



PRODUCER PROFILE

Estate owned by: the Taupenot Family
Winemaker: Romain Taupenot
Region: Burgundy
Country: France

Domaine Taupenot-Merme Auxey Duresses NV

TASTING NOTES

A very fine nose with notes of red fruit (raspberry, black currant) and a touch of game when the wine gets older (musk, smoke). Soft tannins in mouth. Textbook red Cotes de Beaune.

VINEYARD & PRODUCTION INFO

Vineyard size:	0.28 acres
Soil composition:	Clay, limestone
Elevation:	780-1080 feet
Vines/acre:	4000
Exposure:	South, southeastern

WINEMAKING & AGING

Varietal composition:	100% Pinot Noir
Fermentation container:	Stainless steel tanks
Length of alcoholic fermentation:	18 - 23 days
Length of maceration:	8 - 10 days days
Type of aging container:	Oak barrels
Age of aging container:	25-30% New
Type of oak:	French
Length of aging before bottling:	15 - 18 months