



# Emblematic of the appellation, this white Sancerre develops a delicate nose of citrus and white-fleshed fruits, a chiselled and intense mouth, and a persistent and appetizing finish.

# SANCERRE BLANC « Les Baronnes »

TERROIR: Chalky clay

BEST SERVED AT: 10-12°C (50-53°F)

AGEING POTENTIAL: 4-5 years

#### VITICULTURE & TERROIR

- Vines grown on a terroir of clay (65%) and limestone (35%), on the hills between Chavignol and Sancerre
- The limestone gives the wine its backbone, while the clay gives it flesh
- Deliberately low yields, with high density growing and grassing of the inter-rows
- · Use of organic fertilizers only

### WINEMAKING

- Gentle pressing as soon as the harvest is picked to preserve the aromatic potential of the grapes
- Fermentation in temperaturecontrolled stainless steel vats at 15-18°C (59-64°F)
- Aged for 5 months on its lees before bottling

### **PAIRING**

A delight at the beginning of a meal, « Les Baronnes » is also excellent with fish and seafood.

Our gastronomic suggestions

- Scallops with mango emulsion;
- Sea bass roll with curry;
- A goat cheese (Crottin de Chavignol)

#### **TASTING**

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Nose Citrus fruits, white-fleshed

fruits

Palate Chiselled and full-bodied,

with a crisp fruitiness and a

persistent finish

A wine that offers very fine aromas of white-fleshed fruits and citrus fruits with a seductive intensity. This white Sancerre is distinguished by its typicity, its high expression of Sauvignon blanc and its ideally exposed limestone-clay terroir.

## **AWARDS & ACCOLADES**

2021	Decanter	90 pts
2020	Wine Spectator	90 pts
2020	Loire Buyers' Selection	93 pts
2019	Bacchus	90 pts
2019	Decanter	Bronze
2018	Wine Advocate	87 pts
2018	Wine Spectator	88 pts
2017	Decanter	96 pts
2017	Wine Spectator	92 pts TOP 100
2016	Wine Advocate	90 pts
2016	Wine Enthusiast	89 pts

