



Louis Latour Agencies

Viré-Clessé

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Vintage	2013
Country of Origin	France
Region	Mâconnais
Grape varieties	Chardonnay

Wine description

Viré-Clessé lies in the north of Mâconnais between the towns of Tournus and Mâcon. It is one of Burgundy's newest appellations and was formed to bring together the villages of Viré and Clessé which until 1999 bottled their wines as Mâcon-Clessé and Mâcon-Viré. Viré-Clessé chardonnay's are distinctly different from the southern Mâconnais appellations such as Pouilly-Fuissé and Saint Véran offering fresh, delicate wines with floral and herbaceous notes.

Tasting note

Sparkling a pale yellow color with flecks of green, this wine impresses by its aromatic nose. Typical aromas of white fruits such as pear mix perfectly with pleasant notes of honey and muscat. On tasting, it reveals a lovely freshness.

Vineyard information

Average vine age	25 years old
Soil composition	Clay and limestone
Average yield (hl/ha)	48 hl/ha
Harvest type	Machine harvested
Environmental management	Sustainable

Winemaking information

De-stemmed	Yes
Fermentation vessel	Stainless steel tanks
Maturation vessel	Stainless steel tanks
Maturation time	8-10 months
Finning/clarification	Yes - Bentonite (mineral)
Filtration	Yes

Wine Analysis

Alcohol by volume	13%
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