



## MAISON RIGAL RETURNS GASCONY TO THE PLACE OF HONOUR

**REDISCOVER GASCONY'S COUNTRYSIDES ("LES PAYS DES COTES DE GASCOGNE") AND ITS INDIGENOUS GRAPE VARIETIES IN AN ORIGINAL AND AUTHENTIC MANNER THROUGH MAISON RIGAL'S NEW COLLECTION - PYGAT. FIVE WINES CERTIFIED HIGH ENVIRONMENTAL VALUE ("HVE") WITH EACH WINE PRESENTED AS A BI-CÉPAGE MADE OF LOCAL GRAPE VARIETIES SUCH AS COLOMBARD, GROS MANSENG, PETIT MANSENG AND TANNAT.**

### THE WINES FROM GASCONY'S COUNTRYSIDES - " LES VINS DE PAYS DES CÔTES DE GASCOGNE".

In Gascony, the culture of wine and grape varieties, often indigenous, is millennia old. Every day, passionate winemakers craft tasty and expressive wines, both accessible and complex which can be served as an aperitif or accompany your main courses and even more! They commit themselves to preserving this natural heritage by applying sustainable wine production.



**PYRÉNÉES GARONNE ATLANTIQUE  
THE PLURAL GASCONY**

The Gascony is a plural region drawing its strength and its authenticity from the natural landscape.

**PY**: une majestic and sunny Pyrenean mountain range

**G**: land riger Garonne of a strong nature

**AT**: stormy and refreshing Atlantic ocean

### A SONG OF PRAISE TO HONOR GASCONY'S DIVERSITY AND HISTORY

This new collection is available under 5 cuvées in IPG Côtes de Gascogne. Each wine represents a blend of two indigenous grape varieties, revealing the diversity of Gascony: Colombard, Gros Manseng, Petit Manseng, Tannat. These wines derive from characteristic soils of Gascony of properties followed by our oenologist, Julien Touboul. They undergo a rational viticulture and are certified HVE - High Environmental Value. A collection made with a common thread, that of wines which are easy to drink, accessible and friendly.

*"These wines are explosive on the nose and fresh on the palet. We are very happy to present Pygat range of wines which highlight the indigenous grape varieties. Working hand in hand with our partner estates, from vine to glass, this range expresses finer points and terroir diversity of Gascony region."*

Julien Touboul, general manager and œnologue of Maison Rigal.



### About Maison Rigal

Maison Rigal is the benchmark wine supplier of quality and exclusivity throughout the South West with its heartland being Cahors, and an ambition to become a grower.

Since 1755, Rigal has been inspired by the great diversity of vines and soil of southwest France. Our daily work revolves around both preserving this environment and adapting to its demands, from the growing of the grapes all the way to the end product – wine in the glass.

" Sharing is caring."

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