**Region:** Provence

Sleeps: 10 Bedrooms: 5



### **Overview**

A magnificent wine-making Domaine tucked away in the heart of Provence and one of the region's most prestigious holiday destinations. Sitting in 45 hectares of its own vines and 150 acres of private forest, the Domaine is nestled in the foothills of the Dentelles de Montmirail, complete with a working vineyard and a 9th-century priory. Perfect destination for hosting weddings and other celebrations. Very large  $10 \times 20$  metres heated, fenced swimming pool, jacuzzi and hard tennis court. Air conditioning. Fully serviced. Chef and sous-chef, majeure d'homme and a house manager included. Customised service tailored to your wishes. No extra charges.4 suites +1 bedroom to accommodate up to 10 people. 5 bathrooms. Can also be rented as 7 bedrooms to take up to 18. Please enquire as to rates.

## **Description**

Domaine de Dentelles is a magnificent wine-making Domaine tucked away in the heart of Provence. The estate is set in a mountain valley with panoramic views of Mont Ventoux, surrounded by olive groves, apricot orchards and lavender fields, yet only fifteen minutes from the market town of Vaison-la-Romaine. We believe this to be one of the most prestigious holiday destinations in Provence.

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A perfect destination for hosting weddings, the owners of this spectacular vacation rental offer a bespoke service developed specifically for your wedding or special occasion requirements.

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Great, private tennis court.

#### Indoor Facilities:

Air Con, Central Heating, Electric Heating in all Bedrooms, Hair Dryers, Iron, Tumble Dryer, Washing Machine, CD Player, DVD Player, Games, Home Cinema, Integrated sound system, iPod Docking Station, Selection of DVDs, Tuned Piano, Internet, Wi-Fi, TV, 2 Baby Cots

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5 bedrooms - king sized beds or twins5 en suite bath or shower rooms

### **More Info**

Excellent private tennis court.

### Spa Facilities:

Spa treatments (additional cost)

#### Outdoor Facilities:

Garden, Garden Furniture, Parasols, Patio, Sunloungers, Terrace, Terrace Furniture, Private Parking, Bikes, Boules/Pétanques, Children's Play Area

#### Additional Features:

6 Bicycles, Chef (additional rate), Childcare (additional rate), Gym, Landscaped Grounds, Property Manager, Rural Views, Safe, Tennis, Weddings, Weekly Linen Change, Wine Cellar

#### Swimming Pool:

 $10 \times 20$  metres Swimming Pool, Jacuzzi, Complies with Safety Standards, Exclusive Private Use, Fence, Heated pool

#### Parking:

Parking for 14+ cars

### **Features**

- Aircon
- WiFi Internet
- Heatable Pool
- Winter Heating
- Golf Course Nearby
- Games Room
- Wellness/Gym facilities
- Tennis Court
- Private Pool

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hand made chocolates....from one end of the meal to the other! Local wineproducers offer tastings and the bric-a-brac dealers enjoy telling their stories. The town is full of all types of restaurants and shops.

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## **Photos**

























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