

## À EPERNAY - FRANCE

# CUVEE COMTE DE MARNE ROSE

A gastronomic rosé!



# Winemaking

### Blend\*

70% Chardonnay, 30% Pinot Noir, from the first presses of the Grand Cru terroirs of the Montagne de Reims « Louvois, Bouzy» and the Côte des Blancs « Avize, Cramant, Chouilly ». A blend of one single year's harvest.

#### Vinification

Manual picking and selection of the best grapes from Grand Cru classified terroirs, which achieves the desired balance. Slow and gradual pressing of whole bunches near the vineyard plots to extract the best juices, the "cuvée" juices; guaranteeing optimum quality. Minimalist vinification in thermo-regulated stainless steel vats in small containers in order to respect the typicity of each terroir. These terroirs are then assembled with care in order to obtain generous wines full of liveliness. Malolactic fermentation to allow the aromas to gain in complexity. The still red wine of Pinot Noir comes from an emblematic village: Bouzy, classified Grand Cru. Obtained by maceration and incorporated at 5 to 8% in the blend to obtain a delicately tinted rosé. The role of the dosage at 7g / L is to create an exceptional balance combining complexity and structure.

## Ageing

Aged in the obscurity of our cellars, at a constant temperature of  $12^{\circ}$ C for 24 to 48 months.

# **Tasting Note**

#### Aspect

Delicate rose petal pink. Persistent mousse and a chain of fine bubbles.

#### Nose

A rich nose of intense red fruit, wild cherry, black cherry, wild strawberry, intermingled with acacia blossom and lightly buttery, toasty notes.

#### Palate

An elegant evolution that marries the structure and the smoothness of Pinot Noir with the freshness of Chardonnay. A pure, full-bodied style of excellent balance and persistence.

# **Food/Wine Pairings**

For epicureans this is the perfect gastronomic champagne to accompany the most refined cuisine.

\* The composition of the blend may evolve depending on the vintage.



# Awards 2014-2021

2021 95 pts / 100 at Catavinum WWSC

2020 93 pts /100 at Gilbert & Gaillard Challenge 16 pts / 100 at Gault & Millau Guide Silvert Medal IWSC

## 2019

92/100 at Wine Enthusiast competition 92/100 at Wine & Spirits competition Silver Medal at international de Lyon competition

#### 2017

Gold Medal Gilbert et Gaillard Silver Medal « Outstanding » IWSC

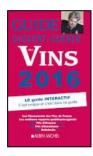
**2016** Selected Guide Dussert-Gerber 2016

# 2015

Silver Medal at Mondial de Bruxelles One star Guide des vins « Un Vin Presque Parfait » 2015 92/100 Gilbert et Gaillard 2017 Selected: 14.5 / 20 Guide Bettane et Desseauve 2015 Selected Guide Hachette des Vins 2015 Recommended Guide Dussert-Gerber des Vins

## 2014

Gold Medal Gilbert et Gaillard Gold Medal Concours International de Lyon Recommended Guide Dussert-Gerber des Vins STIONNE MAR IN COLOR



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