



CHÂTEAU de RESPIDE

Red

FACT SHEET

Appellation :	Graves
Soil :	Gravel and layer of limestone
Surface :	30 hectares
Grapes :	Merlot 67% - Cabernet Sauvignon 33%
Harvest	Mechanical ended by a sorting in the vat-house
Vinification :	In stainless steel vats with micro-bullage (addition of small quantities of oxygen to open fruit expression on the wine)
Ageing :	6 months in oak barrels with 1/3 new
Tasting :	Lively and bright colour. Bouquet displays red berries and balsamic notes. Fat, well-structured without being aggressive, the palate delivers spicy notes, typical from Graves wines
Serving condition :	Room temperature (17-19°)
Harmony with food :	Red meat, game, cheese

Origin : **Château de Respide** is one of the oldest wine-growing Château of the Graves area. Built during the 17th century, with a Louis XIII Style, it was the property of **Monsieur De la Reynie**, lieutenant of the King Louis XIV.

The **Rodies family** was the owner until 1932 and obtained the gold medal of the agricultural contest of Paris in 1899.

It was in 1952 that the current owner **Mr. Bonnet** inherited it. The Château has been sold in 1973, but, the vineyard, the wine storehouses, and the agricultural buildings have been kept in order to preserve the wine's authenticity.

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Vintage 2005

BRONZE Medal, Aquitaine Wine Challenge 2007

Selected by Guide Hachette 2008 ★

Blending favorising the merlot (60%), this 2005 has a rich bouquet (flowers, stewed fruits, wood) structured on dense but velvety tannins. It can stay several years in your cellar and will match with a wide gastronomic range.

vintage	alcohol	packaging	Gencod bottle	Bottling date
2005	12,5%	Carton of 6 or in wooden case with additional charge	3263070019229	03/03/2007
2006	12,5%	Carton of 6 or in wooden case with additional charge	3263070020904	10/03/2008

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