

# THORMAN HUNT

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## Domaine Fayolle Fils et Fille, Gervans

### Crozes Hermitage Rouge les Pontaix



#### Grower

At the heart of the historical part of Crozes Hermitage, unfolds the singular domain Laurent Fayolle. Here, Laurent and Céline take a fresh look on the family estate, valuing a legacy of 150 years. They turn to natural methods and sustainability and are committing to organic farming. Laurent is turning this 10-hectare domaine into a leader of the appellation. He has expanded his cellar and is now able to move his wine by gravity. These are all classically made wines.

#### Vineyards

Les Pontaix is in Crozes Hermitage village, on the North of the AOC. Area: 2,10 hectares. Clay-limestone hillside, facing South. 40 year-old vines. Planting density: 6000 wine-plant/Ha Bush-pruning and Royat cordon pruning. Organic conversion since 2019. Soil worked every other row. Green manure every other row

#### Vinification

Manual harvest in cases. The grape are sorted and destemmed. Gravity vats. Vinification in concrete tank. Gentle extraction by pumping over and punching down. Ageing 12 month in big cask (600l), 20% new oak.

#### Style

Red fruits, spices, generous and persistent mouth.

#### Grape varieties:

100% Syrah

**Bottling options:** 75cl

**ABV:** 14%

**Organic:** under conversion

**Vegetarian:** Yes

**Vegan:** Yes

**Closure:** Cork

