

Vignerons coopérateurs



STYLISH AND GENEROUS RED WINE

Mercurey 1er Cru

TASTING NOTES

Visual: Deep red colouring.

Nose: Aromas of red fruit with notes of undergrowth, coffee and cinnamon. **Palate:** Rich, juicy and concentrated and in the mouth with firm tannins.

WINE AND FOOD PAIRING

To accompany dishes such as cold cuts, couscous, tajine, red meats and desserts with red fruit.

For family occasions we typically serve it with duck breast and blackcurrants.

Serving temperature: 16-18°C.

WINEMAKING AND MATURING

Grape variety: Pinot Noir.

Vinification: Classic red wine vinification with long vatting times and gentle

pressing to protect the quality of the juice.

Maturing: In barrels to enhance structure and complexity.

THE TERROIR

The village of Mercurey is situated in the heart of the Côte Chalonnaise and is one of the largest winegrowing appellations of Burgundy. The vines grow at altitudes between 230 and 320 metres in limestone-marl soils on slopes facing the midday sun. Mercurey benefits from cooler climatic conditions than the Côte de Beaune, thus ripening is later but cellaring potential is very good.

DID YOU KNOW?

Although it was first declared an appellation in 1923, the origins of Mercurey lie much further back in history. In fact it was the Romans who planted the first vines in the area. They also built a temple dedicated to Mercury, who, in addition to his role as the messenger of the gods of ancient Rome, was also the god of commerce and travel.



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The legendary little knight character that appears on our bottles and on all our branding truly captures the essence of La Burgondie. Courageous, confident and loyal. We are a forward-thinking, like-minded group of individuals who are fiercely proud of our Burgundian roots, our beautiful region and our wines. Passion, solidarity and centuries of expertise has brought us together in a collective effort to bring you the best that our beautiful region has to offer. Our wines, produced using environmentally friendly farming methods, are evocative of our hard-working co-operative-winemaker families who give their all, and have done so for generations. It's our way of life in a glass.

Grands vins de Bourgogne