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### 2015 Domaine Chante Cigale Chateauneuf du Pape

The 2015 Châteauneuf du Pape, which is 65% Grenache, 20% Syrah and the balance Mourvèdre and Cinsault. What looks to be a beautiful classic cuvée, it has real depth and richness as well as full body, lots of meatiness, beef jerky (snap into a Slim Jim!!), blackcurrants, black cherries, ripe tannin and a great finish. It will have 10-15 years of overall longevity.

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### 2015 Domaine Chante Cigale Chateauneuf du Pape Vieilles Vignes

Another beauty is the 2015 Châteauneuf du Pape Vieilles Vignes, which checks in as 70% Grenache, 20% Syrah and 10% Mourvèdre that was partially destemmed and aged in older barrels and demi-muids. Full-bodied, layered, concentrated and sweetly fruited, with fabulous notes of black raspberries, garrigue, cassis, licorice and toasted spice, it's much more classic in style than the Extrait and should be a gem in the vintage.

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### 2014 Domaine Chante Cigale Chateauneuf du Pape

The 2014 Châteauneuf du Pape is a charming, surprisingly ripe, textured effort in the vintage and is well worth your time and money. Bing cherries, kirsch, roasted herbs and licorice all flow from this medium-bodied, balanced and lengthy 2014 that will drink nicely for at least 5-6 years.

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### 2015 Domaine Chante Cigale Chateauneuf du Pape Vieilles Vignes Extrait

The smallest production cuvée is the 2015 Châteauneuf du Pape Extrait, and there's just 900 bottles of this beauty. An uncommon blend of 70% Mourvèdre and 30% Grenache, aged in demi-muids and older barrels, its deep ruby color is followed by rich, concentrated and ripe aromas and flavors of blackcurrants, toasted spice, licorice and roasted herbs. This big, mouth-filling and structured 2015 will need to be forgotten for 3-4 years and will have two decades of overall longevity.

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**2015 Domaine Chante Cigale Chateauneuf du Pape Blanc**

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Made from equal parts Bourboulenc, Clairette, Grenache Blanc and Roussanne, the 2015 Châteauneuf du Pape Blanc is a beauty!

Medium-bodied, fresh, elegant and nicely balanced, it sports a very light color, yet has impressive intensity in its crisp peach, spice and mint aromas and flavors. It's a touch fleeting, so drink up.

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