



## Montrachet Grand Cru

### Louis Latour

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| Vintage           | 2020           |
| Country of Origin | France         |
| Region            | Côte de Beaune |
| Grape varieties   | Chardonnay     |

#### Wine description

The Grand Cru vineyard of Montrachet lies between the picturesque villages of Puligny-Montrachet and Chassagne-Montrachet, home to the world's greatest white wines. This fantastic vineyard enjoys a gentle easterly facing slope which catches the sun on summer evenings late into the day. The terroir is made up of a deep, gravelly soil which has a limestone base which are ideal for the cultivation of Chardonnay vines. Using traditional fermentation techniques and around 12 months ageing in Louis Latour oak barrels, the resulting wine is ripe with apricot, pear and honey notes and a fine balance between the alcohol and the acidity.

#### Tasting note

Richness, finesse and complexity characterise this wine. On the nose vanilla and freshly peeled almonds aromas are followed by a finely structured palate, with stone fruits, almonds and toasted bread. A very long aromatic persistence and a nice note of salinity on the finish.

#### Vineyard information

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| Average vine age         | 45 years old                      |
| Soil composition         | Chalk, Gravel, Limestone          |
| Average yield (hl/ha)    | 35 hl/ha                          |
| Harvest type             | Hand picked                       |
| Environmental management | Sustainable - ISO 14001 certified |

#### Winemaking information

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| Fermentation vessel  | French oak barrels            |
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| Maturation time      | 10 to 12 months               |
| Fining/clarification | Yes - Bentonite (mineral)     |
| Filtration           | Yes                           |