

LES SENTIUS d'en Joan Bta. Domènech 2011

VARIETY: 100% Carignan Antic. **AGE:** Planted in 1950

ORIENTATION: West **ALTITUDE:** 630 m

LOCATION: Les Sentiús, south of Porrera, has a special microclimate because it is a north-facing valley with a high level of humidity. Its height (630 m) and orientation make it a very special place.

FLOOR: Llicorella slate floor.

VINIFICATION: Grapes are hand-harvested in 12 kg boxes. The Carignan is destemmed and gently crushed. The fermentation temperature is maintained between 28–30 °C with two pigeages (punch-downs) per day. Fermentation and maceration lasted between 20–25 days. Only the free-run wine is used for this wine; press wines are separated.

AGEING: 100% in new French oak barrels (225 litres) for 18 months. It is then bottled and stored in the winery for a further 13 years before being put on the market.

BOTTLED: June 2013 (150 bottles of 75 cl).

