



PATRIARCHE

BEAUNE-FRANCE
1780

CHABLIS

- Region **Chablis**
- Village **Chablis**
- Appellation **Chablis**
- Varietal **Chardonnay**



VINIFICATION AND VINTAGE

Traditional vinification by soft pressing of destemmed chardonnay bunches. The alcoholic fermentation is carried out in thermo-regulated stainless steel tanks (freshness and fruit), followed by a post alcoholic fermentation racking. Finally, the wine is aged in stainless steel tanks to preserve its freshness and minerality.

2021 was marked by frost in April which severely impacted the future harvest. It was also a rainy year and globally cooler than recent trends. Fortunately, the lull in June allowed flowering to take place unhindered and véraison was good thanks to fine weather from mid-August onwards. Volumes were exceptionally low, with under one million hectoliters, but the winegrowers, who worked hard to the very end sorting the grapes both in the vineyard and in the winery, have produced fine wines reminiscent of older vintages, with degrees close to those of the 1990s. In the end, the 2021 vintage offers lively wines with delicate aromas that can be enjoyed in their youth.

TASTING NOTES



Pale yellow colour with green reflection.



Lemony and mineral notes on the nose.



Fresh and elegant on the palate with a lovely length.
Rich and harmonious finish.

SERVING SUGGESTIONS



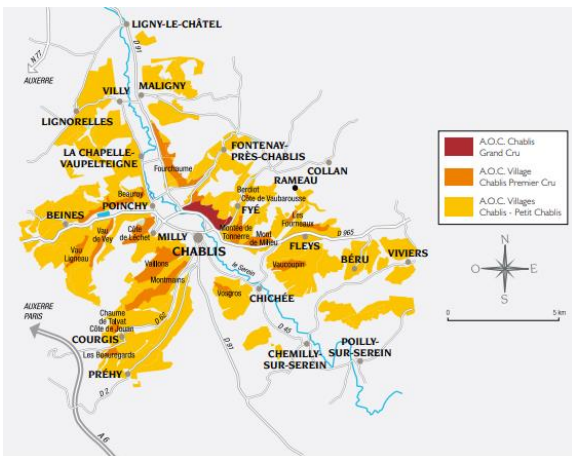
Ideal with starters and fish.



10°C-12°C.



3 years.



THE VINEYARD

The Chablis region is the northernmost wine district of the Burgundy region in France. It is spread on 4000 hectare where Chardonnay is the only grape used to produce the Chablis Appellation d'origine contrôlée. There, the Chardonnay varietal gives results in Chablis unlike anywhere else. It draws its personality and character from a subsoil that is 150 million years old, and ripens in ideal conditions, in a semi-continental climate, which allow it to attain a good balance between sugar levels and acidity.

Since 1780, Patriarche has been the ambassador of the richesse and reputation of the terroirs and vintages of Bourgogne. As négociant-éleveur, Patriarche's scope of action is large: it starts with the supervision of the plots and selecting grapes and continues by vinifying and maturing the wines. It is during the ageing process that the wines develop their entire potential, substance and structure. All of these stages, give the style, the identity and the signature of the great house of Patriarche. Today 3 million bottles are ageing in Patriarche's cellars.