



# FAMILLE PERRIN

## Les Crus



### Famille Perrin Châteauneuf-du-Pape

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#### PRESENTATION

The family's other Châteauneuf! Les Sinards comes from the young vines at Beaucastel and from a neighbouring vineyard that we farm.

#### THE VINTAGE

In 2010, all the right conditions were united to produce an exceptional vintage. Heavy rainfall during spring, followed by a very hot summer and an Indian summer in September allowed for great harvest conditions. This vintage produced very balanced wines on intense notes of fruit with a great finesse.

#### LOCATION

Wine made from the young vines at Beaucastel, a vineyard that we farm just to the west of Beaucastel in the Commune of Orange

#### TERROIR

Molasse seabed of the Miocene period covered by diluvial alpine deposits (pebbles)

#### AGEING

Partly vinified like in Beaucastel and partly vinified in the traditional way after destemming. 100% Foudres for a year. Bottled after fining and light filtration

#### VARIETALS

Grenache, Mourvèdre, Syrah

#### SERVING

15°C in big glasses. Drink with game, truffles and mushrooms.

#### TASTING

Colour: Deep ruby  
Nose: Intense, black and red fruits, spices and pepper  
Mouth: Fresh and soft with refined tannins with a beautiful cherry finish

#### REVIEWS AND AWARDS

*Jancis Robinson*  
jancisrobinson.com

16/20

"Lightly liquorice. Very smooth and polished texture. Not much grunt but certainly well mannered and competently made. Light finish."

**Jancis Robinson, 20/12/2011**



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88-90 /100

"The 2010 Châteauneuf-du-Pape Les Sinards red is a blend of young Beaucastel vines and fruit from adjacent properties. It possesses a deep ruby/purple color as well as black cherry, licorice, garrigue, tobacco leaf and spice box characteristics. It is deep and medium to full-bodied with good acidity and freshness."

**Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, 01/10/2011**

90-92/100

"Fresh red berries and cherry on the intensely fragrant nose. Sappy, palate-coating black raspberry and bitter cherry flavors are complemented by suave lavender and anise notes and lifted by a peppery quality. Finishes seamless and sweet, with very good breadth and spicy persistence."

**Josh Reynolds, Stephen Tanzer International Wine Cellar, 01/02/2012**

**Wine Spectator**

93/100

"Lush and inviting, with smoldering black tea weaving through the fleshy layers of melted fig, hoisin sauce, plum preserves and blackberry pudding. The dark ganache-coated finish has serious grip."

**James Molesworth, Wine Spectator, 12/09/2012**



91/100

"Bright ruby. Highly perfumed aromas of raspberry, cherry and dried flowers. Juicy and open-knit, offering lush red and dark berry compote flavors that pick up spiciness with air. Closes with very good energy and lift, with supple tannins lending shape and grip."

**Josh Reynolds, International Wine Cellar**



92/100

"Smooth and lush with ripe berries, plum, spice and depth; juicy and tangy with minerals, supple texture and a long, complex finish. Syrah, Mourvèdre, Grenache."

**The Tasting Panel, 01/11/2013**

