

## Brut, Crémant de Bourgogne

Rebellious • Balanced • Sophisticated

Grape Variety: 50% Chardonnay & 50% Pinot Noir

Region: A.O.C. Burgundy

## Winemaking Notes:

- -Produced according to AOC regulations
- -aged in neutral oak barrels for six months
- -aged for more than three years on lees
- -dosage 7g/L

Tasting Notes: The 2009 growing season in Burgundy was one of the best in recent memory. Warm to high temperatures during August and September delivered exceptional quality grapes at harvest. With a dazzling clear color, the JCB N° 8 has an expressive and rich nose. Characteristic of the 2009 vintage, the wine opens onto buttery notes before evolving towards aromas of delicate vanilla, oak and honey. The attack is clean, the structure crisp and bright. The finish is round and sustained, with notes of toast and fresh almond.

What The Number 8 Signifies: Harmonious, elegant and balanced...the quintessential harmony between Chardonnay and Pinot Noir. JCB  $N^{\circ}$  8 is the perfect equilibrium between the ultimate, most noble grapes from Burgundy. It is the yin and the yang, both sophisticated and complex.

This perfectly **BALANCED** blend of Pinot Noir and Chardonnay honors the long history of producing sparkling wine in Burgundy. **REBELLIOUS** by nature, Jean-Charles is well respected for making **SOPHISTICATED** and elegant bubbles.