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Druivensoorten:
50% Merlot
45% Cabernet Sauvignon
5% Petit Verdot

Bodem: Gravel, klei en kalk

Vinificatie:

Oogst van de Merlot vond plaats tussen 29 september en 10 oktober. De Cabernet Sauvignon tussen 8 en 20 oktober. De Petit Verdot tussen 14 en 15 oktober.

Alcoholgehalte:

Beschikbare volumes: 0,75L

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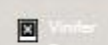
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10/04/2016 **RENÉ GABRIEL : 17 / 20**



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