

Tradition Blanc 2021, A.O.C. Châteauneuf-du-Pape

Blend

Historical Cuvée of the Domaine produced since the XVII century with White Grenaches from « the Crau plateau », Clairettes, Roussanes, Bourboulencs, Picpouls, from the « Vallon de la Solitude ».

- 40% Roussanne
- 35% Clairette
- 20% Grenache blanc
- 5% Bourboulenc

Winemaking and Aging

The harvest is done by hand early in the morning in 25 kg crates. The grapes are pressed after short skin maceration.

Fermentation and aging are done in barrels for Roussanne, and Grenache Blanc. Clairette, Bouboulenc and Picpoul are co-fermented in vats. The malolactic fermentation is carried out on the Roussanne. This year 10% of the blend is vinified by long maceration, which means that those white grapes were vinified like red grapes.

This wine is aged for 40% in barrels, on lees, for 10 months

The vintage 2021

Yield of 33 hl / ha, 10000 bottles produced.

Tasting notes

Complex nose of pineapple, peach and brioche. Mouth combines liveliness and smoothness with notes of citrus, candied melons and flowers and a very mineral finish.

Food pairing

Eggs with truffles, grilled fish or fish in sauce, fish tagine, oysters au gratin, lobster, capon with cream and yellow wine, ceviche.

Recommendations:

• Drink now and until 2030

• serving temperature: 10 to 12°C



Rewards

Jed Dunnuck 93/100

Stone fruits, bright citrus, and a touch of pineapple all emerge from the 2021 Châteauneuf Du Pape Blanc, another juicy, vibrant, perfectly balanced white from this talented team. This shows the purity of the vintage yet also brings rock-solid ripeness, texture, and length.

James Suckling 93/100

Fresh white peach, grapefruit and white flower aromas plus a touch of toasty character from barrel aging. Quite a bold and smoky palate with pronounced tannins and a touch of freshness at the finish. A cuvee of grenache, 35% clairette, 40% roussanne, 20% grenache blanc and 5% bourboulenc. 60% barrel fermented and aged, and 40% in tank. From organically grown grapes. Drink or hold.