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DOMAINE DES FLORETS

2011 Domaine des Florets Gigondas

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A blend of 80% Grenache, 10% Syrah, and 10% Mourvedre that is aged all in tank and bottled early, the 2011 Domaine des Florets Gigondas is a fresh, charming effort that has an upfront, 'drink me now' feel. Showing loads of loamy earth, mineral, and pepper notes that are intermixed with plenty of spice, meat juice, and darker styled fruits, this medium-bodied, textured, and softly fruited 2011 has good freshness and a clean finish. It should be enjoyed over the coming 5-6 years. **(89 pts.)**