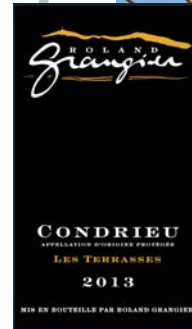


- > **Domain** : Domaine Grangier
- > **Winegrower** : Roland Grangier
- > **Town** : Chavanay
- > **Region** : Rhône
- > **Appellation(s)** : Condrieu, Saint Joseph
- > **Cultivated space** : 8 ha
- > **Production** : 28 000 btles
- > **Soil(s)** : granite and clay



## The philosophy of the domain :

Domaine Grangier was created in 2002 by Roland GRANGIER, however the family has always been involved in agricultural activities. The domaine's vineyards comprise 8 ha falling within two renowned northern Côtes du Rhône appellations: CONDRIEU and SAINT JOSEPH.

Our philosophy: to perpetuate tradition and know-how and, at the same time, combine these with modernity. The vineyards are managed in an environmentally-friendly way to preserve the terroir. In a continuing commitment to the quality of our wines a new winery was built in 2012. This new equipment now enables us to control the temperature better during vinification, maturation, and storage. We are present at all the different stages of work in the vineyard and winemaking, from planting young vines through to marketing the wines.

## Mode of driving of the vineyard, wine-making and ageing :

From the Rhône Valley there is a splendid view of the steeply sloped vineyards planted out on terraces since antiquity. In order to control the yields, the vines are disbudded just after bud break occurs. De-leafing of the vines takes place in summer. This involves removing leaves from around the grape clusters in order to ensure good aeration and optimize their exposure to the sun. Also, we carry out green harvesting to control the yields and to obtain grapes that are as rich as possible in sugars, tannins and polyphenols. The grapes are harvested manually, from mid September to early October. We work the soil between the rows, grass is left to grow between one row of vines, whilst the other is worked using different tractor attachments for tilling, which decompacts and permits good aeration of the soil, maintains a microbial life and obtains a sufficient level of organic matter. On the row, weeds are kept in check by chemical herbicides. Sustainable environmental methods are used to treat the vines, we don't use any pesticides.

## Some references :

Bettane et Desseauve, Gilbert et Gaillard ...



## OUR WINES

**Saint Joseph**  
( Syrah )

**Saint Joseph La Cote**  
( Syrah )

**Condrieu Les Terrasses**  
( Viognier )