

Domaine du Trapadis Cairanne Les Garrigues

ABOUT THE ESTATE

- Domaine du Trapadis is a Rasteau-based producer with a history that stretches back over four generations.
- The current head of the estate, Helen Durand, has been running operations since 1996.
- Over the 20+ years Helen has been in charge, he has shepherded the style of the wines through an evolution towards more nuance and complexity.
- All 34 hectares of vines are Ecocert-certified organic and practicing biodynamic.
- Rasteau is a newer appellation in the Rhône, and its potential is just starting to be revealed thanks in large part to producers like Domaine du Trapadis.

APPELLATION

AOP Cairanne

SUB-REGION

Southern Rhône

GRAPE VARIETY

70% Grenache Noir, 20% Syrah, 10% Carignan

FARMING

Sustainable, Organic (Ecocert), Biodynamic (Demeter)

SOIL

Clay-limestone with red clay, sand, and silt

VINEYARDS & VITICULTURE

40-year-old vines. Manual harvest and sorting in the vineyard.

HARVEST & VINIFICATION

Fermentation in concrete vats with indigenous yeasts. Vatting for about 15 days at a temperature of 20 Celcius with a peak of 28 Celcius towards the end.. Aging in cement vats on fine lees for 18 months.

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME

14.0

PACK SIZE