

DOMAINE DELAPORTE

Sancerre Le Cul de Beaujeu Rouge 2019

\$74.19*

* Suggested retail price



	Product code	94334
	Format	6x750ml
	Listing type	Speculative
	Status	Store Only
	Type of product	Still wine
	Country	France
	Regulated designation	Appellation origine contrôlée (AOC)
	Region	Loire Valley
	Subregion	Centre Loire
	Appellation	Sancerre
	Varietal(s)	Pinot Noir 100 %
	Colour	Red
	Closure type	Cork

ABOUT THIS WINERY

Tucked in the middle of the Sancerre region is Domaine Vincent Delaporte and Sons, a family business which has been passed from father to son since the 17th century. The charm, passion and love so evident in this family's interactions with each other are all mirrored in their beautiful and lively wines.

TASTING NOTES

Dark red with purple lights. It expresses nice empyreumatic scents (toasted bread, cocoa, coffee) and delicate aromas of tapenade, blueberries, black cherries and pastry. A pleasant animal note also delights the nose. The texture is ample with silky tannins giving a velvety feeling in the mouth. The palate offers aromas and texture of the blueberry tart but also crème brûlée and whisky notes. Long retro-olfaction with crunchy red fruit overtones.

PRODUCT NOTES

To be served at 16° Celsius, the Cul de Beaujeu Rouge marries perfectly red meats, game and matured cheeses. It will reach its aromatic height within five years, though can certainly be laid down for five to ten years.

PRODUCTION NOTES

The grapes are handpicked in small cases of 12kg, sorted on a table and then 100 per cent destemmed. Alcoholic fermentation in small stainless steel vats lasts about twelve days; it is thermo controlled at 25°Celsius with daily manual pigeage, or punching down of the cap. Malolactic fermentation is carried out entirely in oak barrels that are one to five years old. The wine is bottled after twelve months of barrel ageing without filtration.



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