



Crossroads Syrah Areni Dry red wine 2019

Region	Aghavnadzor, Vayots Dzor, Armenia
Terroir	Volcanic soil with high content of sand and gravel. Continental climate with around 250 sun days/year. Vineyard elevation – 1300 m above the sea level.
Technical Information	Varietals: Syrah (75%) and Areni noir (25%) Alcohol: 14.5%
Pruning and growing system	Cordon de Royat (Syrah), Double Guyot (Areni)
Vinification	The grapes are harvested at the right degree of ripeness. Syrah is picked in September, while Areni - in the second half of October. The wine undergoes alcoholic fermentation in stainless steel tanks, followed by an extended post-fermentative maceration. The wine is not aged in oak barrels and expresses the primary freshness and fruity flavors.
Color	Deep Purple
Flavor profile	Elegant fruity bouquet with the typical scents of ripe black berries accompanied by notes of black pepper and dark chocolate. At the palate, the wine appears with powerful ripe tannins, refreshing acidity and long aftertaste.
Serving	Pairs well with red meats and spicy food.
Ageing	Could be immediately consumed but will reveal its true potential in 1-2 years. Should be opened and left to breath or decanted an hour at least before being served.