



GIGONDAS 2021

Gigondas, France

ABOUT E. GUIGAL

The more you learn about the Guigal family, the more astounding becomes their story. Their wines are the benchmarks for every Rhône appellation, and over the last thirty years they have become arguably the most lauded producer in the world. Year after year the Guigal family produces wines of exceptional quality that in all classes offer exceptional value.

THE WINE

E. Guigal Gigondas is a quiet storm in their Southern Rhône lineup—a wine of generosity and power that’s still too often overlooked. The Guigals have worked with Gigondas for over 50 years, long before the appellation began receiving the acclaim it deserves. This blend, led by Grenache and deepened by a significant portion of Mourvèdre, bursts with ripe black fruit, spice, and earthy undertones. It’s bold, expressive, and structured, with surprising finesse and aging potential. When poured, it immediately commands attention as a soulful standout.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

VARIETY: 70% Grenache, 20% Syrah, 10% Mourvèdre

VINEYARD: The vineyards are planted on hillsides of dry, stony soils at the foot of Mont Ventoux in the southern Rhône Valley.

WINEMAKING: Guigal selects wines from small domaines to blend a polished, refined and age-worthy wine true to the appellation. Long maceration; 70% Grenache, 20% Syrah, 10% Mourvèdre

VINTAGE: The 2021 vintage had weather challenges, namely frost and hail, but produced high-quality, fresh, structured wines with good acidity, despite lower yields and a late harvest.

AGING: 24 months in oak foudres, 50% new oak

ALC. BY VOL.: 15%

PRESS

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Wine Spectator

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Wine Advocate

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James Suckling

89-91

Jeb Dunnuck

"Smoldering incense and sweet red fruit introduce this ripe red, with a plush, glossy texture and elegance despite the ripeness. Mulberry and juniper detail the smoky, graphite-edged finish, which is firm and focused."

-Kristen Bieler, Wine Spectator

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PACKAGE SPECS

PACK: 12x750ml C

CLOSURE: Cork

PALLET: 10x6 (60)

CASE DM: 15x11.5x10 in

CASE WEIGHT: 42 lb

BTL DEPTH: 3.2 in

BTL HEIGHT: 11.8 in

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