

Domaine Gerard Fiou – Le Grand Roc | Sancerre France (LOIRE) – 2022

Domain

Dom. Gerard Fiou

Domaine Gérard Fiou is a historic domain located in the Sancerre AOP, located in Saint-Satur, a small village. Domaine Gérard Fiou is a private family estate that was founded by the ancestors of Gérard Fiou. Today, the wine estate, 10 hectares in size and with 100% silex substrate, is entirely in the hands of the Bourgeois family.

Vinification

This special cuvée comes from an optimally south/southwest-facing vineyard with 60-year-old vines. What makes this cuvée unique is the aging process, which takes place partly in cement and stainless steel tanks, and partly in new oak barrels. The wine matures for 10 months on its lees, with regular manual intervention.

Taste

This wine boasts intense aromas of flint and vanilla, complemented by richer notes from its wood aging. It is both harmonious and concentrated. On the palate, the powerful roundness from the oak harmonizes with the lively, playful character of Sauvignon Blanc. The result is a fresh wine with a rich yet delicate flavor, perfectly balanced and poised for further aging.

Food pairing

Fish - turbot | Cheese - goatcheese, Crottin de Chavignol | Lobster - grilled | Crustacea

General information

Type: White wine

Grape varieties: Sauvignon blanc (100%)

Viticulture: Traditional

Storage (years): + 5-7

Serving temperature: 10-12 °C

Taste profile: Mineral acidic

