

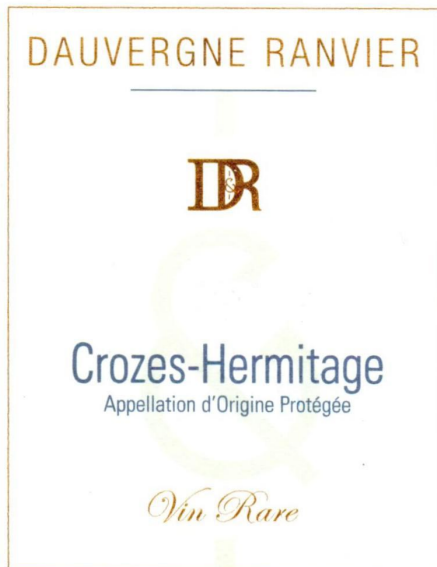
# Dauvergne Ranvier

## CROZES HERMITAGE VIN RARE - 2010

DAUVERGNE-RANVIER



REGION: FRANCE - RHONE



### DAUVERGNE RANVIER

Jean-François Ranvier and François Dauvergne teamed up to create a very unique approach to building a brand focused on quality from vine to finished wine.

### GRAPES / SOILS

Syrah	Planted 1975	granite	0.5 ha
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### THE WINE

#### Vineyard Profile

- We have 5 core vineyard partners in Crozes Hermitage.
- The vineyards are mainly from the southern part of the small town of Tain l'Hermitage (Beaumont Monteux), and the northern part (Larnage sector).
- The southern part vineyards are stony and are harvested by machine. These vineyards are also used to produce our "gourmand" line wines – pleasant, fruity and round in style.
- The northern part vineyards are on the slopes, more granitic and a little white clay soils. This clay was formed by marine sediments millions of years ago. The color of the clay comes from the chemical components. The cuvees originating from there are aged in oak barrels and produce a more structured style of Crozes Hermitage.
- Jean-François combines these 2 areas in order to produce a fruity, elegant, round, structured and complex Crozes Hermitage.
- 100% Syrah, no Roussanne or Marsanne.

#### Technical Information

- Alcohol 13.0%
- pH level 3.7
- Residual sugar (grams/liter) 1.18
- Acidity (grams/liter) 3.4

### REVIEWS

#### Crozes Hermitage Vin Rare – 2010

#### 90 Points - Wine Spectator, February, 2013

Dark cherry and plum notes are laced with a nice streak of charcoal, which lingers through the racy finish. Dark cocoa and violet notes flash in the background. Solid. Drink now through 2015.

## GENERAL INFO

Country	France
Region	Rhone Valley
Appellation(s)	Nearly every appellation in the Rhone Valley
Proprietors	François Dauvergne and Jean-François Ranvier
Founded	2004
Winemaker	Jean-François Ranvier
Annual Production	40,000 9L cases
Farming (Sustainable, organic, biodynamic)	Sustainable