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Domaine de l'Amauve, La Daurèle, Côtes du Rhône Villages Séguret, Rhône, France 2022

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Tasted by: **Matt Walls**

(at Institut Rhodanien, France, 05 Feb 2024)

Part of Walls: **Exploring Côtes du Rhône Villages Séguret**

Drinking Window: 2024 - 2026

Very pale in colour. A restrained and delicate style of Séguret blanc on the nose, majoring on honeysuckle. Still one with power and breadth on the palate however, with an assertive texture. Subtle banana and pear flavour, ending on a dab of honey and some noble bitters. Grown on La Plaine and La Première Terrasse areas. Fermented in tanks and barriques, matured on the lees for six to seven months.

Producer	Domaine de l'Amauve
Brand	La Daurèle
Vintage	2022
Wine Type	Still
Colour	White
Country	France
Region	Rhône
Appellation	Côtes du Rhône Villages
Sweetness	Dry
Closure	Cork
Alcohol	15.00%
Body	Full
Oak	Lightly Oaked
Grapes	30% Clairette 40% Grenache Blanc / Garnacha Blanca 15% Viognier



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Tasted by: **Matt Walls**

(at Institut Rhodanien, France, 05 Feb 2024)

Part of Walls: Exploring Côtes du Rhône Villages Séguret

Drinking Window: 2024 - 2025

Pale powder pink. Fruity strawberry and watermelon aromas, and it's soft and silky on the palate with well balanced acidity. Good length of fruit too. It's generous, flavoursome and well balanced, very good for the region. Short maceration in the press, partly fermented and matured in barriques, but has no overt oak influence. Grown on the Plain/Première Terrasse.

Producer	Domaine de l'Amauve
Brand	Le Rosé de Simone
Vintage	2022
Wine Type	Still
Colour	Rosé
Country	France
Region	Rhône
Appellation	Côtes du Rhône Villages
Sweetness	Dry
Closure	Cork
Alcohol	14.50%
Body	Medium
Oak	Lightly Oaked
Grapes	25% Mourvèdre 20% Carignan / Cariñena 40% Grenache



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Part of Walls: [Exploring Côtes du Rhône Villages Séguret](#)
Drinking Window: 2024 - 2027

With its notes of fresh forest berry fruits, this is crisply structured, with a lovely sense of tension and vibrancy, therefore exhibiting all the more positive elements of the 2021 vintage. Great energy and vibration. This is well balanced, fresh and drinkable. Fermented in concrete, matured on the lees for six to seven months. Grown on La Plaine and La Première Terrasse areas.

Producer	Domaine de l'Amauve
Brand	Laurances
Vintage	2021
Wine Type	Still
Colour	Red
Country	France
Region	Rhône
Appellation	Côtes du Rhône Villages
Sweetness	Dry
Closure	Cork
Alcohol	13.00%
Body	Medium
Oak	Unoaked
Grapes	25% Syrah / Shiraz 75% Grenache



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Drinking Window: 2024 - 2030

Soft, yielding, easy going and juicy. The alcohol is high, but this has juicy, succulent plum and blackberry fruit. The oak lends a welcome, seductive sheen to the ripe fruit, and the overall effect is highly delicious, concentrated and impressive. A glass would be enough however, as this is highly potent! Grown on La Plaine and La Première Terrasse areas. Partly matured in oak barrels, from new to third use.

Producer	Domaine de l'Amauve
Brand	Estelles
Vintage	2020
Wine Type	Still
Colour	Red
Country	France
Region	Rhône
Appellation	Côtes du Rhône Villages
Sweetness	Dry
Closure	Cork
Alcohol	15.50%
Body	Full
Oak	Oaked
Grapes	25% Syrah / Shiraz 5% Carignan / Cariñena 60% Grenache



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Walls: Exploring Côtes du Rhône Villages Séguret

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Matt Walls

February 27, 2024



Karine Mérigot, of Cave Coopérative de Roaix Séguret (left), and Mathilde Suter (of Domaine de l'Amandine (right)). Credit: Matt Walls.

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