

# SINGLE VINEYARDS

## LE GRAND COURTIL CROZES-ERMITAGE RED

FERRATON *f* PÈRE & FILS



### GRAPE VARIETY

100% Syrah.  
Around 20 year old vines.

### SOIL

Mid-slope plot clay and limestone in the lower part, and with a granitic layer and gravelly soil on the top. Full south exposure situated in the village of Mercurol within the Crozes-Ermitage district.

### VINIFICATION

Grapes are destemmed. Maceration in concrete vats (for a better thermic inertia) for about four weeks (depending on vintage). Extraction made by pumping over and punching down.

### AGEING

Ten barrel ageing lasts about 12 to 14 months depending on the vintage (20 to 30% in new oak).

### TASTING

Colour : deep, limpid, and brilliant.  
Nose : very ripe small red fruit, leather note.

Palate : jammy red fruit, full-bodied, delicate tannins with a slight woody vanilla flavour.

Long lasting wine.