



Louis Latour Agencies

Bâtard-Montrachet Grand Cru

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Vintage	2009
Country of Origin	France
Region	Côte de Beaune
Grape varieties	Chardonnay

Wine description

The Grand Cru vineyard of Bâtard-Montrachet lies between the picturesque villages of Puligny-Montrachet and Chassagne-Montrachet, home to the world's greatest white wines. Only a small country lane separates this 12.37 hectare vineyard from the great Montrachet itself. Its gentle easterly-facing slope is made up of a deep, rich, gravelly soil which has a limestone base, world renowned for the production of high quality Chardonnay fruit.

Tasting note

This wine is pale yellow in colour. It shows complexity with a rounded nose of acacia flowers, honey and hazelnuts. On the palate it is discreet but rounded, boasting finesse and length. This Grand Cru will reveal its true character and charm if you wait and has great potential.

Vineyard information

Average vine age	40 years old
Soil composition	Gravel, limestone base
Average yield (hl/ha)	35 hl/ha
Harvest type	Hand picked
Environmental management	Sustainable - ISO 14001 certified

Winemaking information

De-stemmed	Yes
Fermentation vessel	French oak barrels
Fermentation	Full malolactic fermentation
Maturation vessel	French oak, Louis Latour cooperage (100% new)
Maturation time	8 to 10 months
Fining/clarification	Yes - Bentonite (mineral)
Filtration	Yes

Wine Analysis

Alcohol by volume	14%
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