

BOURGOGNE HAUTES-CÔTES DE BEAUNE

Chardonnay

UIN DE BOURGOGNE BOURGOGNE HAUTES-CÔTES DE BEAUNE Appellation Bourgogne Hautes-Côtes de Beaune Contrôlée Chardonnay 2022

KNOW-HOW

Grape variety :	100% Chardonnay
Terroir :	Clay-limestone, white marls, with surface limestone rocks
Vines:	On hillsides, light chalky slopes, east / south-east exposure
Viticulture:	Guyot pruning style, mechanical soils labour, reasoned fight
Harvest:	Mechanical: sorted on the plot with optical sorting system
	Second sorting by hand at the winery on sorting table
Winemaking:	Whole bunches are directly pressed, slowly, without sulfites
	A cold slow-settling at 8°C for 24h in stainless steel vat, after light sulfur additions
	Alcoholic fermentation with indigenous yeasts
	Slow malolactic fermentation
Aging on lees :	9 months to a year in stainless steel vats
	Regular and gently stirring for more yeasts expression in suspension
	One racking following the end of fermentations, during the spring
	Wines under CO2 for keeping wines freshness.
	Light Kieselghur filtration before bottling.

TASTING NOTES

With gold-green highlights, the nose expresses aromas of white flowers. It also suggests floral honey.

The palate is elegant and straightforward. The freshness and minerality of Chardonnay are combined with a touch of light roundness, making it fruity and light.

POTENTIAL: Between 1 and 4 years. More lively in its youth, it will become rounder with time.

FOOD PAIRINGS: Best served between 10 and 12°C.

In his yo, it is a perfect match with parsleyed snails, terrines or even parsleyed ham. As it matures, it goes better with spicier dishes and in sauces (Blanquette de veau), as well as with cooked fish and poultry (Poulet au citron). For cheeses, we prefer Chaource, Bleu de Bresse and cooked cheeses (Comté).

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