

Mercurey Rouge Maison Olivier Chanzy 2022



Region

This region includes the southern Burgundian vineyards of Givry, Mercurey, Rully and Montagny which are all close to the town of Chalon just 30 minutes south of Beaune in the heart of Burgundy. Very rural and unspoilt these vineyards are planted with Chardonnay & Aligote for whites and Pinot Noir for reds. The soils are a mix of limestone, schist and clay, and when combined with a warmer climate than Burgundies from further North the wines have a fuller, riper character. These excellent wines generally offer attractive early drinking, that are often a great taste of `Classic Red & White Burgundy`.

Producer

Located in the heart of Burgundians Grands Crus, Olivier Chanzy's house is situated at the heart of Meursault, in a wine growers building dating back to the 19th century in the town of Mazeray. Olivier is the son of the former owners of the Chanzy estate in Bouzeron, after several experiences around the world, Olivier decided to create his own project. The cellar is very modern designed for working on the wine as much as possible by gravity in order to avoid any mechanical intervention. Each appellation is carefully vinified and aged in stainless steel tanks and oak barrels for a period of 12 months for white wines and 18 months for red wines. Maison Olivier Chanzy is picking up an exciting reputation for crafting very high quality wines from the Cotes d'Or.

Tasting Notes

Producing the largest volume of wine in the Cote Chalonnaise, Mercurey has a reputation for fantastic quality and rich, fruity red wines. Chanzy takes the grapes for this Mercurey Rouge from limestone rich soils grown at an altitude of 250-300m. Lightly oaked in French barrels, this wine is deep in colour and shows rich cherry and raspberry notes on the nose. The oak aging helps to build structure and softens the tannins of the wine which are well integrated, leading through to a well-rounded fruit profile on the palate and a lasting finish.

Food

Will serve well with red meat dishes such as Boeuf Bourguignon or delicate cheeses.

Technical Information

Country	France
Region	Chalonnaise
Grape(s)	Pinot Noir (100%)
Type	Red
Style	Smooth
Oaked Style	Lightly oaked
Body Style	Medium bodied
Sustainable	No

Dry/Sweet Style	Not applicable	
Alcohol Content	13%	
Closure Style	Cork	
Organic/Biodynamic	No	
Allergens	Milk:	No
	Egg:	No
Vegetarian/Vegan	Vegetarian:	Yes
	Vegan:	Yes



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