

LA CABRIOLE



Saumur Rouge La Cabriole

AOP Saumur, Vallée de la Loire et Centre, France

PRESENTATION

The cabriole is an equestrian figure well known by Saumur's horseriders.

LOCATION

The Saumur vineyards cover over 800 hectares on the south bank of the Loire River.

TERROIR

The subsoil consists of hard, Jurassic limestone, which has broken down to form the shallow, stony topsoil.

WINEMAKING

Complete destemming, 15 - 20 days' post-fermentation skin contact.

Fermented in temperature-controlled vats and bottled in the tufa cellars, where the wine continues ageing, protected from light and temperature variations.

AGEING

Aged for a minimum of 6 months on the lees.

VARIETAL

Cabernet franc 100%

VISUAL APPEARANCE

Lovely, ruby-red colour.

AT NOSE

This wine has an intense bouquet, featuring red- (strawberries) and black-berry fruit (blackcurrant), with hints of spices.

ON THE PALATE

It is soft on the palate, with good backbone and balance, as well as velvety tannins. Long aftertaste with hints of spices.

