

tasting note

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Gigondas Domaine du Cayron 2010

Score: 91

Release Price: \$32

Country: France

Region: Southern Rhône

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Burly, packed and chunky in feel, offering ganache-coated fig, pastis-soaked plum and charcoal notes, laced with accents of pepper, olive and bay leaf. Frankly briary through the finish, showing a rustic edge. There's lots of character and depth, but the style may be a touch too funky for some. Best from 2014 through 2022. 3,900 cases made. *—JM*