



Chablis Grand Cru Les Clos Simonnet-Febvre

Vintage 2010

Country of Origin France

Region Chablis

Grape varieties Chardonnay

Wine description

The seven Chablis Grand Crus are all located on a continuous south west facing slope in the heart of the Chablis region. Les Clos is the largest of these vineyards covering approximately 25 hectares taking its name from the wall that once surrounded it. Its wines tend to be closed in their youth but develop considerable power and richness with time.

Tasting note

A balanced and highly concentrated wine which shows great potential for ageing. The nose is already quite rich with delicate stoned fruit aromas. These follow to the palate which has a broad mouthfeel and typical slightly honied ripe stoned fruit flavours. Still very youthful, this wine will develop further richness and open greatly with age. Best drunk between 5 and 12 years after vintage.

Vineyard information

Average vine age 35 to 40 years old

Soil composition Kimmeridgian Clay and Limestone

Average yield (hl/ha) 54 hl/ha
Harvest type Hand picked
Environmental management Sustainable

Winemaking information

Fermentation vessel 50% Stainless steel and 50% oak barrels Maturation vessel 50% Stainless steel and 50% oak barrels

Maturation time 15 to 18 months on fine lees

Finning/clarification Yes - Bentonite

Filtration Yes

Wine Analysis

Alcohol by volume 13%

