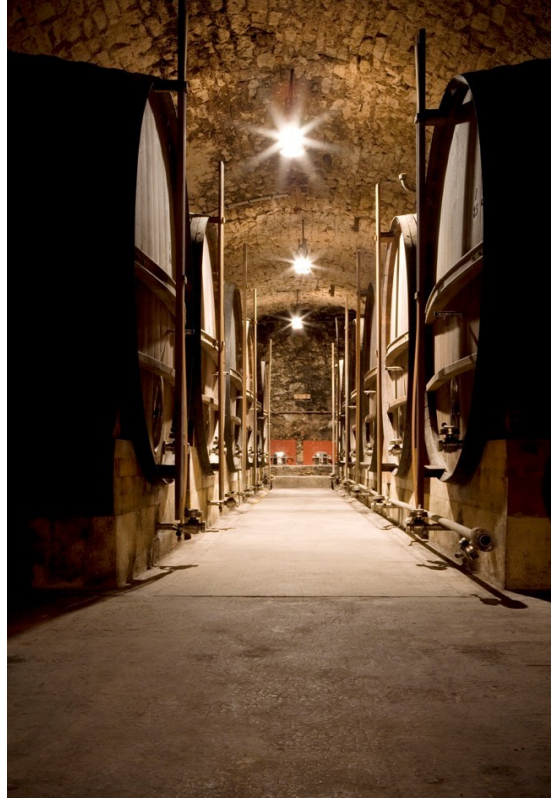




**CHATEAU
VIGNELAURE**

Press Review
2026



A story of people and passion



CHÂTEAU VIGNELAURE was created in the 60's by Georges Brunet (former owner of Château La Lagune, 3rd Cru Classé in Haut-Médoc, Bordeaux).

Since 2007, Vignelaure is the property of the **Sundstrøm family**.

By working with a passionate team, the family is always **looking for excellence**.

Located in the North of Aix-en-Provence between 350 and 480 meters high, the estate is surrounded by Sainte Victoire's hill. The vineyard covers more than 275 hectares with **55 hectares of vines** planted on a limestone and clayey soil mixed with gravels. Vignelaure benefits from a **particular microclimate** : during the ripening cycle of the grapes, the difference between day and night temperatures allows to produce wines with a good freshness and complexity.



Cabernet Sauvignon, Syrah, Grenache, Merlot, Cinsault and Carignan are cultivated on **3 different plots** : La Grande Pièce, Chante-merle and La Colline. The blend brings complexity to our red wines.



Since 2013, we produce **organic** white wines with different grape varieties such as Rolle, Roussanne, Sauvignon Blanc, Sémillon and Viognier.

All of our cuvées in white and rosé, are **certified organic**.

Vignelaure was the pioneer of planting Cabernet Sauvignon in Provence. This grape variety gives structure and elegance to the wine. Syrah gives the aromatic character to the wine.

We are specialized in the production of red wines with a great keeping potential and we propose three cuvées in red, rosé and white :

- **Château Vignelaure**
- **la Source de Vignelaure**
- **le Page de Vignelaure**



CHÂTEAU VIGNELAURE RED

AOC Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence

The Great Wine of the estate

Cabernet Sauvignon and Syrah



organic since 2018

- Old vines from 30 to 50 years
- Plot selection
- Average yield: 24 hl/ha
- Manual harvesting and sorting
- Maceration: 4 weeks
- Ageing: 18-24 months in oak barrels and 2 years in bottle after the final blending
- Keeping potential: from 10 to 20 years depending on the vintage

Characteristics: complexity, power, finesse, concentration, long-lasting finish, keeping potential, woody notes, ripe red and black fruits

Food & Wine pairings: duck filet, piece of beef, leg of lamb, game

Awards

2020

94/100 La RVF Meilleurs vins de Provence 2026

2019

93/100 La Revue du vin de France 2025

2018

94/100 La Revue du vin de France 2025

94/100 Guide Bettane & Desseauve 2024

2017

94/100 Guide Bettane 1 Desseauve 2024

93/100 "La Revue du vin de France" 2023

91/100 Decanter 2023

2016

90-92 points The Wine Advocate by Robert Parker

92/100 Decanter

93/100 « La Revue du vin en France » 2023

Sakura Wines awards Gold medal 2024

2015

93 points The Wine Advocate by Robert Parker

92/100 Decanter

92/100 « La Revue du vin en France » 2023

2014

90 points The Wine Advocate by Robert Parker

91/100 « La Revue du vin de France » 2023

15.5/20 « La Revue du vin de France » 2020

2013

93/100 « La Revue du vin de France » 2023

16/20 « La Revue du vin de France » 2020

2012

92 points The Wine Advocate by Robert Parker

92/100 Decanter Review

15,5/20 « La Revue du vin de France » 2020



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DE FRANCE



CHÂTEAU VIGNELAURE ROSÉ 2024/2025

AOC Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence

A gastronomic rosé

Grenache, Syrah, Cabernet Sauvignon and Vermentino

- Old vines from 25 to 40 years
- Plot selection
- Average yield: 37 hl/ha
- Manual harvesting
- Fermentation in vats
- Aging on fine lees for 3 months with stirring



Characteristics: complexity, elegance, notes of berries, peach, spices, balance, freshness and long-lasting finish

Food & Wine pairings: grilled prawns, « bouillabaise », scallop risotto, seafood paella

Awards

2024

92/100 Wine Enthusiast 2025

90/100 James Suckling

2023

91/100 vinous 2024

2022

93/100 Wine Enthusiast 2023

2021

93/100 Wine Enthusiast 2022

2020

92/100 Wine Enthusiast 2021

91 points The Wine Advocate by Robert Parker

92 points by Alain Lebel, Canada

1*, Hachette Wine Guide 2022

2019

93/100 Wine Enthusiast 2020

91 points The Wine Advocate by Robert Parker

92 points by Alain Lebel, Canada

1*, Hachette Wine Guide 2020

2018

93/100 Wine Enthusiast 2019

15.5/20 Bettane & Desseauve 2020

16,5/20 Bettane & Desseauve 2017

2*, Hachette Wine Guide 2018

2017

93/100 Wine Enthusiast 2018

90 points The Wine Advocate by Robert Parker

Top 1 Rosé at Québec

92 points by Alain Lebel, Canada



VIGNELAURE WHITE 2022

IGP Méditerranée

A gastronomic white

Sauvignon Blanc, Roussanne and Viognier



- Manual harvesting
- Average yield: 28 hl/ha
- Fermentation in vats and 400L oak barrels
- Ageing on fine lies in 400L oak barrels for 12 months with stirring
- Keeping potential: 10 ans

Characteristics: length, volume, complexity, gourmet and fruity, vanilla notes, pastry cream, apricot, vine peach and honey

Food & Wine pairings: white meat with cream, poultry, mushroom risotto, fish, goat cheese



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Awards

2022

90/100 "RVF Meilleurs Vins de Provence" 2026

2020

91/100 "La Revue du vin de France" 2023

91/100 Decanter 2023

2018

94/100 Decanter

90/100 « La Revue du vin de France » 2021

2017

92 points The Wine Advocate by Robert Parker

16.5/20 Bettane & Desseauve 2020

15/20 « La Revue du vin de France » 2020

2016

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2019

15/20 « La Revue du vin de France » 2019



LA SOURCE

Vignelaure,
« The vineyard of the sacred spring »

LA SOURCE DE VIGNELAURE

Coteaux d'Aix en Provence
RED 2022

Cabernet Sauvignon and Syrah



- Manual harvesting
- Average yield: 30 hl/ha
- Maceration: 3 weeks
- Ageing 90% in stainless-steel vats and 10% in French oak barrels for 12 months
- Keeping potential: 5 years

Characteristics: softness, finesse, notes of berries, length and balance

Food & wine pairings: Provençal beef stew, roasted pork, grilled tuna steak, « Taurus gardianne »



Awards

2022

90/100 "La RVF Meilleurs Vins de Provence 2026"

2016

15/20 Bettane & Desseauve 2020

15/20 « La Revue du vin de France » 2020



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LA SOURCE DE VIGNELAURE

Coteaux d'Aix en Provence
ROSÉ 2025

Grenache, Cinsault, Syrah and Cabernet Sauvignon



- Direct pressing
- Average yield: 45 hl/ha
- Vinification per variety and plot
- Ageing on fine lees for 3 months with stirring



Characteristics: aromatic, light, fruity, notes of grapefruit and citrus fruits, finish on vine peach, balance and freshness

Food & Wine pairings: ideal as an aperitif, with calamari, filet of red mullet, anchoiade and seasonal vegetables, grilled meat and ratatouille

Awards

2022

93/100 Guide Bettane & Desseauve 2024

2020

90/100 Wine Enthusiast 2021

2018

90/100 Wine Enthusiast 2019

2016

91/100 Wine Enthusiast 2017
14.5/20 Bettane & Desseauve



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Coteaux d'Aix en Provence
WHITE 2025

Vermentino and Sauvignon Blanc



- Manual harvesting with sorting
- Average yield: 40 hl/ha
- Plot selection
- Fermentation in stainless-steel vats
- Ageing on fines lees for 6 months with stirring



Characteristics: aromatic, fruity, fresh, notes of white peach, citrus fruits, acacia flower, well-balanced between fat and minerality

Food & wine pairings: aperitif, seafood platter, fish (cod, whiting), shellfish (scallops, bulots).

Awards & Medals

2024

90/100 Decanter - Selection Best Provence White Wine

2023

1* Guide Hachette 2025

2019

14.5/20 La Revue du vin de France 2020

Médaille d'Argent, Concours des Vins de Provence 2020

2018

Médaille d'Argent et Médaille Bio, Concours Prix Plaisir Bettane & Desseauve 2019



Le Page VIGNELAURE



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Yves Saint-Laurent

LE PAGE DE VIGNELAURE

IGP Méditerranée
RED 2020

Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot



- Manual harvesting with sorting
- Average yield: 38 hl/ha
- Maceration: 28 days
- Partially aged in oak barrels for 12 months

Characteristics: body, structure, concentration, notes of scrubland, blackcurrant, ripe fruits, subtle wooden notes

Food & Wine pairings: beef tartare, lamb chops, bolognese pasta, game

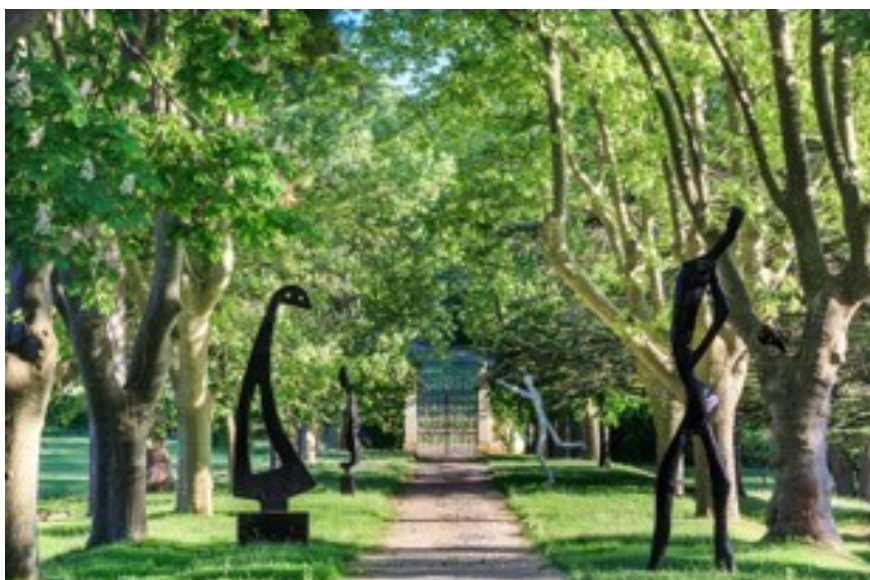


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Awards

2016

14.5/20 Bettane & Desseauve 2020



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IGP Méditerranée
ROSÉ

Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot

- Manual harvesting
- Average yield: 45 hl/ha
- Direct pressing
- Ageing on fines lees for 3 months with stirring



Characteristics: body, structure, balance, notes of raspberry and grapefruit, blackcurrant, vine peach

Food & wine pairings: tapenade and anchoïade, grilled fish, eggplant caviar, Italian melon, sushi, Asian cuisine



Awards

2019

1*, Hachette Wine Guide 2020

2018

14.5/20 Bettane & Desseauve 2020

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Le Page VIGNELAURE



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LE PAGE DE VIGNELAURE

IGP Méditerranée
WHITE 2023

Roussanne and Sauvignon Blanc

- Manual harvesting
- Average yield: 38 hl/ha
- Fermentation in vats (90 %) and 400L barrels (10 %)
- Ageing on fine lees for 6 months with stirring



Characteristics: freshness, balance, notes of stewed fruits, vanilla and honey

Food & Wine pairings: aperitif, mediterranean dishes, grilled fish, poultry

Awards

2022

1* Guide Hachette des Vins 2024

2017

15.5/20 Bettane & Desseauve 2020



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CUVÉE ÉDITION S 2017

AOC Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence

An exceptional wine

Syrah and Cabernet Sauvignon

- Old vines from 40 to 50 years
- Plot selection
- Manual harvesting and sorting
- Maceration: 4 weeks
- Ageing: 24 months in oak tanks
- Keeping potential: more than 10 years

Characteristics: complexity, body, fullness, concentration, intensity, aromas of red fruits such as cherry, spicy notes.

Food & Wine pairings: lamb navarin, roasted lamb rack, Provençal leg of lamb, Rossini tournedos

The Cuvée Edition S 2015 is a limited edition since only 3866 bottles and 310 magnums of this exceptional wine have been produced.



Awards

2011

16,5/20 Bettane & Desseauve 2018
15/20 « La Revue du vin de France » 2018



L'OR DE VIGNELAURE 2025

Vin de France

An exceptional sweet wine

100 % Sauvignon Blanc



- Manual harvesting with sorting
- Plot selection
- Grapes with noble rot
- Average yield: 9 hl/ha
- 13 % vol, 160 g of residual sugars
- Fermentation in 400L oak tanks
- Ageing on fine lees for 6 months
- 7,000 bottles produced

Characteristics: balance with a great acidity, on the finish, notes of honey, candied fruit, raisin

Food & wine pairings: foie gras, desserts, blue cheeses

Awards

2021

91/100 "La Revue de vin de France" 2024

2020

90/100 "La Revue de vin de France" 2023

2018

91/100 Decanter

2016

16.5/20 Bettane & Desseauve 2020

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CHÂTEAU VIGNELAURE ORANGE 2022

Vin de France

100% Roussanne



- Selected parcels
- Average yield : 40 Hl/Ha
- Manual harvesting with sorting
- Maceration : 3 weeks
- Aging in stainless steel vats

Characteristics: Intense nose of spices, candied citrus peels, and roasted fruit.

Food & Wine pairings : Lamb tajine, bouillabaisse, couscouse.



Awards

2022

91/100 revue des vins de France 2025



MARC DE VIGNELAURE BLANC

Indication Géographique Protégée

3 Years old



- Syrah wine grape marc
- Aged in tank
- Distilled in the Rhone Valley

MARC DE VIGNELAURE AMBRÉ

Indication Géographique Protégée

11 Years old

- Cabernet Sauvignon wine grape marc
- Aged in oak barrels
- Distilled in the Rhone Valley





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Epicure, Hôtel Bristol Paris (75)
Le Petit Nice, Marseille (13)
L'Oustau de Baumanière, les Baux de Provence (13)
La Vague d'Or, St Tropez (83)
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Le Mirazur, Menton (06)



AM Alexandre Mazzia, Marseille (13)
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Villa Archange, Le Cannet (06)
Mère Brazier, Lyon (69)
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Le Rech, Paris (75)
Allard, Paris (75)



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IGP Méditerranée Vignelaure BLANC 2021	90
IGP Méditerranée Vignelaure BLANC 2019	90

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La Revue du vin en France

2025

1 CHÂTEAU VIGNELAURE



Since 2007, this prestigious estate has belonged to Swedish winemaker Bengt Sundstrom. Together with technical director Philippe Bru, they bring out the best character of this high-altitude clay-limestone terroir (350-480 meters). By optimizing the vineyard and cultivating each parcel with care, they have created a variety of cuvées, ranging from quick consumption (Le Page and La Source in rosé and red) to age-worthy wines with excellent longevity. Their well-awarded red wines have an excellent ageing potential, along with their elegant whites, and their innovative orange and sweet wines. While rosé is not their specialty, but is still excellent and award-worthy.

The wines: the IGP white 2021's punchy personality consists of Sauvignon, Roussanne and Viognier, opening the tasting. The richness of partial malolactic fermentation and oak-barrel ageing combine to create a well-balanced wine. White pepper, citrus, white flowers, delicate oak and salinity on the finish. We aren't yet completely sold on the Orange de Vignelaure, but it presents notes of flowers, a palate of dry extracts and beautiful notes of bitters on the finish. The rosé continues in its Provençal style. It doesn't stand out to us, but this is not what the domaine is known for anyway. The reds, however, honor the memory of Georges Brunet, the famous Bordeaux winemaker who was the first to reintroduce Cabernet to Provence. The 2017's tannins have softened but remain strong. The peppery grip on the palate forms the foundation of this still phenomenally youthful red with superb tannins. Powerful yet balanced, 2018 has a deep, refined character with excellent ageing potential, but already containing a delicious, balanced structure. Finally, 2019 has all the assets of an exceptional Provençal wine, but is yet to make it onto the market due to the wine's minimum ageing requirements.

Red : : 46 hectares : 32 % Cabernet-Sauvignon , 30 % Syrah , 26 % Grenache noir , 6 % Merlot , 4 % Cinsault , 2 % Carignan

White : 10 hectares : 33% Rolle, 26 % Sauvignon blanc , 16% Sémillon, 15% Roussanne, 10% Viognier

Median production : 240 000 bottles/year



IGP Méditerranée Vignelaure BLANC 2021	90/100
Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence ROUGE 2017	93/100
Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence ROUGE 2019	93/100
VDF L'or de Vignelaure 2022	91/100
VDF Vin Orange 2022	91/100

Our favorite:

Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence ROUGE 2018	94/100
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Editor's choice:

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Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence Château Vignelaure ROSÉ 2018	15.5
IGP Méditerranée Le Page ROSÉ 2018	14.5

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Favourite:

Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence RED 2010	17/20
Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence RED 2011	16/20
Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence RED 2012	15,5/20
Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence Édition S 2011	16,5/20
Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence ROSÉ 2017	15/20
IGP Méditerranée Vignelaure WHITE 2016	15/20

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Favourite:

Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence RED 2010	16/20
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Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence Édition S 2011	15/20
IGP Méditerranée Vignelaure WHITE 2016	15/20

Château Vignelaure Rosé 2018 ranked 3rd in Bacchus Magazine, Canada

June 2019



Top 25

- 1- Yves Leccia, Domaine d'E Croce, rosé 2018** / Corse, France (119008210) 29,30 \$ / **92 pts**
- 2- Clos Canarelli, rosé 2018** / Corse, France (11917666) 40,25 \$ / **92 pts**
- 3- Château Vignelaure 2018** / Provence, France (12374149) 25,90 \$ / **92 pts**
- 4- Château d'Aqueria, Tavel 2018** / Rhône, France (12374392) 22,40 \$ / **91 pts**
- 5- Château d'Esclans, Rock Angel 2018** / Provence, France (12806731) 44,75 \$ / **91 pts**



Tasting of 100 wines by Andreas Larsson June 2018

World's Best sommelier in 2007
Château Vignelaure Red 2010: 92/100
Château Vignelaure Red 2011: 91/100





THE ENTHUSIAST 100 OF 2017 TOP 100 CELLAR SELECTIONS

Château Vignelaure Rosé 2016 sélectionné dans la liste des 100 meilleurs vins de Wine Enthusiast

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CHÂTEAU VIGNELAURE Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence 2009 Score: 90 / \$30

Ripe and succulent, with enticing notes of black cherry preserves and plum paste, underscored by a licorice snap accent and backed by a ganache-coated finish. Delive ample fruit despite the extra bottle age. Should continue to develop well in the cellar. Cabernet Sauvignon and Syrah. Drink now through 2021. 20 cases imported.—J.M.



« *Château Vignelaure, the famous vineyard in the appellation of Coteaux d'Aix en Provence. The wines of Vignelaure are perfect examples of Provençal winemaking at its highest level. Considering their very reasonable prices... Vignelaure represents excellent value* ».

ROBERT

ROBERT PARKER on Vignelaure:

« *one of the showpiece properties not only of Provence, but of France* »
« *ageworthy classics from estates such as Vignelaure...* »

COTEAUX D'AIX EN PROVENCE

CHATEAU
VIGNELAURE
2017

WINEENTHUSIAST
THE WORLD IN YOUR GLASS July, 2018 rating

93
points

vintage	rating
2011	90
2012	92
2013	92
2014	91
2015	93
2016	94






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