast in stainless steel tank with punch-downs. Complete malolactic conversion in tank.

AGING: Aged for 4-6 months in stainless vats.

BOTTLING: No fining but light filtration.

