

## Rhône 2009 - a guide

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**24 Nov** - *tasting notes have been updated with Bibendum's exclusive offerings.*

Here's a guide to our extensive coverage of the potentially very exciting 2009 vintage in the Rhône Valley, where the north in particular produced very exciting quality quite consistently and where the south has also yielded some exceptional, and some very uncomfortable- tasting, wines.

See below\* for a list of UK merchants known to be making special Rhône 2009 offers.

The beautiful autumn landscape in the southern Rhône was photographed by Michel Blanc of Maison des Vignerons Châteauneuf- du- Pape.

Northern Rhône 2009 overview (to be published early Jan 2011)

[More Rhône 2009s - affordable Chapoutier](#) (30 Nov)

[Southern Rhône 2009 overview](#) (20 Nov)

[Northern Rhône 2009](#) (19 Nov, updated 24 Nov)

[Rest of Southern Rhône 2009](#) (18 Nov, updated 24 Nov)

[Châteauneuf- du- Pape 2009 - reds](#) (17 Nov)

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### \* UK merchants making offers of 2009 Rhônes

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