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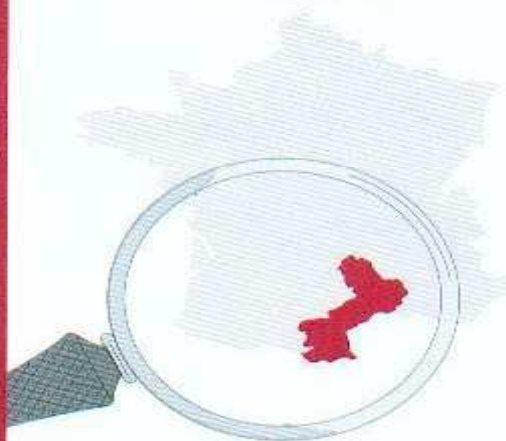
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**RHONE, PROVENCE, LANGUEDOC,
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Languedoc on the move

The most dynamic wine region in France

By David Cobbold

Languedoc will continue to surprise us

The examples above are not enough to fairly represent the qualitative revolution under way in the region. The diversity of styles the region is capable of is really quite surprising with all its various natural conditions and the climate, which is more constant and sunnier than other French regions. Young winegrowers and dealers, not always with great financial means, like Daniel Le Comte des Floris, or Grégory Hecht and François Bannier (H&B), continue to prove this year in year out. The arrival of numerous investors, which James Lawther talks about in his article (p.22), is also a sign of recognition. Languedoc will continue to surprise us, even if all is not perfect. But does perfection exist anywhere?