

# **CLOS DE VOUGEOT GRAND CRU** 2020

#### THE VINE

## Our plots

**Total Surface:** 1.4137 ha

Clos Vougeot « Montiottes hautes »

Surface: 1.052 ha

Geographical situation: parcel at the top of the Clos de Vougeot, on a slight

slope (to the left of the alley leading to the château).

**Exposure**: East

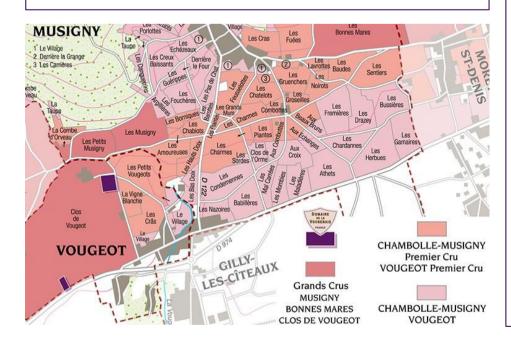
Plantings: 1946/1954/1981/1993/1994

Clos Vougeot « Baudes Saint-Martin »

**Surface**: 0.3617 ha

Geographical situation: parcel at the bottom of the Clos de Vougeot.

Exposure: East Plantings: 1985/1986



#### Our vines

Grape variety: 100% Pinot Noir

Soil and subsoil: pure silt, very pebbly, calcareous particularly at the top of the slope.

Planting density: 10 000 vines/ha

**Rootstock:** 40% of massal selection in the higher parcel and only clones in the lower parcel.

**Organic agriculture**: since 1998. Official approval Ecocert®: 1999. Biodynamics: 2001.

Pruning: Guyot

**Vineyard news**: Ullage planted out. Earthing-up of the vines in winter. Spraying of nettle and rhubarb, horsetail, yarrow, tansy, comfrey tea during each treatment. Biodynamic preparations 500 and 501 at the end of the winter and of 501 in spring before the flower. Suckers removed in spring.

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#### THE WINE

### Vinification

Harvest date: August 24th 2020 and September 1st 2020 (flower days). Selection: hand-sorted in the vineyard and on arrival in the winery. Yield: 40 hl /ha

48% of whole grapes, not crushed and vatted by gravity. No yeast addition. Gravity vated.

Maceration: pre-fermentation, cold (12-15°C) for 5 days.

Length of maceration: 22 days.

Light pumping-over until the end of the vatting time.

Pressing with the vertical press.

## Ageing

Length: 16 months
Type: in barrels.
Percentage of new barrels: 28 %
Toasting: long and slow.
Source of wood: Cher, Tronçais and Citeaux.
News barrels racked.
Light and soft filtration. No fining.

## **Bottling**

February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022 for magnums and jéros (fruit day) February 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022 for bottles (fruit day) Limited to 5936 bottles, 570 magnums, 30 jeroboams. (0)

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