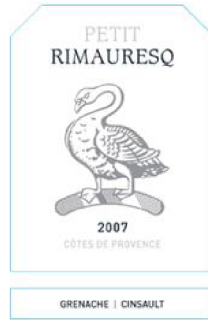


# CHATEAU PETIT RIMAURESQ ROSE 2008



Cinsault, Grenache, Syrah. Salmon pink color with grey hints. Nose lightly mineral with notes of peach and citrus. Mouth supple and round.

At the heart of the Provence wine region, mid way between Nice and Marseille, Rimauresq takes its name from the "Real Mauresque" being the river which flows through the vineyards. The Domaine itself is located at the foot of Notre Dame Des Anges and the dominating Massif des Maures mountain range.

Rimauresq is one of only a handful of Appellation Côtes de Provence vineyards awarded Cru Classé status in 1955. This mirrors the classification of the great Bordeaux chateaux a hundred years earlier. It's from these renowned vineyards that Pierre Duffort and his wine making team produces their elegant and award winning wines which have gained such a strong reputation both within and beyond France

The thirty-two hectares of vineyards are the only tenants surrounding the cellars. The average age of the vines is forty years old. The oldest plot was planted in 1930. The other older vines date from the sixties. A modern, half-buried cellar allows a serious treatment of the harvest.

At Rimauresq, the vine receives constant attention. Short pruning, rigorous debudding, frequent work to avoid recourse to herbicides, preventative treatment which is carefully thought through and respect for the environment. All of this constitutes our pride as wine-makers.

At Rimauresq, everything is done to conserve the best fruit the vine has to offer. An early morning harvest which generally ceases at midday makes it possible to collect a harvest at the correct temperature as well as avoiding harmful oxidation. A modern, half buried cellar allows for serious treatment of the harvest.

The wines of Rimauresq are not easily subdued. You need patience, tact almost, to savor entirely, their unique personality.

**CHATEAU PETIT RIMAURESQ ROSE 2008 12 \* 750 ML**

**ITEM# 08RIMRO6**

BOTTLE PRICE

\$ 10.50

CASE PRICE

\$ 126.00

