# Ch de Berne Inspiration Cote de Provence Rose

#### THE FACTS

COUNTRY: France REGION: Provence

**APPELLATION:** Cotes de Provence

CEPAGE: 50% Grenache, 30% Cinsault, 20% Syrah

WINEMAKING: Stainless steel ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 12.5%

#### THE STORY

Vines have been grown on the Château grounds since Roman times. Situated on the Aurelian Way, a Roman road formerly linking Italy and Spain, the vineyard was also a trading post for wines. The amphoras used to transport the precious beverage were made on site, as witnessed by an ancient oven discovered in the grounds around a century ago. Raymond V, donated the estate to Saint Bernard, the founder of the Cistercian Order. It remained the property of the Marquis de Villeneuve for the next 3 centuries.

PHILOSOPHY: Measuring 330 acres, the Château de Berne terroir is situated on the Triassic Plateau, resting on a chalky bed dating back to the lower and middle Jurassic ages. Château de Berne regularly uses around ten grape varieties to blend its wines, mainly Grenache, Cinsault and Syrah.

## THE ADJECTIVES

**OVERALL:** A classic Provence pale pink, copper hues, starbright.

AROMAS / FLAVORS: Grapefruit, citrus blossom, strawberry, mouthwatering, tart aromas. It's like walking through a Prov MOUTHFEEL: The harmony of balanced acidity, rich texture and dry finish

### THE SELLING POINTS

AWARDS: 92pts Wine Enthusiast

SUSTAINABILITY: Sustainable In Practice



