

PENYA

TECHNICAL NOTES

PENYA 2018 VIOGNIER

Cases de Pene is a tiny village in the Roussillon region of Southern France, just 30 miles north of Spain. Ceded to France in the mid 17th century, the area is still known as "French Catalonia". We celebrate this heritage with the Catalan spelling of the ancient Château and village Cooperative: "Penya".

VINEYARDS

Nearly 1,000 acres total; 400 acres red varietals: Syrah, Carignan, Grenache, Merlot and Cabernet; 12 acres Chardonnay and Viognier; 370 acres Muscat d'Alexandrie and Muscat à Petits Grains; also Grenache Blanc, Grenache Gris and Macabeo for Rivesaltes sweet wines.

APPELLATION

Côtes Catalanes IGP.

COMPOSITION

100% Viognier.

VITICULTURE

From 15-year-old vines grown in silty, clay/limestone soils. Yields of 3.33 tons/acre. Grapes were harvested in the cool of the night to preserve their delicate aromas.

VINIFICATION

De-stemmed with dry ice to prevent the must from oxidizing. Cold fermented in cement tanks. No malolactic conversion. Unoaked. Matured 4 months on the fine lees.

ALCOHOL

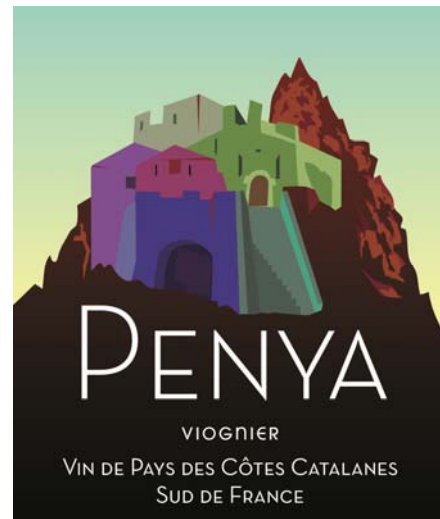
13.5%

TASTING NOTES

Offers an exotic nose of citrus, pineapple, mango and peach, with light floral notes. Light, lively and very refreshing on the palate.

SERVE WITH

Excellent on its own, with seafood (turbot, sole, or scallops) or spicy Asian cuisine.



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