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# Burgundy 2022 En Primeur



The view looking East from Domaine Felettig, Chambolle-Musigny.

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# Vintage Report

Listed below is a guide to the vintage, some musings, general steers and a lowdown on the wines and growers in 2022:

## **As good as it gets...?**

After the travails of 2021, this latest vintage is a gift to both buyers and to the vigneron who have fashioned these incredible wines. After coining my vintage report '*The good the bad and the ugly*' in 2021, then surely 2022 deserves to be '*As good as it gets*'...

2022 is that rare thing, a Burgundian vintage that is equal parts (relatively) bountiful, consistent across both reds and whites, and most importantly, very high quality. It also heralds the return of the *new normal* (again), in the form of hot and dry vintage conditions, following the unique, frost damaged aberration that was 2021.

## **The vintage, growing season & wines.**

The year started out with relatively mild temperatures. However, crucially there wasn't any repeat of unseasonably high temperatures in early spring which were the root cause of so many woes in 2021, accelerating budbreak in the vines (especially Chardonnay) ahead of the guillotining action of a cold snap and frost. That said, things did get perilously close in early April, putting the whole of the wine growing community on heightened alert. Thankfully temperatures didn't drop to the levels seen in 2021, and bar localised incidents in the Côte de Beaune and up in Chablis, the region escaped largely unscathed. However, this again articulates the razor-edged margins Burgundian vigneron exist within in their annual pursuit of greatness.

The late spring and summer was generally warm and dry, recording higher than average temperatures, albeit without the significant spikes seen in 2018-20 or even 2003. Flowering commenced towards the end of May under fine conditions and signalled initially towards a healthy crop. Significantly, the region then saw generous rainfall in June (circa a month's worth in an hour!), which in turn helped consolidate the water reserves for many vineyards and set the vines up until harvest. Jean-Michel Chartron even remarked to us that the rain '*saved the vintage*'...It should be noted though that Gevrey Chambertin and the northern end of the Côte de Nuits took the brunt and were overly replenished! Many vineyards were left literally swamped, resulted in standing water, and even mud slides in the village itself. By and large though, this was the only real 'gulp' moment, and didn't dramatically affect the overall picture.

As harvest approached, many vigneron remarked to us how healthy the vines and fruit were. Most commenced picking relatively early, around the end of August in the Côte de Beaune and slightly later (late August/early September) in the Côte de Nuits and up in Chablis. The conditions for picking were practically perfect throughout the harvest, which had the knock-on effect of helping planning by providing the largest possible window for picking. This is highly conducive to a relaxed and measured plot-by-plot picking schedule (no scrambling to beat the rain this year!). The fruit once picked and inspected was indeed some of the healthiest seen in recent years – in both quantity and quality. The yields were in modern day terms comparatively generous, with most reporting figures of circa 40-45 hl/ha.

Even at this early juncture, hopes were high for both precious volume and quality in 2022.

To capitalise on the bounty of the vintage, many vigneron talked of practising subtlety in the winery, with the aim of seeking out elegance in the finished wines. Gentle extractions, or infusions, being the order of the day again. Equally, in stark comparison to 2021, growers had the confidence to increase levels of whole bunch fermentation, whereas others, including the likes of Etienne Grivot, were staunch de-stemmers. It is, as ever, a divisive subject, both with vigneron themselves and among those of us tasting. It has to be said we came across fine examples in both camps, and for those that did there was great balance and terroir definition apparent. Ultimately, 2022 is a year where both approaches have in the main worked, and surely what makes Burgundy special is that growers have different approaches and produce different styles of wines. We love Burgundy wines for this precise reason – they are not homogenised!

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Is 2022 comparable to another? We often find it awkward asking, and growers seem to find it awkward answering...

It's fair to say that 2022 is hard to pin down. However, there is general feeling now that the region, growers and even vines have become more adept at dealing with the increased range of extremes in the growing season than at any point in their shared recent history. Across examples we tasted, the 2022 vintage has aided locking in such freshness and balance across both reds and whites. You almost need to pinch yourself when you consider that it was such a warm year! Furthermore, in comparison to the recent 'solar' vintages (2018, 2019 & 2020) the alcohol levels are reassuringly lower, with the vast majority hovering between 12.5-13.5%.

**I'd venture 2022 is quite possibly the greatest success seen across the board since the outset of the solar vintages in 2018. Interestingly, I'd also find it hard to choose between reds or whites this year.**

Stylistically, these are some of the most outright pleasurable young red and whites we have come across in recent years. These will be a joy to uncork. In many cases, the wines are both accessible and pleasing to the purists amongst you: freshness, balance and polish are three words that sum up many of these young wines.

The reds are textbook Pinot Noir, with beautiful dancing red fruits dominating the tasting spectrum. The whites meanwhile show off classical orchard and stone fruit characteristics, generally without veering into the baked and tropical. Both colours will prove to be tantalising in their youth, but equally, many have the bones to cellar for a significant time, and in the finest cases will become benchmark wines for the region.

Yet, most pleasingly of all - these are wines that sing of their ancient terroir, and thus could be nothing else but Burgundian.

## **Conclusion**

As to the market, it is no secret that Burgundy prices have ratcheted up over the past decade. The good news is that in 2022, producers have largely maintained their 2021 prices. Just bear in mind, this is Burgundy! This means that even in a relatively bumper harvest such as 2022, the quantities produced are still, in many respects, miniscule. Then add to the equation global demand from the established markets (such as us in the UK & the US), and rampant thirst from the new (South America, Asia etc.) – and you have a situation where demand far outstrips supply. Thus, I'd strongly urge you take the opportunity to purchase whilst the wines are available. This is not hyperbolic, just the new reality.

What about the quality? As has been underlined, there is huge potential across the board when considering the wines and the stories they will undoubtedly tell over the coming decade, or even decades. Equally, across the appellations there is great consistency and furthermore, we are noticing that the quality gulf between the established order and those 'off the beaten track' is narrowing. There is great wine to be had even at the Bourgogne or village level, making this an excellent vintage to discover a new grower or new wines.

In many ways, these wines are a dream and are everything that one looks for in Burgundy. They are most timely, in tune, and in very much in balance.

Personally, I'll be buying across the board this year, and highly recommend you do the same.

Dan Curtis, UK Fine Wine Manager

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# Vintage Tips & Recommendations

## **Appellation & producers to consider:**

### **Chablis**

A special mention firstly for Chablis. In my view, there is nowhere producing wines with such good price versus quality in Burgundy.

We were smitten with the wines when we visited, and in 2022 they have achieved a great alchemy of rounded, balanced wines, all whilst maintaining that special steely Chablis character. Is it Chablis like it used to be? This is the question often asked, and one that is hard to answer. If pushed, it has probably evolved somewhat into a slightly riper, rounded style. However, be in no doubt that these are sensational in 2022.

### **Producers to look out for:**

**Samuel Billaud**  
**William Fèvre**  
**Domaine des Malandes**  
**Domaine Servin**

### **The Mâconnais**

We visited the Mâconnais for the first time on an en primeur buying trip. After a tip off from Marc Buffet in Volnay, we headed to see The Bret Bros, who have forged a serious reputation over the past twenty years and are now one of the leading lights of the region with their Domaine offerings under the La Soufrandière label. These are angular, taut and highly terroir focussed. Equally, they benefit from some superb old vines, which add great depth and complexity. Highly recommended.

### **Producers to look out for:**

**La Soufrandière (Bret Brothers)**

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## **Côte de Beaune – red and white**

2022 is a superb year to dive into the great whites on offer, but equally so the reds. I'd heartily recommend the very impressive Meursault producer Domaine Matrot. Their whites have gathered a huge reputation in recent years amongst the critics. However, from a value standpoint, and those looking for pure, tender examples of Pinot Noir, their reds are a no brainer. On the same front, Volnay's wonderful Domaine Joseph Voillot has pleasingly produced some of the best reds we came across.

### **Producers to look out for:**

**Domaine Jean Chartron (white)**  
**Domaine Antoine Jobard (white)**  
**Domaine Alain Chavy (White)**

**Domaine Matrot (red & white)**  
**Domaine Bachelet-Monnot (red & white)**  
**Domaine Dubreuil-Fontaine (red & white)**

**Domaine Joseph Voillot (red)**  
**Domaine François Buffet (red)**

## **Côte de Nuits**

We are incredibly lucky to get access to some of the top names of the rarefied postcodes that dot the Côte de Nuits. Of particular note, my tip would be both the Domaine and Négociant offerings from Drouhin-Laroze. This was one of the best tastings we had. Equally, I'm delighted to be able to offer a comprehensive selection (including all the Grands Crus) from the revered name that is Domaine Faiveley. Last but not least, our great friend in Chambolle-Musigny – Dominique Leguen (Domaine Hudelot-Baillet) has produced another vintage offering that surely now pits him amongst the very best in this exclusive village. Owing to our long-term support we now have one of the largest allocations in the world of this special producer – these are sensational wines.

### **Producers to look out for:**

**Domaine Faiveley (red & white)**  
**Domaine Drouhin-Laroze (red & white)**  
**Domaine Hudelot-Baillet (red & white)**

**Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini (Red)**  
**Domaine Jean Grivot (Red)**  
**Domaine Lamarche (Red)**  
**Domaine Henri Gouges (Red)**  
**Domaine Bertagna (Red)**

## **Beaujolais**

Finally, a special recommendation, coming from a little further south in the ascending, and still criminally undervalued **Beaujolais**.

When visiting Domaine des Malandes in Chablis, we also took the opportunity to taste with the revered Moulin-à-Vent vigneron Richard Rottiers. For those that don't know Richard, he is also the winemaker at Malandes (his family's original property). His fabulous Moulin-à-Vent wines are becoming some of the most sought after in the region, and I wouldn't hesitate to recommend to all levels and budgets of buyers. Tip - buy the village wines for earlier drinking, but the single vineyards have a decade of cellaring potential.

### **Producers to look out for:**

**Domaine Richard Rottiers**

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## What the critics say...

“I believe that the 2022s belong in any serious Burgundy collector’s cellar.”  
Allen Meadows, Burghound

“I cannot remember a Burgundy vintage that elicited so much joy from barrel.”  
Neal Martin, Vinous.com

“All other things being equal, I would recommend going large in 2022, large in the sense of a broad range because there are so many really good wines at all levels.”  
Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com

“They’re wines it’s hard not to love.”  
William Kelley

“The wines are very easy to taste and the reds especially real charmers.”  
Jancis Robinson, JancisRobinson.com

“Just how was it possible for the hottest vintage on record to produce such fresh and balanced wines? While it’s an overused word when it comes to describing vintages, in this case ‘miraculous’ wouldn’t be an exaggeration.”  
Allen Meadows, Burghound

“The 2022 vintage is Burgundy’s latest trick: a treasure trove of bright ‘n bushy-tailed whites and reds in a season that implied such wines would be impossible, wines predestined to give immense drinking pleasure.”  
Neal Martin, Vinous.com

“2022 is an amazingly consistent vintage. I tasted almost no poor wines. Everything was good to very good, with occasional touches of greatness.”  
Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com

“The 2022s have been a pleasure to taste, given their charming, harmonious style in both colors.”  
William Kelley

“A modern classic.”  
Allen Meadows, Burghound

“The Burgundy 2022 vintage defies all expectations. At best, it presents life-affirming, vivacious wines that leave you grinning like Cheshire cat.”  
Neal Martin, Vinous.com

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## Summary of Reds

Red Wine	AOC	Score	Case Price (IB)
Domaine Richard Rottiers	Moulin-à-Vent	91 NM	£175 per 12
Domaine Matrot Pinot Noir	Bourgogne	87-88 NM	£95 per 6
Domaine Jean-Jacques Girard	Savigny-Lès-Beaune	-	£190 per 12
Domaine Matrot	Maranges	90-92 NM	£100 per 6
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet	Bourgogne	89 NM	£200 per 12
Domaine Felettig	Bourgogne	84-86 NM	£105 per 6
Domaine Richard Rottiers 'Dernier Souffle'	Moulin-à-Vent	-	£105 per 6
Domaine Bachelet-Monnot	Bourgogne	87-89 JM	£215 per 12
Laroze de Drouhin Pinot Noir	Bourgogne	86-89 AM	£220 per 12
Domaine Joseph Voillot	Bourgogne	85 NM	£220 per 12
Domaine Jean Grivot	Coteaux Bourguignons	86-88 JM	£114 per 6
Domaine Richard Rottiers 'Champ de Cour'	Moulin-à-Vent	-	£115 per 6
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini	Bourgogne	86-88 AM	£140 per 6
Domaine Bachelet-Monnot 'La Fussière'	Maranges 1er Cru	90-92 NM	£295 per 12
Domaine Jean-Jacques Girard 'Les Peuillets'	Savigny-Lès-Beaune 1er Cru	-	£295 per 12
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet	Bourg-Hautes-Côtes de Nuits	90 NM	£155 per 3 x150cl
Domaine Faiveley 'La Framboisière'	Mercrey	89 AM	£312 per 12
Domaine Jean-Jacques Girard 'Clos du Roi'	Beaune 1er Cru	-	£325 per 12
Domaine Joseph Colin	Chassagne-Montrachet	-	£170 per 6
Laroze de Drouhin	Fixin	89-91 JM	£360 per 12
Domaine François Buffet	Volnay	90-92 NM	£204 per 6
Domaine Joseph Voillot	Volnay	85-87 NM	£205 per 6
Domaine François Buffet	Pommard	89-91 NM	£210 per 6
Domaine Joseph Voillot	Pommard	86-88 NM	£215 per 6
Domaine Matrot 'La Pièce sous le Bois'	Meursault-Blagny 1er Cru	92-94 NM	£240 per 6
Domaine Drouhin-Laroze 'Les Dix Climats'	Gevrey-Chambertin	90-91 JM	£245 per 6
Domaine Henri Gouges	Nuits-Saint-Georges	90-92 JM	£246 per 6
Domaine Felettig	Nuits-Saint-Georges	90-92 NM	£260 per 6
Domaine Faiveley Vieilles Vignes	Gevrey-Chambertin	-	£528 per 12
Domaine Henri Gouges 'Clos des Porrets'	Nuits-Saint-Georges 1er Cru	91-94 JM	£300 per 6
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet 'Vieilles Vignes'	Chambolle-Musigny	89-91 NM	£315 per 6
Domaine François Buffet 'Poutures'	Pommard 1er Cru	91-93 JM	£330 per 6
Domaine François Buffet 'Clos de la Rougeotte'	Volnay 1er Cru	91-93 JM	£330 per 6
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini 'Les Songes'	Gevrey-Chambertin	90-93 JM	£330 per 6
Domaine Joseph Voillot 'Champans'	Volnay 1er Cru	88-90 NM	£355 per 6
Domaine Joseph Voillot 'Caillerets'	Volnay 1er Cru	90-92 NM	£355 per 6
Domaine François Buffet 'Rugiens'	Pommard 1er Cru	93-95 NM	£375 per 6



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<b>Red Wine</b>	<b>AOC</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Case Price (IB)</b>
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet 'Charmes'	Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru	91-93 NM	£455 per 6
Domaine Henri Gouges 'Pruliers'	Nuits-Saint-Georges 1er Cru	92-94 JM	£462 per 6
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet 'Cras'	Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru	93-95 NM	£475 per 6
Domaine Joseph Voillot 'Pézerolles'	Pommard 1er Cru	87-89 NM	£495 per 6
Domaine Joseph Voillot 'Rugiens'	Pommard 1er Cru	88-90 NM	£495 per 6
Domaine Joseph Voillot 'Epenots'	Pommard 1er Cru	91-93 NM	£495 per 6
Domaine Felettig 'Les Combottes'	Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru	91-93 NM	£515 per 6
Domaine Felettig 'Les 4 Climats'	Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru	91-94 JM	£515 per 6
Domaine Felettig 'Gruenchers'	Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru	92-95 JM	£515 per 6
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini 'Les Goulots'	Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru	92-94 NM	£585 per 6
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini 'Les Perrières'	Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru	91-94 JM	£585 per 6
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini 'Les Millandes'	Morey-Saint-Denis 1er Cru	92-94 JM	£585 per 6
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini 'Champonnets'	Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru	93-95 JM	£615 per 6
Domaine Faiveley 'Cazetiers'	Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru	92-95 NM	£636 per 6
Domaine Henri Gouges 'Les Saint Georges'	Nuits-Saint-Georges 1er Cru	92-96 JM	£324 per 3
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet 'Bourniques'	Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru	91-93 NM	£330 per 3
Domaine Drouhin-Laroze	Clos Vougeot Grand Cru	95-97 NM	£440 per 3
Domaine Drouhin-Laroze	Chambertin-Clos de Bèze Grand Cru	94-96 NM	£550 per 3
Domaine Faiveley 'Clos des Cortons Faiveley'	Corton Grand Cru	94-96 (5*) JM	£1158 per 6
Domaine Faiveley	Charmes-Chambertin Grand Cru	-	£1206 per 6
Domaine Faiveley 'En Orveaux'	Echezeaux Grand Cru	93-96 JM	£1302 per 6
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini	Clos Saint Denis Grand Cru	94-97 JM	£725 per 3
Domaine Jean Grivot	Clos de Vougeot Grand Cru	94-96 NM	£765 per 3
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet	Bonnes Mares	93-95 NM	£900 per 3
Domaine Faiveley	Chambertin-Clos Bèze Grand Cru	93-95 NM	£1161 per 3

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## Summary of Whites

White Wine	AOC	Score	Case Price IB
Domaine Felettig Aligoté	Bourgogne	-	£70 per 6
Domaine des Malandes	Chablis	88 AM	£165 per 12
Domaine Alain Chavy	Bourgogne	15 JR	£170 per 12
Domaine Servin 'Vieilles Vignes Sélection Massale'	Chablis	90-92 NM	£180 per 12
Domaine Matrot Chardonnay	Bourgogne	89-91 (5*) JM	£95 per 6
Domaine Jean Chartron Chardonnay	Bourgogne	88 JM	£190 per 12
Domaine Felettig 'En Vallerot'	Bourg-Hautes-Côtes de Beaune	-	£105 per 6
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet	Bourg-Hautes-Côtes de Beaune	88 NM	£110 per 6
Samuel Billaud 'Bourgogne d'Or'	Bourgogne	87-89 JM	£110 per 6
Laroze de Drouhin Chardonnay	Bourgogne	87 NM	£225 per 12
Domaine Jean Chartron 'Montmorin'	Rully	88 JM	£225 per 12
Domaine Servin 'Vaucoupin'	Chablis 1er Cru	92 NM	£225 per 12
Domaine Servin 'Les Forêts'	Chablis 1er Cru	90-93 AM	£225 per 12
Domaine Servin 'Vaillons'	Chablis 1er Cru	90 AM	£230 per 12
Domaine Servin 'Montée de Tonnerre'	Chablis 1er Cru	91-93 AM	£230 per 12
Samuel Billaud	Petit Chablis	89 NM	£115 per 6
Domaine Henri Gouges Pinot Blanc	Bourgogne	89 JM	£120 per 6
Domaine William Fèvre	Chablis	89-92 (5*) JM	£120 per 6
Domaine La Soufrandière 'Clos de Grand-Père'	Mâcon-Vinzelles'	-	£252 per 12
Samuel Billaud 'Les Grands Terroirs'	Chablis	89-92 (5*) JM	£135 per 6
Domaine des Malandes 'Fourchaume'	Chablis 1er Cru	92 NM	£155 per 6
Domaine des Malandes 'Mont de Milieu'	Chablis 1er Cru	92 NM	£160 per 6
Domaine Bachelet-Monnot 'La Fussière' Blanc	Maranges 1er Cru	90-92 NM	£320 per 12
Domaine Jean Chartron	Savigny-Lès-Beaune	88-90 JM	£325 per 12
Domaine Antoine Jobard	Bourgogne	86-88 JM	£165 per 6
Domaine Joseph Colin 'Compendium'	Saint-Aubin	90 JM	£175 per 6
Domaine Méo-Camuzet 'Clos Saint Philibert'	Bourg-Hautes-Côtes de Nuits	85-87 NM	£204 per 6
Domaine La Soufrandière 'Les Quarts'	Pouilly-Vinzelles'	-	£231 per 6
Domaine Joseph Colin 'Les Champlots'	Saint-Aubin 1er Cru	88-91 JM	£235 per 6
Domaine Servin 'Blanchots'	Chablis Grand Cru	91-93 NM	£240 per 6
Domaine Servin 'Preuses'	Chablis Grand Cru	93-95 NM	£240 per 6
Domaine Alain Chavy	Puligny-Montrachet	15.5 JR	£250 per 6
Domaine Matrot	Meursault	90-92 NM	£255 per 6
Domaine Joseph Colin 'En Remilly'	Saint-Aubin 1er Cru	91-93 JM	£255 per 6
Samuel Billaud 'Montmains'	Chablis 1er Cru	92-94 NM	£255 per 6
Samuel Billaud 'Fourneaux'	Chablis 1er Cru	91-93 NM	£255 per 6
Domaine Jean Chartron 'Perrières'	Saint-Aubin 1er Cru	89-92 JM	£260 per 6
Domaine Bachelet-Monnot	Chassagne-Montrachet	91-93 NM	£275 per 6
Samuel Billaud 'Vaillons' Vieilles Vignes	Chablis 1er Cru	92-95 (5*) JM	£275 per 6

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White Wine	AOC	Score	Case Price IB
Domaine Alex Moreau 'Sur Gamay'	Saint-Aubin 1er Cru	91-93 NM	£285 per 6
Domaine Jean Chartron	Chassagne-Montrachet	88-91 JM	£285 per 6
Domaine Jean Chartron	Puligny-Montrachet	89-91 JM	£285 per 6
Domaine Bachelet-Monnot 'Clos du Cromin'	Meursault	90-92 NM	£295 per 6
Domaine Bachelet-Monnot	Puligny-Montrachet	90-92 NM	£295 per 6
Samuel Billaud 'Montée de Tonnerre'	Chablis 1er Cru	92-96 (5*) JM	£295 per 6
Domaine des Malandes 'Vaudésir'	Chablis Grand Cru	92 AM	£295 per 6
Domaine des Malandes 'Le Clos'	Chablis Grand Cru	93 AM	£310 per 6
Domaine Joseph Colin	Chassagne-Montrachet	89-91 JM	£330 per 6
Domaine William Fèvre 'Vaulorent'	Chablis 1er Cru	92-95 JM	£338 per 6
Domaine William Fèvre 'Montée de Tonnerre'	Chablis 1er Cru	93-95 (5*) JM	£348 per 6
Domaine Alex Moreau	Chassagne-Montrachet	91-94 (5*) JM	£360 per 6
Domaine Alain Chavy 'Clavoillons'	Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru	-	£385 per 6
Domaine Antoine Jobard	Meursault	90-92 NM	£390 per 6
Domaine Antoine Jobard 'Le Trézin'	Puligny-Montrachet	91-93 NM	£390 per 6
Domaine Alain Chavy 'Folatières'	Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru	17 JR	£395 per 6
Domaine William Fèvre 'Bougras'	Chablis Grand Cru	92-95 JM	£408 per 6
Domaine Matrot 'Blagny'	Meursault 1er Cru	89-91 NM	£425 per 6
Domaine Matrot 'Charmes'	Meursault 1er Cru	93-95 NM	£425 per 6
Domaine Joseph Colin 'Vide Bourse'	Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru	92-95 JM	£470 per 6
Domaine Faiveley 'Les Referts'	Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru	-	£516 per 6
Domaine William Fèvre 'Preuses'	Chablis Grand Cru	93-95 JM	£527 per 6
Domaine Matrot 'Perrières'	Meursault 1er Cru	95-97 NM	£575 per 6
Samuel Billaud 'Bougras'	Chablis Grand Cru	91-94 JM	£575 per 6
Domaine Alex Moreau 'Chenevottes'	Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru	91-94 JM	£600 per 6
Domaine William Fèvre 'Côte Bouguerots'	Chablis Grand Cru	95-98 (5*) JM	£645 per 6
Domaine Antoine Jobard 'Poruzots'	Meursault 1er Cru	92-94 NM	£720 per 6
Domaine Antoine Jobard 'Blagny'	Meursault 1er Cru	92-94 NM	£720 per 6
Domaine Jean Chartron	Corton-Charlemagne Grand Cru	92-95 JM	£1075 per 6
Domaine Jean Chartron	Bâtard-Montrachet Grand Cru	93-95 JM	£1800 per 6
Domaine Joseph Colin	Bâtard-Montrachet Grand Cru	95-97 JM	£1180 per 3

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## Domaine Antoine Jobard

Rue du Leignon, Meursault

*“Antoine Jobard had big shoes to fill following his father François, but this is a grower with the “touch” when it comes to Meursault.”*

Neal Martin



Antoine Jobard took over from his father François on his retirement twelve years ago, becoming the fifth generation to take charge of the Domaine. The 2011 vintage was the first time we had tasted chez Jobard and the wines hugely impressed. Since then the bar has been raised higher still each year. Here is a perfect example of the trend seen in Meursault over the last few years where the archetypal sweet-fruited, buttery, highly-oaked wines that dominate popular perception of the appellation have started to give way to wines that are more lightly oaked and earlier picked, keeping a tension and focus and allowing the terroir to better express itself. Jobard now produces "some of the most long lived Meursaults" (Andrew Jefford, The New France). The flavour profile too has shifted too, from tropical fruits to citrus.

While Jobard’s wines are notable for their wonderful freshness, it is interesting to note that Antoine himself told us he prefers hot vintages like 2022 to cool ones like 2021, valuing density over acidity. He sees 2022 ageing well—historically a strong point at this address.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Antoine Jobard	Bourgogne Blanc	White	86-88 JM	£165 per 6 IB
Domaine Antoine Jobard	Meursault	White	90-92 NM	£390 per 6 IB
Domaine Antoine Jobard ‘Le Trézin’	Puligny-Montrachet	White	91-93 NM	£390 per 6 IB
Domaine Antoine Jobard ‘Poruzots’	Meursault 1er Cru	White	92-94 NM	£720 per 6 IB
Domaine Antoine Jobard ‘Blagny’	Meursault 1er Cru	White	92-94 NM	£720 per 6 IB

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**Domaine Antoine Jobard  
Meursault**



**£390 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2030+  
Arriving Late 2024

**90-92 Jasper Morris**

**90-92 Neal Martin**

"Mid lemon and lime. The bouquet is not overtly weighty. The hillside vineyards and those below complement each other. There is certainly excellent energy beneath here, a fine thread to freshen the weight of white orchard fruit. Impeccable village Meursault. Drink from 2027-2034. Tasted: October 2023."

86-88 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Meursault Village, a blend of Jobard's lieux-dits, which has been the case for three vintages now, has a classic nose of orchard fruit, walnut and a touch of crushed stone. The palate is very well-balanced with a lime and citrus peel opening, crisp acidity and a little fatness towards the finish. Very fine."

90-92 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Antoine Jobard  
Le Trézín Puligny-Montrachet**



**£390 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2028+  
Arriving Late 2024

**89-91 Jasper Morris**

**91-93 Neal Martin**

"Light green tint to the lemon yellow. The nose is quite crisp though perhaps with a floral top note. An unexpected sucrosity in the middle of the palate, and a light oakiness to finish. Some precision in evidence despite the weight. Drink from 2027-2031. Tasted: October 2023."

89-91 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Puligny-Montrachet Le Trézín has an almost clinical, granite-scented bouquet, strict and slightly austere. The well-balanced palate has a taut entry, very pure and tensile, with flecks of tropical fruit decorating the persistent finish. What a lovely Puligny."

91-93 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Antoine Jobard  
'Poruzots'  
Meursault 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£720 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2030+  
Arriving Late 2024

**92-94 Jasper Morris**

**92-94 Neal Martin**

"Clear fresh colour. Some white fruit in the vineyard's more foursquare style. Then some sucrosity on the palate, as the fruit fills the mouth, all white fruit, a good broad base to make a wine of substance. A wine which can stand up to a richer sauce base cuisine. Drink from 2029-2036. Tasted: October 2023."

92-94 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Meursault Poruzots 1er Cru has a more candied bouquet than the Blagny, well-defined, hints of quince and lemon thyme merging with each swirl of the glass. The palate is beautifully balanced with a keen thread of acidity, quite tensile but discrete, with a touch of curry leaf on the finish prolonging the aftertaste. Superb."

92-94 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**Domaine Antoine Jobard  
'Blagny'  
Meursault 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£720 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2030+  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-93 Jasper Morris**

**92-94 Neal Martin**

"Fresh in colour and also in bouquet, the hillside effect playing well. A chiselled stony nose followed by more than adequate flesh on the palate, making an energetic and complete whole. A fine long aftertaste, still full of energy. Drink from 2028-2035. Tasted: October 2023."

91-93 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"Fresh in colour and also in bouquet, the hillside effect playing well. A chiselled stony nose followed by more than adequate flesh on the palate, making an energetic and complete whole. A fine long aftertaste, still full of energy. Drink from 2028-2035. Tasted: October 2023.."

90-92 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine Bachelet-Monnot

Grande Rue, Dezize-Lès-Maranges

*“Marc Bachelet (...) and his brother Alexandre have set the standard not just in Maranges, but perhaps in the Côte de Beaune, their wines triumphing in many a blind “Burgfest” tasting. Bachelet-Monnot is on fire at the moment.”*

Neal Martin



Based in picturesque Dezize-Lès-Maranges, but with several parcels of Meursault, Chassagne- and Puligny-Montrachet village and Premier Cru vineyards, Domaine Bachelet-Monnot are one of the most exciting additions to our range over the last decade and have already got quite a following. The estate is run by brothers Marc and Alexandre and their wines, both red and white, are delicious, each seeming to get the balance between drinkability and structure just right.

The brothers' father Jean-François Bachelet told us that the secret of 2022's success was that the rains came at just the right time. He sees the vintage as combining the freshness of 2017 and the density of 2020. Not a bad place to be, and the wines backed this up by combining focus and expression. As well as a strong showing on their home turf of Maranges, a particular mention must go out to the wonderful Chassagne village, rivalling that of Alex Moreau for out and out quality this year.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Bachelet-Monnot	Bourgogne	Red	87-89 JM	£215 per 12 IB
Domaine Bachelet-Monnot 'La Fussièrè'	Maranges 1er Cru	Red	90-92 NM	£295 per 12 IB
Domaine Bachelet-Monnot 'La Fussièrè' Blanc	Maranges 1er Cru	White	90-92 NM	£320 per 12 IB
Domaine Bachelet-Monnot	Chassagne-Montrachet	White	91-93 NM	£275 per 6 IB
Domaine Bachelet-Monnot 'Clos du Cromin'	Meursault	White	90-92 NM	£295 per 6 IB
Domaine Bachelet-Monnot	Puligny-Montrachet	White	90-92 NM	£295 per 6 IB

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**Domaine Bachelet-Monnot  
Bourgogne**



**£215 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2028  
Arriving Late 2024

**87-89 Jasper Morris**

**85-87 Neal Martin**

“One third each from below Puligny, old vine Hautes Côtes and some village Maranges. Bright mid purple, juicy raspberry fruit, the racking has opened the wines out says Alex. An easily accessible delight. Drink from 2025-2028. Tasted: October 2023.”

87-89 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

“The 2022 Bourgogne Rouge includes around 25% whole bunches. The bouquet offers red cherries and strawberry fruit, just a little earthy in style. The palate is medium-bodied with quite firm tannins. It’s a strict and slightly austere Bourgogne Rouge that will deserve a year in bottle.”

85-87 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Bachelet-Monnot  
'La Fussièrè'  
Maranges 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£295 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2030+  
Arriving Late 2024

**89-91 Jasper Morris**

**90-92 Neal Martin**

“There is enough fruit to make several tanks of La Fussièrè with different levels of whole bunch vinification which are then blended. A glowing mid to deep purple. The bouquet has a depth of dark raspberry fruit, with a little strawberry as well. Quite an interesting wave of fruit through the palate, a fresher style of red berry, but nuanced and with good length. Some pepper to conclude. Drink from 2027-2032. Tasted: October 2023.”

89-91 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

“The 2022 Maranges Rouge La Fussièrès 1er Cru is a blend of several cuvées with different proportions of whole bunches, averaging around 30%. It has more nuance on the nose than the Vieilles Vignes; the stems are neatly incorporated. The palate is medium-bodied with a sapid entry that gets the saliva flowing. With chalky tannins, quite firm structure and a hint of licorice on the finish, this Maranges deserves 3 or 4 years in bottle.”

90-92 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023



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**Domaine Bachelet-Monnot  
'La Fussière' Blanc  
Maranges 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£320 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2030+  
Arriving Late 2024

**89-91 Jasper Morris**

**90-92 Neal Martin**

"This plot has always been white at the domaine, planted by their grandfather. Alex and Marc reckon that the upper part slopes at the Santenay end of Maranges is where to plant your chardonnay. Mid lemon colour. The bouquet has a certain plummy quality. Then the wine is much more refined on the palate, with character which I don't always find in white Fussière. Drink from 2026-2030. Tasted: October 2023."

89-91 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Maranges Blanc La Fussières 1er Cru comes from a parcel conjoining the Santenay Blanc on deeper soils. The well-defined bouquet offers yellow fruit, lanolin and light sea spray aromas. The palate is taut and fresh with a twist of sour lemon on the entry, quite precise and focused with a sapid finish urging you to take another sip.."

90-92 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Bachelet-Monnot  
Chassagne-Montrachet**



**£275 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**89-91 Jasper Morris**

**91-93 Neal Martin**

"The 2022 Chassagne-Montrachet Village has a delightful bouquet: chai tea mixed with citrus fruit, elegant in style with the 25% new oak deftly integrated. The palate is well-balanced with lemon rind and orange zest on the entry and fine weight. It's very harmonious with a nuanced, spicy finish. Totally delicious and nudging Premier Cru in quality."

91-93 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"Mid lemon yellow. A minor and benevolent reduction on the nose, which becomes steadily more elegant with aeration. Good tension, a stony quality, a little more warmth behind, an interesting Chassagne for the medium term. Drink from 2026-2030. Tasted: October 2023."

89-91 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

**Domaine Bachelet-Monnot  
'Clos du Cromin'  
Meursault**



**£295 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**90-92 Jasper Morris**

**87-89 Neal Martin**

"Half was planted in 1929 and half in 2000. Alex thinks the young vines add to the old in terms of complexity in the final wine. The middle of the palate fills out beautifully, some fresh pears emerging towards the back, adequate acidity and excellent persistence. Very good once again. Drink from 2026-2032. Tasted: October 2023."

90-92 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Meursault Clos du Cromin may lack a bit of bandwidth on the nose: quite strict citric fruit, a touch of grass clippings, and a bit closed on the day. The palate is well-balanced with good depth on the entry, orange rind, tangerine and grapefruit towards the long, if slightly attenuated, finish."

87-89 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**Domaine Bachelet-Monnot  
Puligny-Montrachet**



**£295 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**89-91 Neal Martin**

**90-92 Jasper Morris**

“Fine mid lemon yellow. A class nose, more accessible than the Meursault, with well-judged ripeness, good acidity, and though it speaks less on the palate for the moment, this will come. Fine apple notes and some minerality to finish confirm the class. Drink from 2026-2032. Tasted: October 2023..”

90-92 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

“The 2022 Puligny-Montrachet Village has a stern bouquet with petrichor and Granny Smiths - perhaps needing a little more intensity? The well-balanced palate has a smooth entry, with lime and orange pith and a fine bead of acidity. But maybe its Chassagne-Montrachet counterpart finishes with a touch more complexity. Still, this will give a decade's of drinking pleasure.”

89-91 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini

Rue Richebourg, Gevrey-Chambertin

*“This is a fine address if you are seeking an alternative to, say, Armand Rousseau. Heresztyn-Mazzini is in the same mould as their neighbour, Pierre Duroché: very hands-off winemaking, letting the vineyard speak; mineral-driven and elegant wines... Yes, I know the name is a bit of a tongue-twister, but trust me, the wines are worth seeking out .”*

Neal Martin



Based right in the heart of Gevrey-Chambertin, 2020 is the sixth vintage we have offered from this Domaine and the wines were once again on top form. Run by Florence and her husband Simon, in the vineyard the operation is run organically, with full biodynamic certification due to follow imminently. This of course necessitates a painstaking level of attention to detail in the vineyards, something that is also in evidence in the winery, with every decision, for example about the percentage of whole clusters to use, being pored over and each cuvée being treated separately according to its own needs. The wines are an absolute pleasure to drink, with the silky texture of the tannins and the purity of the fruit noteworthy.

Florence wisely sidestepped the question as to comparative vintages, highlighting 2022's unique combination of red fruit charm, lifted elegance and good structure. “Very Pinot Noir” she said, which sums it up nicely.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini	Bourgogne	Red	86-88 AM	£140 per 6 IB
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini 'Les Songes'	Gevrey-Chambertin	Red	90-93 JM	£330 per 6 IB
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini 'Les Goulots'	Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru	Red	92-94 NM	£585 per 6 IB
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini 'Les Perrières'	Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru	Red	91-94 JM	£585 per 6 IB
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini 'Les Millandes'	Morey-Saint-Denis 1er Cru	Red	92-94 JM	£585 per 6 IB
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini 'Champonnets'	Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru	Red	93-95 JM	£615 per 6 IB
Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini	Clos Saint Denis Grand Cru	Red	94-97 JM	£725 per 3 IB

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**Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini  
Bourgogne**



**£140 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2028  
Arriving Late 2024

**86-88 Jasper Morris**

**86-88 Burghound**

**84-86 Neal Martin**

"A ripe but quite fresh nose combines notes of essence of red and dark pinot fruit with those of earth and soft spice wisps. The delicious and nicely voluminous middle weight flavors conclude in a reasonably persistent if mildly rustic finish. To enjoy young."

86-88 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

**Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini  
'Les Songes'  
Gevrey-Chambertin**



**£330 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040  
Arriving Late 2024

**90-93 Jasper Morris**

**88-91 Burghound**

**88-90 Neal Martin**

"80-90% whole bunch vinification. Medium deep crimson. Some density of ripe raspberry on the nose, and I am happy that I don't see the hail effect though this sector was hit. Instead, Les Songes has a pretty concentrated dark red fruit with a seductive finish where the fruit is stronger than the tannic structure. Drink from 2030-2037. Tasted: November 2023."

90-93 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"Once again the nose of pretty purple fruit and abundant floral elements is trimmed in soft wood. Here too the mouthfeel of the medium weight flavors is really quite attractive while offering slightly better detail and minerality on the sneaky long, balanced and lightly rustic finale."

88-91 Pts Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

**Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini  
'Les Goulots'  
Gevrey-Chambertin 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£585 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040+  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-93 Jasper Morris**

**90-92 Burghound**

**92-94 Neal Martin**

"Matured with 50% whole bunches, the 2022 Gevrey-Chambertin Les Goulots 1er Cru has a complex, engaging bouquet: a mixture of red and black fruit, white pepper and fennel. The palate is medium-bodied with fine-grain tannins, very elegant in style, and beautifully balanced as it fans out towards the finish. Impressive in terms of precision, a Gevrey that really benefitted from its cooler microclimate."

92-94 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"50% whole bunch vinification. Medium crimson, a floral bouquet with ripe red currants as well. Then some savoury red fruit notes, a little orange rind, quite tannic at the back, less juicy than Perrière but holds its own very nicely. Drink from 2030-2037. Tasted: November 2023."

91-93 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

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**Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini  
'Les Perrières'  
Gevrey-Chambertin 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£585 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040+  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-94 Jasper Morris**

**89-92 Burghound**

**91-93 Neal Martin**

"The 2022 Gevrey-Chambertin La Perrière 1er Cru, which contains 50% whole bunches, has a lively, feisty bouquet with touches of white pepper and dried white flower aromas. The medium-bodied palate is finely tuned, with a fresh, saline entry, pliant tannins, and hints of cinnamon. It is not powerful but feels long and tender. The second winter in barrel will lend this more weight."

91-93 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"Mid crimson. Quite an elegant nose, floral rose notes, 50% whole bunch vinification, as well as some graceful red fruit. The oak is a little present at the finish but that will integrate and the fruit is very classy, finesse and some tensile strength, but nothing too powerful. A good juicy aftertaste. Drink from 2030-2037. Tasted: November 2023."

91-94 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

**Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini  
'Les Millandes'  
Morey-Saint-Denis 1er Cru**



**£585 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040+  
Arriving Late 2024

**92-94 Jasper Morris**

**90-93 Burghound**

**91-93 Neal Martin**

"The 2022 Gevrey-Chambertin Les Champonnet 1er Cru, which suffered minor hail damage in July, includes 60% whole bunches and matured in 20% new oak. It has a slightly reductive bouquet that just misses the finesse of the Les Goulots. The palate is better, with blood orange-infused red fruit and gentle grip, growing spicy towards the finish with quite a long fig-tinged aftertaste. Excellent."

91-93 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"80% whole bunch vinification. Medium deep crimson ruby. The bouquet is attractive but without too much detail yet. There is a dense concentration of a fresh red berry fruit, plenty in mid palate then a slightly gentler finish. Overall, though, Les Millandes is coherent and in the style of the vintage. Not one of the wilder Moreys but well put together. Drink from 2031-2038. Tasted: November 2023."

92-94 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

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**Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini  
'Champonnets'  
Gevrey-Chambertin 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£615 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040+  
Arriving Late 2024

**93-95 Jasper Morris**

**89-92 Burghound**

**91-93 Neal Martin**

"The 2022 Gevrey-Chambertin Les Champonnet 1er Cru, which suffered minor hail damage in July, includes 60% whole bunches and matured in 20% new oak. It has a slightly reductive bouquet that just misses the finesse of the Les Goulots. The palate is better, with blood orange-infused red fruit and gentle grip, growing spicy towards the finish with quite a long fig-tinged aftertaste. Excellent."

91-93 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"A fine deep purple, with a little white pepper infiltrating the fully laden raspberry fruit on the nose. A delightfully concentrated fruit on the palate, still with some tannins at the back and the drier style of finish from whole bunches. But all this is beginning to integrate nicely to make a stylish and complete wine. 80-90% whole bunches. Drink from 2031-2038. Tasted: November 2023."

93-95 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

**Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini  
Clos St Denis Grand Cru**



**£725 per 3 IB**  
Drink to 2046  
Arriving Late 2024

**94-97 Jasper Morris**

**91-93 Burghound**

**93-95 Neal Martin**

"A fine bright purple. The nose is solid and concentrated, in a forward style of raspberry fruit. There is a wealth of fruit on the palate though not as seductive as Clos St-Denis can be, but all in balance and with an agreeably long finish. A really sensible, poised, approach to winemaking. 80% whole bunch vinification hardly shows, while 50% new oak feels about right. Drink from 2032-2040. Tasted: November 2023."

94-97 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Clos Saint-Denis Grand Cru is aged half in new oak with 70% to 80% whole bunches. The well-defined bouquet offers wonderful mineral-laden red berry fruit, with a hint of savoriness/meat juices in the background. The palate is medium-bodied with fine tannins, very harmonious and smooth. It gently builds in the mouth toward a lightly spiced finish. Very fine."

93-95 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine Alex Moreau

Route de Santenay, Chassagne-Montrachet

*“For my palate, the results are some of the finest white wines produced on the Côte de Beaune, and they occupy a prominent place in my personal cellar.”*

**William Kelley**



A trip to Domaine Moreau is always a treat. The tiny winery is attached to the bustling family home and the Moreaus are always very welcoming. The winery's roots stretch back to 1809 and original owner Auguste Moreau, but it took on its current guise in 1930 under Marcel Moreau. Bernard started to look after the vineyards at the tender age of fourteen and Moreau's reputation as one of the top Chassagne producers was well established by the 1980s. Bernard's son Alex is now in charge of the estate.

Today the estate is much reduced in size, with a combination of a split with brother Benoît and the end of fermage contracts meaning Alex has barely a quarter of the liquid he once used to have access to. That's a shame, but quality is as sky-high as ever and in a vintage that arguably put Chassagne as the best appellation, there's even more reason to grab these wines when you can.



<b>Name</b>	<b>AOC</b>	<b>Colour</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Case Price</b>
Domaine Alex Moreau 'Sur Gamay'	Saint-Aubin 1er Cru	White	91-93 NM	£285 per 6 IB
Domaine Alex Moreau	Chassagne-Montrachet	White	94-94 JM	£360 per 6 IB
Domaine Alex Moreau 'Chenevottes'	Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru	White	91-94 JM	£600 per 6 IB

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**Domaine Alex Moreau**  
**'Sur Gamay'**  
**Saint-Aubin 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£285 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2030  
Arriving Late 2024

**90-91 Jasper Morris**

**91-93 Neal Martin**

"Pale lemon and lime. Quite a lean almost crystalline nose from this uphill site. Very pure, white fruit with an apple note at the back, a velvety touch with enough flesh to cover the bone structure, a little bit of sandalwood from the oak, and a good long finish. Drink from 2026-2030. Tasted: November 2023."

90-91 Pts, Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Saint-Aubin Sur Gamay 1er Cru has a very attractive bouquet with hints of praline infusing the citrus fruit, the 20% new oak neatly integrated. The palate is well-balanced with a fine line of acidity, very edgy in a good way, brimming with energy on the linear finish with a spicy aftertaste. Excellent."

91-93 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Alex Moreau**  
**Chassagne-Montrachet**



**£360 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2032  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-94 (5\*) Jasper Morris**

**89-91 Neal Martin**

"An even lemon and lime colour. Energy on the nose, not yet so much detail. The palate delivers its usual resounding success, a mass of pure white fruit which builds in intensity to the back and finishes with the lightest of toasty notes which is complementary. Excellent length. Not only is this really good, there are 100 barrels of it! Drink from 2026-2032. Tasted: November 2023."

91-94 Pts, Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Chassagne-Montrachet Village has a very composed bouquet with yellow plum, fresh pear and light lemon verbena scents that gain momentum in the glass. The well-balanced palate is harmonious and focused, with a keen line of acidity and a dab of orange rind and peach skin on the finish. A delight."

89-91 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Alex Moreau**  
**'Chenovottes'**  
**Chassagne-Montrachet 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£600 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2036+  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-94 Jasper Morris**

**91-93 Neal Martin**

"Clear pale lemon colour. Quite a crisp, almost chiselled nose, with a little yellow plum fruit showing on the palate. Generous yet still very refined, with a long clean finish. The fruit returns happily at the end. First picked and already at perfect ripeness. Drink from 2027-2033. Tasted: November 2023."

91-94 Pts, Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Chassagne-Montrachet Les Chenovottes 1er Cru is quite intense on the nose, crisp with hints of hazelnut infusing the citrus fruit, a little Meursault-like in style. The palate has a twist of sour lemon on the entry, fresh and very saline, penetrating on the finish thanks to its razor-sharp acidity. Give this two or three years in bottle."

91-93 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023



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## Domaine Henri Gouges

Rue du Moulin, Nuits-Saint-Georges

*“This was a good set of wines from Gouges, capped by two wondrous Nuits Saint-Georges from Les Vaucrains and Les Saint-Georges... Those who appreciate the Gouges style of winemaking, which I feel has been fine-tuned in the last five or six years, will find much to like in 2022.”*

Neal Martin



Domaine Gouges is one of Nuits-Saint-Georges’s most famous Domaines and one of the appellation’s best – “the doyen of Nuits-Saint-Georges with magnificent wines” says Clive Coates MW. The Gouges family have been owners of this Domaine since 1919 and founder Henri is something of a Burgundian revolutionary. He was a key player in the battle against fraud and was the first Burgundian to bottle his own wine because it guarantees provenance and therefore quality. Domaine bottling is now practised throughout Burgundy. Young Antoine Gouges today runs the Domaine with the same drive and passion for quality as his legendary forefathers.

The Domaine’s wines were renowned under Henri as some of the most structured and long-lived of Nuits-Saint-Georges. However, Antoine (and Gregory before him) has been working towards a more approachable style. That said, these are still wines very much built for ageing.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Henri Gouges	Nuits-Saint-Georges	Red	90-92 JM	£246 per 6 IB
Domaine Henri Gouges ‘Clos des Porrets’	Nuits-Saint-Georges 1er Cru	Red	91-94 JM	£300 per 6 IB
Domaine Henri Gouges ‘Pruliers’	Nuits-Saint-Georges 1er Cru	Red	92-94 JM	£462 per 6 IB
Domaine Henri Gouges ‘Vaucrains’	Nuits-Saint-Georges 1er Cru	Red	94-96 JM	£324 per 3 IB
Domaine Henri Gouges ‘Les Saint Georges’	Nuits-Saint-Georges 1er Cru	Red	92-96 JM	£1020 per 3 IB
Domaine Henri Gouges Pinot Blanc	Bourgogne	White	89 JM	£120 per 6 IB

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**Domaine Henri Gouges  
Nuits-St-Georges**



**£246 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2028  
Arriving Late 2024

**90-92 Jasper Morris**

**88-91 Burghound**

**90 Neal Martin**

“Racked, and thus fully blended, to be bottled by the end of November. Mid purple, with a perfumed dark red fruit. Vigorous, well-balanced tannins, and good but not trenchant acidity. A fine long finish which remains fresh even though the fruit is clearly ripe. Very persistent. Drink from 2029-2037. Tasted: November 2023.”  
90-92 Pts, Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

“The 2022 Nuits Saint-Georges Village is aged in 25% new oak. There’s bright red berry fruit, light sous-bois and a hint of potpourri blossom on the well-defined nose. The palate is medium-bodied with powdery tannins. Modest depth, cohesive with a gradual crescendo on the finish; this is definitely a level up from the previous vintage.”  
90 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Henri Gouges  
'Clos des Porrets St Georges'  
Nuits-St-Georges 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£300 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2036  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-94 Jasper Morris**

**90-92 Burghound**

**92-94 Neal Martin**

“Racked, to bottle in December. 35 hl/ha. A darker purple, just a little oak showing on the nose alongside the dark raspberry fruit. The grain of tannin is very good, and ideally integrated, with just the right acidity as well. Drink from 2030-2038. Tasted: November 2023.”  
91-94 Pts, Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

“The 2022 Nuits Saint-Georges Clos des Porrets-Saint-Georges 1er Cru had been racked the previous week, but it was essentially the final wine I tasted as it was just about to be bottled. It has a stricter and more backward bouquet than the Chênes Carteaux: blackberry and wild strawberry fruit, the 20% new oak neatly folded in. The palate is medium-bodied with quite firm tannins, leaning more towards black fruit laced with tar and tobacco. Quite Morey-like towards the finish with impressive persistence. Give this two or three years in bottle to shave the edges. Very fine.”  
92-93 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**Domaine Henri Gouges  
'Les Pruliers'  
Nuits-St-Georges 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£462 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2045  
Arriving Late 2024

**90-93 Burghound**

**92-94 Jasper Morris**

**91-93 Neal Martin**

"Still in barrel. An intense deep purple. A little wood alongside the relatively heady fruit. Quite ripe, super succulent, plenty of plums, yet with some mineral tannins at the back which require longer elevage. The tannins are on the firmer side. Drink from 2031-2038. Tasted: November 2023."

92-94 Pts, Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Nuits Saint-Georges Les Pruliers 1er Cru was cropped at 22hL/ha due to the hail and matured in 25% new oak. It is quite concentrated on the nose with dense red fruit, although it lacks the amplitude of Gouges's other cuvées, I suspect hail denuded complexity. The palate is well-balanced with a rounded texture, no hard edges here. It is smooth and quite sensual, with licorice tinge and mainly black fruit towards the finish. Afford it 4-5 years in bottle, but don't set expectations to "max," and you'll enjoy this wine."

91-93 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Henri Gouges  
'Les Vaucrains'  
Nuits-St-Georges 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£324 per 3 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**94-96 (5\*) Jasper Morris**

**91-94 Burghound**

**93-95 Neal Martin**

"30% new wood. Fresh mid purple. The bouquet is wonderfully lifted, Antoine explains they use a particularly light hand with this cuvee to avoid the potential austerity. The acidity is fine and the tannins are ripe, while there is still that clear backbone to the fruit which Vaucrains should have. Very persistent, and such high-class fruit. Drink from 2032-2040. Tasted: November 2023."

94-96 Pts (5\*), Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Nuits Saint-Georges Les Vaucrains 1er Cru was picked towards the beginning of the harvest and is matured in 30% new oak. This is blessed with some of the best aromatics from Gouges: detailed and mineral-driven, a real and tangible sense of Pinoté here with a palpable sense of energy. The medium-bodied palate has filigree tannins, joyous red berry fruit and wonderful tension, fanning out with joie-de-vivre on the finish. The infusion/low sulfur regime plus fewer punch downs for this wine has really seen this achieve new heights."

93-95 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**Domaine Henri Gouges  
'Les Saint Georges'  
Nuits-St-Georges 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£1020 per 3 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**92-96 Jasper Morris**

**91-94 Burghound**

**93-95 Neal Martin**

"Mid purple. This is almost quite raisiny but just keeps on the fresher side. At first more in supe ripe cherries, but the characteristic darker plum fruit comes up behind. Still some resolution of the tannins required but this is a substantial wine which is still sleeping. This should work out well unless the degree of ripeness dominates in later life. Drink from 2032-2040. Tasted: November 2023."

92-96 Pts, Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Nuits Saint-Georges Les Saint-Georges 1er Cru has a very complex bouquet, a mix of red and black fruit, crushed flowers, and hints of spice coming through with aeration. This seems to "grow" in the glass. The palate is medium-bodied with silky smooth tannins. It's very pure, so pure that it almost disguises the backbone of this Les Saint-Georges, gaining depth towards the finish with touches of pain d'épice and white pepper. An excellent NSG that will repay cellaring."

93-95 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Henri Gouges  
'Pinot Blanc'  
Bourgogne**



**£120 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2026  
Arriving Late 2024

**86 Neal Martin**

**89 Jasper Morris**

"Pale colour, with a beautiful fresh yet very aromatic, apple blossom more than apples, just the right amount of flesh, more at the back but balanced by the acidity. Excellent finesse, and length. Drink from 2024-2027. Tasted: November 2023."

89 Pts, Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Bourgogne Blanc comes from vines located in Les Dames Guettes. The nose has a touch of dried honey and perhaps doesn't quite have the complexity of the 2021. The palate is rounded and soft on the entry, with plenty of tropical fruit. The Pinot Blanc sculpts the finish more than previous vintages. Fine, but this will be early drinking."

86 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine Jean Grivot

Rue de la Croix Rameau, Vosne-Romanée

**“In keeping with Grivot’s style, these are more fruit-forward and richer wines, which is no surprise given the later picking... The cluster of wines from around Vosne is exemplary.”**  
**Neal Martin**



One of the Côte d’Or’s greatest and longest-established Domaines, Grivot is now predominantly in the hands of Mathilde, who in the last few years has been gradually taking over from her father Etienne.

The house style remains the same, with late harvesting and extended periods of barrel ageing resulting in a muscular, structured style that can be difficult to taste when young, but which after a few years in the cellar open up to reveal beautiful black-fruit driven wines. The quality of the Domaine’s holdings helps in no small part, however the Grivot magic is evident across the range, even on the Gamay-based Coteaux Bourguignons.

Grivot’s 2022s were absolutely stunning, even by their standards. Holding their nerve and harvesting later than other, the gamble paid off. Perhaps it was the green harvest performed when others didn’t? In any case, quality is sky high across the range, from the lip smacking Coteaux Bourguignon through to the towering Richebourg.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Jean Grivot	Coteaux Bourguignons	Red	86-88 JM	£114 per 6 IB
Domaine Jean Grivot	Clos de Vougeot Grand Cru	Red	94-96 NM	£765 per 3 IB

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**Domaine Jean Grivot  
Coteaux Bourguignons**



**£114 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2025  
Arriving Late 2024

**85-87 Neal Martin**

**86-88 Jasper Morris**

"The 2022 Côteaux Bourguignon had been racked three weeks prior to my visit. The very opulent bouquet has plenty of blueberry and cassis fruit. The palate is medium-bodied with plush tannins. It's quite fleshy with a little sharpness to be ironed out on the finish."

85-87 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"Now in tank. Dense mid purple with rather a pretty lively red fruit nose. Rather lovely and juicy on the palate then with fresh acidity behind, and peppery. Drink from 2024-2025. Tasted: November 2023."

86-88 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

**Domaine Jean Grivot  
Clos de Vougeot Grand Cru**



**£765 per 3 IB**  
Drink to 2040+  
Arriving Late 2024

**93-95 Jasper Morris**

**94-96 Neal Martin**

**93-95 Burghound**

"The 2022 Clos de Vougeot Grand Cru has a refined and harmonious bouquet with red berry fruit, wild hedgerow and light oyster shell notes, ameliorating all the time in the glass. The palate is medium-bodied with fine tannins, a mixture of red and black fruit, truffle and black pepper. It's quite complex and very long on the finish. Superb."

94-96 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"Mid red crimson. The barrel gives a slightly firm note to the fruit on the nose. There is a weight of red fruit beneath though this is rather reserved and only at the finish does the fruit come back. No black fruit notes at all. In reserve and slightly saline. Drink from 2032-2040. Tasted: November 2023."

93-95 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

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## Domaine Méo-Camuzet

Rue des Grands Crus, Vosne-Romanée

***“Domaine Méo-Camuzet boasts one of the most enviable portfolios in Vosne-Romanée.”***

**Neal Martin**



Méo-Camuzet is always one of the highlights of our Burgundy primeur offerings. If you have not had the pleasure of encountering the wines before, they are one of the biggest names not only in their home town of Vosne-Romanée, but in all of Burgundy. Stylistically they produce very polished, but exotic, rich wines which take oak well. They are very ageworthy, yet show well in their relative youth. Individual vineyard expression is very strong, so it is worth reading the individual notes in detail. Some stems (rather than whole bunches) are added, but no more than about 10%.

As well as some of the most heavily oversubscribed Premiers Crus of all, Méo-Camuzet’s line up includes a noteworthy, affordable, white—the ever-popular Hautes-Côtes de Nuits ‘Clos Saint Philibert’ from a plot situated 300 yards above the Grand Cru Echezeaux.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Méo-Camuzet ‘Clos Saint Philibert’	Hautes-Côtes de Nuits	White	85-87 NM	£204 per 6 IB

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**Domaine Méo-Camuzet**  
**'Clos St Philibert'**  
**Hautes-Côtes de Nuits Blanc**



**£204 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2026  
Arriving Late 2024

**85-87 Neal Martin**

"The 2022 Hautes-Côtes de Nuits Blanc Clos St. Philibert underwent some clarification with bentonite. It has a light apple blossom bouquet with touches of orange pith. The palate is fresh with crisp green apples, a citric thread of acidity (pH is 3.24), with pleasant bite on the finish. Enjoy this over the next three or four years."

85-87 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023



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## Domaine Matrot

Rue du Martray, Meursault

*“The 2022s are perhaps the best that I have tasted to date. I was blown away by their Meursault Les Perrières, but don’t ignore their Blagny La Pièce Sous la Bois, whose higher elevation was an advantage in the warm summer, their very useful Meursault Rouge or over-achieving Maranges Villages. This is a domaine going place. Hitch a ride.”*

**Neal Martin**



Domaine Matrot was established in 1909 by Joseph Matrot and had been run solely by his understated but talented grandson Thierry since 1976, with 2015 his last vintage before handing over the reins to his daughters Elsa and Adèle. They are now renowned as “a top-class Meursault producer” (Wine International) and own some of the best plots in Meursault’s finest vineyards.

The sisters, like their father before them, believe in using oak only very sparingly. They are firm believers that quality comes from the vineyard, so let the fruit do the talking.

Neal Martin’s comment about 2022 being “perhaps the best that I have tasted” here rings true with our 12 years of tasting at the estate too. The balance and precision on the wines was standout, with things really kicking up a gear or two when we tasted the Premiers Crus. The sisters are taking this Domaine into the top tier of Meursault producers.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Matrot Pinot Noir	Bourgogne	Red	87-88 NM	£95 per 6 IB
Domaine Matrot	Maranges	Red	90-92 NM	£100 per 6 IB
Domaine Matrot ‘La Pièce sous le Bois’	Meusault-Blagny 1er Cru	Red	92-94 NM	£240 per 6 IB
Domaine Matrot Chardonnay	Bourgogne	White	89-91 JM (5*)	£95 per 6 IB
Domaine Matrot	Meursault	White	90-92 NM	£255 per 6 IB
Domaine Matrot ‘Blagny’	Meursault 1er Cru	White	89-91 NM	£425 per 6 IB
Domaine Matrot ‘Charmes’	Meursault 1er Cru	White	93-95 NM	£425 per 6 IB
Domaine Matrot ‘Perrières’	Meursault 1er Cru	White	95-97 NM	£575 per 6 IB

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**Domaine Matrot Pinot Noir  
Bourgogne**



**£95 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**87-88 Jasper Morris**

"10% new wood, as usual. Bright fresh purple, the nose is a bit austere at first, gorgeous fruit on the palate, lifted raspberries, still slightly austere at the finish but with a generosity of fruit in between. Drink from 2025-2027. Tasted: October 2023."

87-88 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Bourgogne Pinot Noir, filtered the previous week, has a perfumed red cherry and blueberry-tinged bouquet. The palate is sweet on the entry with crushed strawberry and raspberry fruit, gentle grip, and commendable clarity on the finish. Simply a delightful regional red."

85-87 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**85-87 Neal Martin**

**Domaine Matrot  
Maranges**



**£100 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2036  
Arriving Late 2024

**88-90 Jasper Morris**

"10% new wood. Picked directly at the end of the harvest whereas they used to wait many more days. Fresh purple. Perfumed red fruit, very attractive dark raspberry on the palate yet with a significant thread of acidity. Good crunchy finish. Drink from 2026-2030. Tasted: October 2023."

88-90 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Bourgogne Pinot Noir, filtered the previous week, has a perfumed red cherry and blueberry-tinged bouquet. The palate is sweet on the entry with crushed strawberry, raspberry fruit and gentle grip with commendable clarity on the finish. Simply a delightful regional red."

90-92 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**90-92 Neal Martin**

**Domaine Matrot  
'La Pièce sous le Bois'  
Meursault-Blagny 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£240 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2039  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-94 Jasper Morris**

"A clear mid purple of no great density. The fruit is very pure on the nose, with the more austere touch from the Blagny sector. This is quite reticent after the more open style of the Volnay Santenots, but with an excellent intensity, quite dark cherry and raspberry fruit in the end, good acidity and a particularly persistent finish. Drink from 2030-2038. Tasted: October 2023."

91-94 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Blagny La Pièce Sous La Bois 1er Cru has the finest bouquet amongst all the red cuvées, perhaps containing the most tension and mineralité thanks to the higher elevation. The palate is medium-bodied with filigree tannins and raspberry and cranberry fruit. It is almost Pommard-like in style with a silver thread of acidity. Impressive persistence and weight on the finish where the limestone soil comes through and shapes this wine. Outstanding."

92-94 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**92-94 Neal Martin**

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## Domaine Matrot Chardonnay Bourgogne



**£95 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2025  
Arriving Late 2024

### 89-91 Jasper Morris

### 87 Neal Martin

"Bottled in August. 80% comes from Meursault from Vaux Malpoiriers, Coutures and Lameroses, plus their own vines in the Hautes Côtes and some purchased fruit from near Chablis. 17% new wood, seasoning it for subsequent use in the 2023 cru vineyards. Pure clear colour. An absolutely gorgeous immediate juicy fruit, riotously delicious. This is exactly what I want to drink, with a perfect balancing acidity. Drink from 2024-2026. Tasted: October 2023."

89-91 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Bourgogne Blanc, mainly from Meursault and some declassified Hautes-Côtes plus 10% must from Chablis, was bottled in August and contains 20% new oak. It has a tight nose at first, a little backward, perhaps after bottling. The palate is quite concentrated for a regional white with lots of extract matched by a keen line of acidity and a touch of nuttiness towards the finish. Delicious."

87 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine Matrot Meursault



**£255 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2029  
Arriving Late 2024

### 90-92 Jasper Morris

### 89-91 Neal Martin

"Made from twelve plots in all, using one to five year old barrels. Pale in colour with a lime tint. The nose is not yet very forthcoming but the balance on the palate is exquisite. White fruit, a little bit in the rounder style of old but this will not become buttery. Instead, it is a delightful mouthful of orchard fruit with a good follow through of natural acidity. Drink from 2027-2034. Tasted: October 2023."

90-92 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Meursault Village contains no new oak, as usual. The lively bouquet has enticing scents of dried honey, peppermint and orange pith. This just grows in the glass. The palate is medium-bodied with a smooth, slightly viscous texture and fine acidity. It's quite spicy with a dash of stem ginger towards the persistent finish. Very promising."

88-91 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine Matrot 'Blagny' Meursault 1<sup>er</sup> Cru



**£425 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2031  
Arriving Late 2024

### 89-91 Neal Martin

"The 2022 Meursault Blagny 1er Cru has a more elegant and "airy" bouquet than the Meursault Village, stricter and certainly more mineral-driven. The palate is well-balanced with walnut and orange-rind-infused fruit. There's good depth and fine depth with quite a dense finish. Fine, but it needs time."

89-91 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**Domaine Matrot 'Charmes'  
Meursault 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£425 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2031  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-94 Jasper Morris**

"A pretty lemon yellow. The soft warmth of Charmes is evident on the nose. One might say oaky but of course there is no new wood here. Significant power afterwards and then the acidity which is usually present chez Matrot. Good stuff. Drink from 2027-2036. Tasted: October 2023."

91-94 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

**93-95 Neal Martin**

"The 2022 Meursault Charmes 1er Cru has a complex bouquet with enticing scents of lemon verbena, chamomile and orchard fruit, and a light nuttiness in the background. The well-balanced palate has a fine bead of acidity, a light veneer of acacia honey, and a hint of ginger. Harmonious with real weight and elegance towards the finish. This is a beautifully crafted Meursault that should age effortlessly over the next 15-20 years."

93-95 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**Domaine Matrot 'Perrieres'  
Meursault 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£575 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2031  
Arriving Late 2024

**93-96 Jasper Morris**

"Clear pale primrose. This is quite austere for Perrières, more on the mineral side than the power. However, the thread of intensity picks up on the palate, all is present, including the acidity. Powerful and correct but not the most immediately stunning. Even so the little stones keep coming back, to show that this wine will develop well with appropriate ageing. The Perrières has not yet been racked. Drink from 2028-2038. Tasted: October 2023."

93-96 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

**95-97 Neal Martin**

"The 2022 Meursault Les Perrières 1er Cru really gets to grips with the terroir on the nose, delivering that crushed stone element that distinguishes this Premier Cru. Very focused and yet quite discrete. The medium-bodied palate has wonderful acidity and concentration. It is completely harmonious, unfurling with each swirl of the glass. The finish is one of the most persistent Meursault I tasted during my visit. This is a stunning Les Perrières that I confess I didn't want to spit out during my visit. You can drink yours."

95-97 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine Faiveley

Rue du Tribourg, Nuits-Saint-Georges

***None of Burgundy's important houses have undergone a more radical evolution in recent years than Faiveley."***

***William Kelley***



While Faiveley's vineyard holdings are extensive by Burgundian standards, quality reflects the fact that this is a family Domaine, making wine from parcels under its own ownership. In fact, they care for their wines so much, this is the only cellar I have ever seen where the most precious wine is kept in a barrel closed with a lockable bung!

The number of decades-old examples of Faiveley's wines that are pulled out for retrospective tastings underlines the fact that these wines are likely to appeal greatly to the traditionalist who is looking for more structure and for wines to cellar rather than for instant gratification. Some of the most impressive Burgundies we have tasted are from this Domaine, but all of them have been at the peak of maturity, so patience is certainly rewarded here.

The first 2022s to cross our lips was Faiveley's range, and what a great impression they made. An enviable line up of Grands Crus is on offer here and some deft-touch winemaking has maximised the potential of these great sites.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Faiveley 'La Framboisière'	Mercurey	Red	89 AM	£312 per 12 IB
Domaine Faiveley Vieilles Vignes	Gevrey-Chambertin	Red	-	£528 per 12 IB
Domaine Faiveley 'Cazetiers'	Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru	Red	92-95 NM	£636 per 6 IB
Domaine Faiveley 'Clos des Cortons Faiveley'	Corton Grand Cru	Red	94-96 JM (5*)	£1158 per 6 IB
Domaine Joseph Faiveley	Charmes-Chambertin Grand Cru	Red	-	£1206 per 6 IB
Domaine Faiveley 'En Orveaux'	Echezeaux Grand Cru	Red	93-96 JM	£1302 per 6 IB
Domaine Faiveley	Chambertin-Clos de Bèze	Red	93-95 NM	£1161 per 3 IB
Domaine Faiveley 'Les Referts'	Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru	White	-	£516 per 6 IB

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**Domaine Faiveley  
'La Framboisière'  
Mercurey**



**£312 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2029  
Arriving Late 2024

**89 Burghound**

"A ripe and very fresh nose speaks of crushed cherry, dark raspberry and a spicy top note. The vibrant and delicious middleweight flavors possess good volume, indeed the word fleshy comes to mind, all wrapped in a clean, dry-in-the-best sense, and lingering finish. This is already drinking well though it has the density to repay mid-term keeping. This is one to look for as it offers fine value."

89 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

**Domaine Faiveley  
'Vieilles Vignes'  
Gevrey-Chambertin**



**£528 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2032  
Arriving Late 2024

**16.5 Jancis Robinson**

"Cask sample. Mid garnet. Very light nose. Juicy, hedonistic fruit on the palate with some attractive corset of fine tannins. Should mature reasonably early. Long."

16.5 Pts, Jancis Robinson, JancisRobinson.com, December 2023

**Domaine Faiveley  
'Cazetiers'  
Gevrey-Chambertin 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£636 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-94 Jasper Morris**

**91-93 Neal Martin**

**92-95 Burghound**

"A more discreet if still easily perceptible dollop of wood can be found on the more deeply pitched aromas of poached plum, forest floor and a more subtle hint of the sauvage. The super-sleek, intense and beautifully textured medium weight flavors exude evident minerality on the powerful, youthfully austere and beautifully balanced finale that displays excellent length. One to look for."

92-95 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Gevrey-Chambertin Les Cazetiers 1er Cru has more presence than the Lavaux Saint-Jacques, yet there remains something introverted about this cuvée; it's a bit stoic at the moment. The palate is medium-bodied with firm tannins. It's a little richer than the Lavaux, with more backbone, raspberry and wild strawberry laced with white pepper and clove, leading to a satisfying, cohesive finish. Enjoy over the next 12 to 15 years."

91-93 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**Domaine Faiveley  
'Clos des Cortons Faiveley'  
Corton Grand Cru**



**£1158 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2036  
Arriving Late 2024

**94-96 Jasper Morris (5\*)**

**94-96 Neal Martin**

**93-95 Burghound**

"A brilliant intense purple. Immediately on the nose there is a nobility over and above anything else in the cellar. The fruit swells across the palate without losing its sense of identity. There is an equilibrium from perfect structure backing this intensity of fruit. Harmonious structure, well integrated oak and impressive length. Drink from 2030-2040. Tasted: October 2023."

94-96 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Corton Clos des Cortons Faiveley Grand Cru has a potent nose: think of grandmother's potpourri you smelled in her old house. It almost overwhelms that red fruit behind it. The palate is well-balanced with pure red cherry, wild strawberry, and finely-knit tannins. It's one of the more elegant Cortons tasted with a touch of piquancy on the finish. Delightful. Drink after 8-10 years if you can resist temptation."

94-96 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Faiveley  
Charmes-Chambertin  
Grand Cru**



**£1206 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040  
Arriving Late 2024

**17 Jancis Robinson**

"Cask sample. Savoury nose with a suggestion of lacy texture. Quite delicate and seductive, not quite frivolous but not as intense as some Faiveley grands crus."

17 Pts, Jancis Robinson, JancisRobinson.com, December 2023

**Domaine Faiveley  
"En Orveaux"  
Echezeaux Grand Cru**



**£1302 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040  
Arriving Late 2024

**93-96 Jasper Morris**

**91-93 Neal Martin**

**92-95 Burghound**

"30% whole bunch vinification. The colour is more purple than crimson. The bouquet is extremely elegant and shows some concentration. A slightly firm finish at the moment but the élevage is not finished yet, and this should be resolved with extra time. Drink from 2030-2038. Tasted: October 2023."

93-96 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"An exuberantly spicy nose features notes of clove, anise, sandalwood and jasmine tea on the nose of mostly black cherry, all of which is framed in moderately generous wood. There is outstandingly intensity to the utterly delicious flavors that culminate in a strikingly persistent and balanced finish where a touch of wood eventually reappears. This could use better depth but a few years of keeping should prove helpful."

92-95 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

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**Domaine Faiveley  
Chambertin-Clos de Bèze  
Grand Cru**



**£1161 per 3 IB**  
Drink to 2040  
Arriving Late 2024

**94-97 Jasper Morris**

**93-95 Neal Martin**

**94-97 Burghound**

"A classic Bèze nose of spice, earth and plenty of floral influence leads to succulent and round yet decidedly intense, muscular and powerful flavors that coat the mouth with sappy dry extract while delivering huge length on the seamlessly balanced if moderately austere finish. This is also terrific."

94-97 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

"Bright crimson purple, with a super-sensual nose. On the palate the sweet strawberry, and raspberry, fruit spreads out, but does not quite have the precision of the finest. This will be delicious, and may tighten up to be very fine. Drink from 2030-2040. Tasted: October 2023."

94-97 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

**Domaine Faiveley  
'Les Referts'  
Puligny-Montrachet 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£516 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

Not Yet Reviewed



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## Domaine Servin

Avenue d'Oberwesel, Chablis

***“The 30-hectare Domaine Servin, ably directed by François Servin and Australian-born winemaker Marc Cameron, continues to number among Chablis's under-appreciated addresses... This domaine comes warmly recommended.”***

**William Kelley**



Documented by the monks of Saint Martin for owning vineyards as far back as the 16th century, successive generations of the Servin family have continued the tradition of winemaking in Chablis ever since.

Today the approach is very much a mixture of modern and traditional techniques. The best vineyard sites are hand harvested to ensure fruit arrives at optimum ripeness. Single plot vinification takes place in a mixture of stainless steel and oak, letting the differences in terroir shine in each wine. The vines average 40 years and most of the sites are on Kimmeridgian limestone soils. This gives the wines their power, concentration and minerality which is so typical of the Domaine's style. The Grands Crus in particular have great cellaring potential.

In reviewing Marc's 2022s, Neal Martin calls Servin “a rather under-estimated Chablis producer”, but that is not the case with us or our customers, having been loyal buyers for many years.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Servin 'Vieilles Vignes Sélection Massale'	Chablis	White	90-92 NM	£180 per 12 IB
Domaine Servin 'Vaucoupin'	Chablis 1er Cru	White	92 NM	£225 per 12 IB
Domaine Servin 'Les Forêts'	Chablis 1er Cru	White	90-93 AM	£225 per 12 IB
Domaine Servin 'Vaillons'	Chablis 1er Cru	White	90 AM	£230 per 12 IB
Domaine Servin 'Montée de Tonnerre'	Chablis 1er Cru	White	91-93 AM	£230 per 12 IB
Domaine Servin 'Blanchots'	Chablis Grand Cru	White	91-93 NM	£240 per 6 IB
Domaine Servin 'Preuses'	Chablis Grand Cru	White	93-95 NM	£240 per 6 IB

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**Domaine Servin  
Chablis Vieilles Vignes  
Sélection Massale**



**£180 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**90-92 Neal Martin**

**89-91 Burghound**

"The 2021 Chablis Vieilles Vignes Massale is 100% fermented and aged in used barrels for up to 24 months. It has a touch of beeswax on the nose, veering into yellow fruit. The palate is well-balanced thanks to a fine spine of acidity, with more tension than the Chablis Village and a prickle of spice on the finish. Worth seeking out - very fine."

90-92 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, July 2023

"A discreet though not imperceptible application of wood sets off airy, cool and pretty aromas of mostly white orchard fruit, lemon-lime and sea breeze character. There is again excellent volume to the intense medium-bodied flavors that also conclude in a clean, dry, long and balanced finale where a touch of youthful austerity slowly emerges. This too is very good."

89-91 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, August 2023

**Domaine Servin  
'Vaucoupin'  
Chablis 1er Cru**



**£225 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-93 Burghound**

**92 Neal Martin**

"A cool and attractively perfumed nose freely offers up its array of ripe white and yellow peach, citrus confit and enough wood influence to merit pointing out. There is excellent richness to the relatively big-bodied flavors that coat the palate on the citrusy, saline-inflected and dry finish that is also sneaky long. This should age well over the mid to even longer-term."

91-93 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, August 2023

"The 2022 Chablis Vaucoupin 1er Cru, raised in stainless steel, has a lovely bouquet with orange blossom, light nectarine scents, and just a background hint of vanilla pod. The palate is well-balanced with a touch of spice, the acidity cutting through nicely (pH is 3.2). Very textural on the powerful finish; this is a strong follow-up to the impressive 2021 last year."

92 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, July 2023

**Domaine Servin  
'Les Forêts'  
Chablis 1er Cru**



**£225 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**90-93 Burghound**

**87-89 Neal Martin**

"Ripe yet attractively fresh aromas are comprised by notes of citrus confit, apple, spice and iodine. There is a really lovely texture to the refined and lightly stony middleweight flavors that deliver sneaky good length on the balanced, dry and youthfully austere finish. This is a Forêts that offers a certain finesse, even delicacy, yet one that should repay up to a decade of cellaring if desired."

90-93 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, August 2023

"The 2021 Chablis Les Fôrets 1er Cru was taken directly from tank and saw no wood. The nose offers lemon thyme and light white flower scents, open and generous, one that I feel offers immediate appeal. The palate is well-balanced with a pliant entry, slightly lower acidity than the previous vintage, and modest depth. The finish is just somewhat simplistic compared to Servin's other Premier Crus."

87-89 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, July 2023

# LAITHWAITES FINE WINE

**Domaine Servin  
'Vaillons'  
Chablis 1er Cru**



**£230 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**90 Burghound**

**89 Neal Martin**

"The 2021 Chablis Vaillons 1er Cru is planned to be bottled three times, this being the first in May 2022. The fragrant nose has touches of yellow fruit and crushed stone, just a hint of shaved almond coming through. The palate is well-balanced with a slightly reductive entry, good weight and grip. I'm just seeking more tension on the finish, though there is commendable length."

89 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, July 2023

"An exuberantly floral-suffused nose reflects additional notes of lemon zest, white pepper and oyster shell. The round, fleshy and caressing medium weight flavors exude a bracing salinity on the moderately dry finish that is shaped by citrus-tinged acidity. This could use better depth so a few years of keeping should prove beneficial.."

90 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, August 2023

**Domaine Servin  
'Montée de Tonnerre'  
Chablis 1er Cru**



**£230 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-93 Burghound**

**90-92 Neal Martin**

"Here too there is enough wood influence present to mention on the pure and elegant nose of spicy floral, apple and ocean spray. I very much like the texture of the vibrant and stylish middleweight flavors that flash ample minerality on the youthfully austere and long finish where a touch of bitter lemon zest slowly emerges. Lovely."

91-93 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, August 2023

"The 2021 Chablis Montée de Tonnerre 1er Cru suffered some frost damage, and so was cropped at 42hl/ha; this cuvée is slightly higher in alcohol at 13.35%. It has quite an intense, energetic, menthol-tinged bouquet with plenty of citrus fruit. The palate is well-balanced and defined with a lightly spiced entry. There's a little more salinity than the Mont de Milieu, with a nice bitter twist on the finish. A level-up from the 2021."

90-92 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, July 2023

**Domaine Servin  
'Blanchot'  
Chablis Grand Cru**



**£240 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2030  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-93 Neal Martin**

**91-94 Burghound**

"The 2022 Chablis Blanchot Grand Cru, taken from tank as usual, has quite a classical bouquet with sea spray/oyster shell scents percolating through the citrus fruit. The palate is well-balanced with a fine bead of acidity, one of the more elegant Grand Crus from Servin with an approachable, open finish. Very fine, though less cerebral than the Bougros."

91-93 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, July 2023

"This is aromatically similar to the Montée de Tonnerre with the important exception that there is no wood influence here. On the palate there is a certain resemblance as well as I very much like the texture of the bigger and richer, though not finer, medium-bodied flavors that display impressive power on the sappy and palate soaking and slightly firmer finish where the only nit is a touch of warmth. Some patience required."

91-94 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, August 2023

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**Domaine Servin  
'Les Preuses'  
Chablis Grand Cru**



**£240 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2030  
Arriving Late 2024

**92-94 Burghound**

"The 2022 Chablis Les Preuses Grand Cru is matured entirely in used barrels, the youngest two years old. The nose has a very appealing sense of cohesion, a subtle grilled hazelnut scent coming through with time. The palate is well-balanced with a slightly honeyed entry, citrus peel and orange pith. It fans out impressively towards the finish and feels very persistent in the mouth. This will tangle with the Bougros for supremacy once in bottle."

93-95 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, July 2023

**93-95 Neal Martin**

"A reserved but exceptionally pretty nose somewhat grudgingly offers up its aromas of notably spicier white orchard fruit and cool floral whiffs along with hints of shrimp shell and iodine. There is better volume still if perhaps not quite the same minerality on the strikingly textured and hugely long finish that offers just a bit more complexity. This is excellent and worth considering."

92-94 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, August 2023

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## Domaine Felettig

Rue du Tilleul, Chambolle-Musigny

*“This was a very impressive set of wines from Felettig, perhaps the best I’ve tasted since I started visiting a few years ago .”*

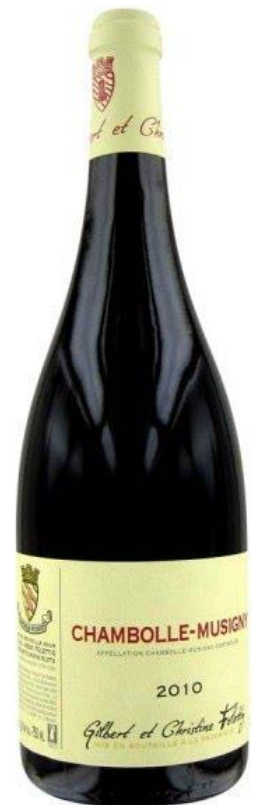
**Neal Martin**



Allen Meadows, Neal Martin and William Kelley have all earmarked siblings Gilbert and Christine Felettig’s Chambolle-Musigny Domaine as a rising star and our visits here over the last half decade or so have really reinforced this view.

Gilbert is not shy of using a little new oak where it is called for, naturally increasing in the percentage used as we go up to the Premiers and Grands Crus. Whole bunch inclusion is practiced here, but always varying according to the plot, so 0% for some and up to 45% for others, but this always varies by plot and does not follow the appellation hierarchy. In 2022, whole bunch was used to varying degrees on all of the reds.

Gilbert highlighted the vintage’s balance, freshness and texture. There was greater opulence on show here than at many other addresses, with plenty of dark fruit flavours to go with the red. They are right up our street and judging by recent reception, also up the street of many of our customers.



<b>Name</b>	<b>AOC</b>	<b>Colour</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Case Price</b>
Domaine Felettig	Bourgogne	Red	84-86 NM	£105 per 6 IB
Domaine Felettig	Nuits-Saint-Georges	Red	90-92 NM	£260 per 6 IB
Domaine Felettig ‘Les Combottes’	Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru	Red	91-93 NM	£515 per 6 IB
Domaine Felettig ‘Les 4 Climats’	Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru	Red	91-94 JM	£515 per 6 IB
Domaine Felettig ‘Gruenchers’	Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru	Red	92-95 JM	£515 per 6 IB
Domaine Felettig Aligoté	Bourgogne	White	-	£70 per 6 IB
Domaine Felettig ‘En Vallerot’	Hautes-Côtes de Beaune	White	-	£105 per 6 IB

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## Domaine Felettig Bourgogne



**£105 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

### 84-86 Neal Martin

"Racked and sulphured two weeks ago. A bright deep and even purple. This is solid, rich, even concentrated with a wealth of dark cherry fruit, and good supporting tannins. Substantial and impressive. Drink from 2025-2028. Tasted: December 2023."

86-89 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

### 86-89 Burghound

"A classic pinot nose of freshly crushed red berries and a touch of earth leads to succulent, fleshy and round middleweight flavors that conclude in a lightly austere, inviting and refreshing finish that offers better than average depth. To enjoy young though this could easily repay a few years of keeping if desired."

86-89 Pts Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

### 86-89 Jasper Morris

## Domaine Felettig Nuits-St-Georges



**£260 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2031+  
Arriving Late 2024

### 90-92 Jasper Morris

"From Les Chaliots (south) and Lavières (north). A fine dense purple as befits a Nuits. 40% whole bunches. I thought there might be the faintest hint of volatility, which can be tidied up, but otherwise an interesting cuvée of Nuits-St-Georges, with a notably fresh finish. Red fruit rather than black. Drink from 2030-2035. Tasted: December 2023."

90-92 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

### 90-92 Neal Martin

"The 2022 Nuits Saint-Georges Village comes from two parcels, two-thirds from Les Lavières. This fragrant, Vosne-like bouquet offers pretty blueberry and black cherry fruit that seem to blossom in the glass. The palate is medium-bodied and incorporates the 30% whole bunches with style. It is very cohesive with a sorbet-fresh, live-wire finish, leaving a dash of residual white pepper to linger in the mouth."

90-92 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

### 89-91 Burghound

## Domaine Felettig 'Les Combottes' Chambolle-Musigny 1<sup>er</sup> Cru



**£515 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035+  
Arriving Late 2024

### 92-95 Jasper Morris

"Made from 70 year old vines, with 55-60% whole bunch vinification. A bright medium deep purple. More in red berry fruit, raspberry, without the iron rich notes of neighbouring Aux Echanges. Lifted and quite classy. This is really quite substantial from such a lesser known 1er cru. Vines from early 1950s could help, of course. Gilbert suggests that this could be the quintessence of Chambolle. Drink from 2030-2038. Tasted: December 2023."

92-95 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

### 90-92 Burghound

"The 2022 Chambolle-Musigny Aux Combottes 1er Cru comes from vines up to 70 years old. It has a very expressive bouquet with pure black cherry, tayberry fruit, crushed stone, and light forest floor scents. The medium-bodied palate has good concentration with a mixture of red and black fruit. The new oak is a little dominant towards the finish - it's one cuvée where I feel that less would have revealed the elegance that is here. Let's see how this ages and absorbs the oak."

91-93 Pts Neal Martin. Vinous.com. October 2023

### 91-93 Neal Martin

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**Domaine Felettig  
'Les 4 Climats'  
Chambolle-Musigny 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£515 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035+  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-94 Jasper Morris**

**89-92 Burghound**

**89-91 Neal Martin**

"From Aux Combettes and Les Combottes, Chatelots, Chabiots, a mix of domaine fruit and purchases. 60% whole bunch vinification. Medium deep purple, the whole bunches lift the nose quite nicely. All the fruit sits at the back of the palate along with a bit of barrel spice. All completes quite nicely with intensity and class. Drink from 2030-2037. Tasted: December 2023."

91-94 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Chambolle-Musigny Les 4 Climats 1er Cru is a blend of Les Chabiots, Aux Combottes, Les Combottes, and Les Chatelots from vines up to 60 years old with almost 70% whole bunches. The stems play an important role on the nose, lending tertiary black pepper scents and a suggestion of pitted black olive. The palate is medium-bodied with supple tannins - quite a dense Chambolle Musigny and maybe it misses the refinement of Felettig's best cuvées on the finish. I would afford this 4 - 5 year in a bottle. Fine, but not "best in show.""

89-91 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Felettig  
'Gruenchers'  
Chambolle-Musigny 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£515 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035+  
Arriving Late 2024

**92-95 Jasper Morris**

**89-92 Burghound**

**91-93 Neal Martin**

"Three barrels made from healthy fruit, 100% whole bunches. Not too deep in colour. A delicious rose petal nose, not exaggerated. Indeed, very stylish. Now I can see some coffee notes sometimes found here in Chambolle-Musigny. Very lovely and quite long. Drink from 2030-2037. Tasted: December 2023."

92-95 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Chambolle-Musigny Les Gruenchers 1er Cru is 100% whole bunches and matured entirely in new oak. The wood dominates the aromatics at the moment, rendering it a little generic compared to others. The palate is medium-bodied with succulent, pliant tannins. There is sufficient fruit to soak up the new oak, and the finish is better assimilated than the nose. Therefore, give this 4 - 5 years in a bottle so that the constituent parts can meld together."

91-93 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Felettig  
Bourgogne Aligoté**



**£70 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2024  
Arriving Late 2024

**87-89 Jasper Morris**

"In tank now after a long slow fermentation and 12 months in barrel with 10% new. Currently not clear. A lovely energy to the nose. A little lime juice, then a more generous white fruit with tangy grape skins behind. Rather lovely especially in texture. texture. Drink from 2025-2028. Tasted: December 2023."

87-89 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

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**Domaine Felettig 'En Vallerot'**  
**Hautes-Côtes de Beaune**



**£105 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2025  
Arriving Late 2024

Not Yet Reviewed



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## Domaine Joseph Colin

Rue de la Chatenière, Saint-Aubin

***“Joseph Colin—who left Domaine Marc Colin to start a domaine of his own in 2016—is going from strength to strength.”***

**William Kelley**



Splitting from the family estate Domaine Marc Colin in 2016, 2020 was the fourth vintage produced by Joseph under his own name and he has already established his wines as some of the most sought-after whites in our range.

We have been blown away by the quality of the whites from this estate since Joseph's solo debut 2017 vintage. Specialising in Chassagne-Montrachet and Saint-Aubin, these are some of the most pure, mineral whites in the Côte de Beaune, rivalling Moreau's efforts as the very best in this neck of the woods.

Now installed in a brand new winery that allows for greater flexibility in the vinification, Joseph's 2022s showed perhaps the best freshness of any white Domaine in the vintage. Early harvesting due to his love of acid, plus a touch of CO2 in the wine made the samples we tried alive and full of energy. Saint-Aubin perhaps no longer goes under the radar as once it did, but here is one of its finest exponents.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Joseph Colin	Chassagne-Montrachet	Red	-	£170 per 6
Domaine Joseph Colin 'Compendium'	Saint-Aubin	White	90 JM	£175 per 6 IB
Domaine Joseph Colin 'Les Champlots'	Saint-Aubin 1er Cru	White	88-91 JM	£235 per 6 IB
Domaine Joseph Colin 'En Remilly'	Saint-Aubin 1er Cru	White	91-93 JM	£255 per 6 IB
Domaine Joseph Colin	Chassagne-Montrachet	White	89-91 JM	£330 per 6 IB
Domaine Joseph Colin 'Vide Bourse'	Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru	White	92-95 JM	£470 per 6 IB
Domaine Joseph Colin	Bâtard-Montrachet Grand Cru	White	95-97 JM	£1180 per 3 IB

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**Domaine Joseph Colin  
Chassagne-Montrachet Rouge**



**£170 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

Not Yet Reviewed

**Domaine Joseph Colin  
'Compendium'  
St-Aubin**



**£175 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2026  
Arriving Late 2024

**90 Jasper Morris**

"This cuvée is labelled as Mes 7 Terroirs in North America. Bottled. Fresh pale lemon colour with a little spritz. Strikingly elegant, kicks on very well on the palate, the style manages to deliverer intensity without evident flesh. I think the level of gas explains this. These village vineyards were picked late enough, so adequate ripeness is there. Drink from 2025-2028. Tasted: October 2023.."

90 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

**Domaine Joseph Colin  
'Les Champlots'  
St-Aubin 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£235 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2028  
Arriving Late 2024

**88-91 Jasper Morris**

"A pale, green infused, colour. One of the riper wines on the nose, as Champlots gets the setting sun, with a little more flesh on the palate and the oak is showing more. The softer style of this vineyard catches the oak more, perhaps. Drink from 2025-2028. Tasted: October 2023."

88-91 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

**Domaine Joseph Colin  
'En Remilly'  
St-Aubin 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£255 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2029  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-93 Jasper Morris**

"Joseph has vines in three sectors of En Remilly, on the plateau, low down by the main road and in Les Cortons. Pale lemon and lime. The bouquet is sunny rather than angular, but not roasted. Very complete in the mouth, just enough flesh, an acidity which avoids impinging to forcefully, so a more flattering texture and a fine long finish. Drink from 2026-2030. Tasted: October 2023."

91-93 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

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**Domaine Joseph Colin  
Chassagne-Montrachet**



**£330 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**89-91 Jasper Morris**

"From three plots by the 1er and grand cru vineyards. Pale lemon and lime. Plenty of energy here, linear, obviously from white soil, pure orchard fruit with a fresh finish. Drink from 2026-2030. Tasted: October 2023."  
89-91 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

**Domaine Joseph Colin  
'Vide Bourse'  
Chassagne-Montrachet 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£470 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2032  
Arriving Late 2024

**92-95 Jasper Morris**

"A fine light lemon and lime. Just a little white fruit on the nose. Extremely intense on the palate, with some lime notes - sometimes Vide Bourse can be fleshier than this - more white fruit further back on the palate. Just a baby at the moment. The aftertaste shows the quality of this vineyard which abuts the grands crus. Drink from 2028-2035. Tasted: October 2023."

92-95 Pts, Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

**Domaine Joseph Colin  
Bâtard-Montrachet Grand Cru**



**£1180 per 3 IB**  
Drink to 2032+  
Arriving Late 2024

**95-97 Jasper Morris**

"Mid lemon, with just a little bit more intensity on the nose, and very much more on the palate. There is some oak to back it up but the fruit concentration merits this. Chiselled white fruit, some fresh greengage notes as well, fairly long. Indeed, the fruit bounces back some time later. Three barrels made."

95-97 Pts, Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

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## Domaine Hudelot-Baillet

Rue Caroline Aigle, Chambolle-Musigny

***“Gotta soft spot for Hudelot-Baillet...I don't mind admitting that. It's just got everything that I like about Burgundy: not too big, congenial winemaker, choice selection of premier crus with a grand cru if you fancy, straightforward winemaking, nothing fancy, nothing self-aggrandising. Just delicious, nuanced wines that need but a sip to compel a purchase.”***

**Neal Martin**



A Domaine often thought of for producing big, powerful Chambolle-Musigny has, based on our more recent tastings of their wares, produced a selection of wines we feel are perhaps more typical of the appellation; really very charming, precise and elegant. This hasn't gone unnoticed by the critics either, with William Kelley noting that “given the level of quality now being attained at this address, to say nothing of its enviable palette of appellations, readers should take notice.”

Dominique Leguen's son Tanguy is increasingly involved in the winemaking duties as the baton slowly passes from one generation to the next. The wines show admirable concentration for the vintage and give further credence to this Domaine's claim to be producing wines that put them at Chambolle's top table.

Our long-standing support gives us one of the best allocations around from this brilliant estate, yet there is still not much to go around. Do not hesitate to fill your cellar with these wonderful wines.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet	Bourgogne	Red	89 NM	£200 per 12 IB
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet (150cl)	Bourgogne-Hautes-Côtes de Nuits	Red	90 NM	£155 per 3 IB
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet 'Vieilles Vignes'	Chambolle-Musigny	Red	89-91 NM	£315 per 6 IB
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet 'Charmes'	Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru	Red	91-93 NM	£455 per 6 IB
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet 'Cras'	Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru	Red	93-95 NM	£475 per 6 IB
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet 'Borniques'	Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru	Red	91-93 NM	£330 per 3 IB
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet	Bonnes Mares Grand Cru	Red	93-95 NM	£900 per 3 IB
Domaine Hudelot-Baillet	Bourgogne-Hautes-Côtes de Nuits	White	88 NM	£110 per 6 IB

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## Domaine Hudelot-Baillet Bourgogne



**£200 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

### 89 Neal Martin

### 86-89 Burghound

"The 2022 Bourgogne Rouge has a light, slightly earthy bouquet with raspberry and briar scents, well-knit and focused. The palate is medium-bodied with fine tannins. It's juicy, yet there is structure and commendable precision on the finish. One of the best Bourgogne Rouge that I tasted."

89 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"A discreet if perceptible application of wood is present on the ripe aromas of black pinot fruit, earth and a whiff of anise. There is fine volume to the equally delicious and more concentrated flavors that conclude in a chiseled, balanced and lightly austere finish. Very good quality for the genre."

86-89 Pts Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

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## Domaine Hudelot-Baillet Hautes-Côtes de Nuits



**(150cl) £155 per 3 IB**  
Drink to 2042+  
Arriving Late 2024

### 90 Neal Martin

### 86-89 Burghound

"The 2022 Bourgogne Rouge Hautes-Côtes de Nuits, picked around ten days later than other cuvées, had been bottled just before my visit. Well-defined on the nose, the fruit is slightly darker than the Bourgogne Rouge. The palate is medium-bodied with a sapid entry and fine tannins. It's juicy with a touch of spice toward the finish."

90 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"Here too there is just enough wood to perceive on the spicier aromas of black raspberry and soft floral wisps. I very much like the energy suffusing the more finely textured" if less concentrated flavors that flash a lovely minerality on the tension-filled and equally chiseled finale. This too is very good for the genre."

86-89 Pts Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

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## Domaine Hudelot-Baillet 'Vieilles Vignes' Chambolle-Musigny



**£315 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2042+  
Arriving Late 2024

### 89-91 Neal Martin

### 89-91 Burghound

"The 2021 Chambolle-Musigny Vieilles Vignes, tasted from a one-year-old barrel (there will 20% new in the final blend) has a tightly-knit bouquet with blackberry and raspberry fruit, quite elegant after three or four minutes of aeration. The palate is medium-bodied with a lovely, confit-like entry, very well balanced with a silky texture, hints of raspberry jam and white pepper on the finish. Beautifully defined from start to finish. Excellent."

89-91 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"Ripe aromas are composed of plum, spice, dark currant and freshly turned earth nuances. The appealingly energetic yet exceptionally rich middleweight flavors exude noticeable minerality on the caressing and sappy finale. This is a surprisingly powerful effort for a Chambolle villages that should repay up to a decade of keeping."

89-91 Pts Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

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**Domaine Hudelot-Baillet**  
**'Les Charmes'**  
**Chambolle-Musigny 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£455 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2036  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-93 Neal Martin**

**90-93 Burghound**

"The 2022 Chambolle-Musigny Les Charmes 1er Cru comes from two barrels and is aged in 25% new oak. This is much more complex and nuanced on the nose than the Vieilles Vignes: very focused with ebullient red fruit laced with violet. The palate is medium-bodied with good density on the entry. It's quite structured for a Chambolle with some firm tannins on the finish, but sufficient fruit keeps it balanced and poised."

91-93 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"A moderately toasty and menthol-suffused nose displays cool aromas of mostly dark berries and pretty floral wisps. The medium-bodied, rich and punchy flavors possess a gorgeous mouthfeel while flashing evident minerality on the balanced, youthfully austere and sneaky long finale. This is also sufficiently structured to easily repay up to a decade of cellaring."

90-93 Pts Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

**Domaine Hudelot-Baillet**  
**'Les Cras'**  
**Chambolle-Musigny 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£475 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2036  
Arriving Late 2024

**93-95 Neal Martin**

**90-93 Burghound**

"The 2022 Chambolle-Musigny Les Cras 1er Cru is more transparent and mineral-driven than the Charmes, the limestone soils flooding through the aromatics, defining them. The palate is medium-bodied with crunchy red fruit and gentle grip. It's quite energetic with a tensile finish. Once this fills out during the remainder of its barrel maturation, this will be a great Chambolle."

93-95 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"This is aromatically quite similar to the Charmes though the fruit seems even fresher and brighter. Otherwise, the middleweight flavors possess an equally lovely texture with even more minerality suffusing the more youthfully austere and firmer finish that is beautifully balanced. Lovely and very Les Cras as this is a wine built on its minerality."

90-93 Pts Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

**Domaine Hudelot-Baillet**  
**'Les Borniques'**  
**Chambolle-Musigny 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£330 per 3 IB**  
Drink to 2036  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-93 Neal Martin**

**91-93 Burghound**

"The 2022 Chambolle-Musigny Les Borniques 1er Cru, one of the "up and coming" Premiers of Chambolle, has a mineraly, open nose - more black than red fruit, touches of incense emerging with time. The palate is medium-bodied with pliant tannins. It's more understated and less minerally than Les Charmes, with a succulent blueberry and cassis-tinged finish. Perhaps the most seductive of their 2022s this vintage."

91-93 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"This is the first wine to possess any significant amount of reduction and here it's enough to mask the underlying fruit. There is by contrast excellent verve and freshness to the bigger-bodied flavors that exhibit focused power on the youthfully austere, dusty and stony built-to-age finale. This is a textbook Borniques."

91-93 Pts Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

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**Domaine Hudelot-Baillet  
Bonnes Mares Grand Cru**



**£900 per 3 IB**  
Drink to 2048+  
Arriving Late 2024

**93-95 Neal Martin**

**92-94 Burghound**

“The 2022 Bonnes-Mares Grand Cru comprises two barrels, one new and one a year old. It has quite a backward nose, more tertiary in style, quite flinty, in fact. Blind, I would not guess this to be from this vineyard at all. The palate is medium-bodied with fleshy ripe black cherry and boysenberry fruit, fine mineralité and backbone. This is much more open, fanning out with style towards the finish that has just the right amount of edge. It’s very fine but will require bottle age to unlock the aromatics.”

93-95 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

“This is also quite firmly reduced and unreadable at present save for a dollop of wood toast. More interesting are the dense and velvet-textured broad-shouldered flavors that possess an abundance of mouthcoating sap that buffers the firm tannic spine shaping the powerful and equally well-balanced finale. Patience strongly advised.”

92-94 Pts Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, January 2024

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**Domaine Hudelot-Baillet  
Bourgogne-  
Hautes Côtes de Nuits Blanc**



**£110 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2026  
Arriving Late 2024

**88 Neal Martin**

“The 2022 Bourgogne Blanc Hautes-Côtes de Nuits is aged in 15% new larger 450-liter oak barrels. It has a light nose with yellow plum and touches of ginger, but it needs a little more energy and tension. The palate is better than the nose, lovely and balanced with a slightly honeyed texture. It’s not long-term, but it should drink well for the next 3-4 years.”

88 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine Jean Chartron

Grande Rue, Puligny-Montrachet

***“Jean-Michel Chartron has gone about turning his winery into one of the finest examples of Puligny-Montrachet in recent years... Chartron’s wines remain reasonably priced in the scheme of things and are well worth seeking out.”***

**Neal Martin**



We have spent the last few years repeating the fact that Domaine Chartron has seen a steep rise in quality over the last decade or two and that sooner or later everyone would notice... but now that time has come. William Kelley calls this estate “an excellent source of pure and precise Puligny that deserves more recognition”, while Neal Martin calls the wines “now unquestionably superior” to those produced in the late 1990s.

Chassagne was a particular hot spot of quality in 2022 and we are delighted to be able to offer one of the broadest ranges from Jean-Michel than we have been able to for several years, thanks to a return to a ‘normal’ sized vintage.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Jean Chartron Chardonnay	Bourgogne	White	88 JM	£190 per 12 IB
Domaine Jean Chartron 'Montmorin'	Rully	White	88 JM	£225 per 12 IB
Domaine Jean Chartron	Savigny-Lès-Beaune	White	88-90 JM	£325 per 12 IB
Domaine Jean Chartron 'Perrières'	Saint-Aubin 1er Cru	White	89-92 JM	£260 per 6 IB
Domaine Jean Chartron	Chassagne-Montrachet	White	88-91 JM	£285 per 6 IB
Domaine Jean Chartron	Puligny-Montrachet	White	89-91 JM	£285 per 6 IB
Domaine Jean Chartron	Corton-Charlemagne Grand Cru	White	92-95 JM	£1075 per 6 IB
Domaine Jean Chartron	Bâtard-Montrachet Grand Cru	White	93-95 JM	£1800 per 6 IB



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**Domaine Jean Chartron  
Bourgogne Chardonnay Vieilles  
Vignes**



**£190 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**88 Jasper Morris**

**84 Neal Martin**

"Bottled in August, having been matured half in 500 litre barrels and half normal size. Pale lemon colour. A light but attractive fresh apple fruit. This brings out a charm and opulence on the palate yet still with a fine fresh finish. A certain vivid crunchiness. Very good length. Drink from 2024-2026. Tasted: October 2023."

88 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Bourgogne Chardonnay (labeled "Cuvée Eugénie Dupard in the UK) has a simple but clean malic bouquet. The palate is balanced with moderate depth, missing a little tension and a decent leesy finish. To drink over the next two or three years."

84 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**Domaine Jean Chartron  
'Montmorin'  
Rully**



**£225 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**88 Jasper Morris**

**88 Neal Martin**

"In bottle. Fresh green colour with a lively bouquet, a little bit of fruit salad. Plenty to follow on the palate with a saline note behind, and fair persistence. Drink from 2024-2027. Tasted: October 2023."

88 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Rully Montmorin has a light nose with Granny Smiths and fresh pear, a light limestone aroma hovering in the background. The palate is well-balanced with fine poise and a little more nerve than the Bourgogne Blanc. The neatly integrated 10% new oak rounds out the finish nicely. Worth seeking out."

88 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**Domaine Jean Chartron  
Savigny-Lès-Beaune**



**£295 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2031  
Arriving Late 2024

**88-90 Jasper Morris**

**87-89 Neal Martin**

"Pale lime colour. The bouquet is quite refined, not too much oak showing. There is high quality fresh apple on the palate, maintain the sense of refinement, with a good fruit acid balance in the persistent finish. Drink from 2025-2028. Tasted: October 2023."

88-90 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Savigny-lès-Beaune Blanc has plenty of orchard fruit on the nose, orange pith and tangerine, very alluring with nicely integrated oak. The palate is very well-balanced with a fine bead of acidity. It's creamier than expected, with almond and white chocolate touches towards the finish. I would broach this young and enjoy it in its flush of youth."

87-89 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**Domaine Jean Chartron  
'Perrières'  
Saint-Aubin 1er Cru**



**£260 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2032  
Arriving Late 2024

**89-92 Jasper Morris**

**87-89 Neal Martin**

"Clear pale lemon yellow. There is less immediate bouquet compared to the St-Aubin blend. Some fresh but ripe apples start to emerge. The quality of the fruit is consistent across the palate, with a citrus acidity bringing up the back. Persistent. Drink from 2026-2030. Tasted: October 2023."

89-92 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"Despite aeration, the 2022 Saint-Aubin Les Perrières 1er Cru is quite stoic on the nose. Moving onto the palate, there is good depth here, although the 25% new oak feels a bit too "vocal" at this stage. Hopefully, that will be assimilated during its bottle aging. I'll remain prudent for now."

87-89 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Jean Chartron  
Chassagne-Montrachet**



**£265 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2028+  
Arriving Late 2024

**89-91 Jasper Morris**

**89-91 Neal Martin**

"Includes one third of young vines from Chassagne Caillerets. Pale colour with green tints. The bouquet is all in white fruit, a little softer than the trio of St-Aubins. There is good body behind this, filling the palate with white fruit, and going through to a graceful finish. Drink from 2026-2030. Tasted: October 2023."

89-91 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Chassagne-Montrachet Villages comes from the youngest vines in Cailleret, which were replanted in 2017 and is blended with vines from Benoites. The pretty nose has hints of candy floss filtering through the citrus fruit and a touch of wild strawberry. The palate is well-balanced and quite strict in style, not a powerful Chassagne but certainly tensile. I would have preferred a touch more depth and grip on the finish."

89-91 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Jean Chartron  
Puligny-Montrachet**



**£285 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2029+  
Arriving Late 2024

**88-91 Jasper Morris**

**88-90 Neal Martin**

"Jean-Michel has a contract to farm an extra five ouvrées of Puligny from the commune for five years. Mid lemon and lime. Fresh and floral, with a good fresh backbone, slight lime blossom. Quite chiselled on the one hand, yet with fair flesh on the other. Drink from 2026-2031. Tasted: October 2023."

89-91 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Puligny-Montrachet Village comes from plots on the estate, augmented by exchanges on the négoce side of the business. It offers Granny Smiths and light limestone scents on the nose, though it needs more vigor. The palate is well-balanced with a fine bead of acidity, quite mineral-driven with a flinty, focused finish. Not a long-term Puligny, though it will drink well over the next decade."

88-90 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine François Buffet

Place de l'Église, Volnay

*“Along with Pierrick Bouley, this domaine is one that I can see entering the top league of Volnay producers. At present, however, the caliber of these wines is flying under the radar, apart from those acquainted with them.”*  
Neal Martin



Based in a cracking spot in the heart of Volnay behind the church, Marc-Olivier Buffet has some low-roofed, charming cellars comprising not only the 2020s in their barrels, but a selection of bottled wines dating back to the Second World War, alas not available for sale! In his vineyards he is a keen exponent of re-piquage, replacing individual wines once they are dead or have stopped producing rather than ripping up large plots at one time, thus maximising the age of his vines. He has seven hectares spanning Volnay, Pommard and Savigny-Lès-Beaune.

Buffet's wines remain great value, despite the increasing quality on show here. As highlighted by Neal Martin, this is a Domaine whose wines just keep on getting better and better as Marc-Olivier fine tunes his skills. The decreasing number of bottles held in stock at the Domaine to satisfy passing customers is testament to the how this is an estate more in-demand than ever!



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine François Buffet	Volnay	Red	90-92 NM	£204 per 6 IB
Domaine François Buffet	Pommard	Red	89-91 NM	£210 per 6 IB
Domaine François Buffet 'Poutures'	Pommard 1er Cru	Red	91-93 JM	£330 per 6 IB
Domaine François Buffet 'Clos de la Rougeotte'	Volnay 1er Cru	Red	91-93 JM	£330 per 6 IB
Domaine François Buffet 'Rugiens'	Pommard 1er Cru	Red	93-95 NM	£375 per 6 IB

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**Domaine François Buffet  
Volnay**



**£204 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2032  
Arriving Late 2024

**90-92 Neal Martin**

**89-91 Jasper Morris**

"The 2022 Volnay Village is a blend of two lieux-dits, as usual. It has a feisty and lively bouquet with raspberry, blueberry and sous-bois scents. There is plenty of substance here, lovely red berry fruit laced with graphite and impressive substance and freshness on the finish. Recommended."

90-92 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"A mix of Famines, the ripest plot, and Gigotte, which brings some freshness. Incredibly dark by Buffet standards, with an opaque inky nose. Not quite sure what to make of this but the intensity is impressive and it does come across as fresh enough at the finish, and very persistent. Drink from 2028-2033. Tasted: October 2023."

89-91 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

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**Domaine François Buffet  
Pommard**



**£210 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2034  
Arriving Late 2024

**89-91 Neal Martin**

**88-91 Jasper Morris**

"The 2022 Pommard Village, which contains some Premier Cru fruit, has quite an intense nose with raspberry, briar and light sous-bois aromas. The palate is well-balanced and fleshier than the 2021, with ample weight on the raspberry and wild strawberry-infused finish. Fine tension; this is a classy Pommard Village."

89-91 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"Deep dense crimson purple. A slight note of ephemeral breadsticks on the nose— then a very intense exciting fresh raspberry behind with length and energy. A wine which is currently in two parts, hence a conservative rating. Drink from 2028-2034. Tasted: October 2023."

88-91 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

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**Domaine François Buffet  
'Poutures'  
Pommard 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£330 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040  
Arriving Late 2024

**88-90 Neal Martin**

**91-93 Jasper Morris**

"The 2022 Pommard Poutures 1er Cru needs to gel together on the nose; it's just a little disjointed compared to Buffet's other cuvées at the moment. The palate is medium-bodied with quite firm, grainy tannins. Black pepper and clove towards the finish, quite linear with a sapid finish."

88-90 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"Medium deep purple, with a delicious nose lifted by the whole bunches. Plenty of energy on the palate, still predominantly raspberry, with a fine boned texture and no aggressive tannins. Holds together very well. Fine long finish. Drink from 2029-2036. Tasted: October 2023."

91-93 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

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**Domaine François Buffet**  
**'Clos de la Rougeotte'**  
**Volnay 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£330 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2034  
Arriving Late 2024

**90-92 Neal Martin**

**91-93 Jasper Morris**

"The 2022 Volnay Clos de la Rougeotte 1er Cru has a very pretty floral bouquet with dark cherries, bergamot and forest floor scents, unfurling beautifully in the glass. The palate is well-balanced with more mineralité than the Cavelles and more persistence on the finish whilst retaining a slightly linear quality. Give this 3-4 years in bottle."

90-92 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"The first picked, and one of their biodynamic plots. A clean medium deep purple. The nose is strikingly elegant in the Rougeotte way, with a little extra ripeness and still that feeling of whole bunches that is typical of the Buffet style, even though there are none in this wine, very lovely on the palate with some peony notes on top of the raspberries. Drink from 2028-2034. Tasted: October 2023."

91-93 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

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**Domaine François Buffet**  
**'Les Rugiens'**  
**Pommard 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£330 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040  
Arriving Late 2024

**93-95 Neal Martin**

**91-93 Jasper Morris**

"The 2022 Pommard Les Rugiens 1er Cru has a well-defined bouquet with raspberry, sous-bois and light floral scents. The palate is medium-bodied with a sapid entry, quite a structured Les Rugiens as it ought to be. It offers grippy, dark berry fruit laced with black pepper towards the persistent finish. Very promising."

93-95 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

"Mid purple, a delicious nose, fine depth, all in red fruit while also showing the oak at the moment. Perhaps the 2022 Rugiens is a touch lighter than expected at the back, pretty rather than super-dynamic, but delicious nonetheless. Drink from 2030-2036. Tasted: October 2023."

91-93 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

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## Samuel Billaud

8 Boulevard du Docteur Tacussel, Chablis

***“Let’s cut to the chase. Samuel Billaud is one of the most exciting winemakers in Chablis. He has the “touch” that elevates wines to another level, an uncommon sense of completeness and complexity. Would I put him in the same tier as Vincent Dauvissat and Raveneau? I would.”***  
**Neal Martin**



Samuel Billaud is a producer we have backed since day one, and in recent years has been tipped to join the exalted likes of Raveneau and Dauvissat at the top table in Chablis. Our view is he has now arrived and pulled up a chair!

He was winemaker at his family winery, Domaine Billaud-Simon, before he struck out on his own in 2009. Since then he has rapidly gained a reputation as one of the finest producers in Chablis with each vintage building on the last.

His 2022s are quite possibly the finest we have yet tasted – walking the tight-rope of steely Chablis tension and ripe fruit like few others. Crucially, even at the relatively junior level there is a precision and deftness of touch that one very rarely comes across at this price point. In fact, by the time we had finished tasting our first flight of the 2022’s in Samuel’s cellar last autumn, it was remarked “how can the 1er Crus, let alone the Grand Crus improve upon these”? These are all highly recommended



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Samuel Billaud ‘Bourgogne d’Or’	Bourgogne	White	87-89 JM	£110 per 6 IB
Samuel Billaud	Petit Chablis	White	89 NM	£115 per 6 IB
Samuel Billaud ‘Les Grands Terroirs’	Chablis	White	89-92 JM (5*)	£135 per 6 IB
Samuel Billaud ‘Montmains’	Chablis 1er Cru	White	92-94 NM	£255 per 6 IB
Samuel Billaud ‘Fourneaux’	Chablis 1er Cru	White	91-93 NM	£255 per 6 IB
Samuel Billaud ‘Vaillons’ Vieilles Vignes	Chablis 1er Cru	White	92-95 JM (5*)	£275 per 6 IB
Samuel Billaud ‘Montée de Tonnerre’	Chablis 1er Cru	White	92-96 JM (5*)	£295 per 6 IB
Samuel Billaud ‘Bougros’	Chablis Grand Cru	White	91-94 JM	£575 per 6 IB

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**Samuel Billaud  
'Bourgogne d'Or'  
Borgogne**



**£110 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**87 Neal Martin**

**87 Burghound**

"A ripe and nicely fresh nose combines notes of mostly citrus and white orchard fruit. There is both solid volume and energy to the delicious middleweight flavors that conclude in a refreshing, nicely dry and zesty finish where a touch of spritz slowly appears. This offers good quality for its level."

87 Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, October 2023

**Samuel Billaud  
Petit Chablis**



**£115 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**89 Neal Martin**

**86-87 Jasper Morris**

**88-91 Burghound**

"There are around 3,000 liters of the 2022 Petit Chablis Sur Les Clos this year, which might seem little to slake the thirst of Chablis lovers, but it's a lot more than the previous vintage. Crushed stone and touches of white flower on the nose, this is quite austere for the vintage. The palate is taut and saline, lightly spiced, finishing with a touch of nuttiness. This has a spring in its step and will likely represent great value."

89 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, July 2023

**Samuel Billaud  
'Les Grands Terroirs'  
Chablis**



**£135 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2032  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-93 Neal Martin**

**89-92 (5\*) Jasper Morris**

**89-92 Burghound**

"A blend of three great sites, Les Pargues (35 year old vines), Bas de Chapelot (40), and Les Quarts (90 year old), and some Fontenottes. Bright pale colour. Excellent tension, even bitterness. This definitely needs more elevage so will be bottled later than the Petit Chablis. Some riper notes before a much more saline finish. Impeccable and totally Chablis. Drink from 2025-2028. Tasted: June 2023."

89-92 (5\*) Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, June 2023

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**Samuel Billaud  
'Montmains'  
Chablis 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£255 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040  
Arriving Late 2024

**92-94 Neal Martin**

**90-93 Jasper Morris**

**90-93 Burghound**

"From a 35-year-old parcel in the middle of the vineyard and aged in stainless steel, the 2022 Chablis Montmains 1er Cru has a discrete bouquet gradually opening in the glass with hints of yellow plum, nectarine and beeswax. The very well-balanced palate has a keen thread of acidity, very saline in the mouth with the same verticality as the "Grands Terroirs." A real livewire on the finish sporting a very clever and subtle reduction."

92-94 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, September 2023

**Samuel Billaud  
'Fourneaux'  
Chablis 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£255 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-93 Neal Martin**

**90-92 Jasper Morris**

**90-93 Burghound**

"The 2022 Chablis Les Fourneaux 1er Cru is matured in stainless steel only. This is one of Billaud's most unapologetically austere wines on the nose, a touch of wet limestone and flint, quite Zen-like. The poised and penetrating palate is citric with a superb line of acidity and a steely and persistent finish. This is another "live wire"."

91-93 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, September 2023

**Samuel Billaud  
'Vaillons' Vieilles Vignes  
Chablis 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£275 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2028  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-93 Neal Martin**

**92-95 (5\*) Jasper Morris**

**91-93 Burghound**

"The same pale colour. The bouquet is absolutely authentic Vaillons, all about the dry stones. Tension, bitterness, full too but without deviating from the style of the terroir. A very concentrated dry and long finish. Just what I want with my oysters. Endless finish! Drink from 2027-2034. Tasted: June 2023."

92-95 Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, June 2023

**Samuel Billaud  
'Montée de Tonnerre'  
Chablis Grand Cru**



**£295 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2042  
Arriving Late 2024

**90-92 Neal Martin**

**92-96 (5\*) Jasper Morris**

**91-94 Burghound**

"The 2022 Chablis Montée de Tonnerre 1er Cru comes from two parcels (one in Haut Chapelot near Raveneau and the other in Montée de Tonnerre lieu-dit). The strict nose has crushed stone scents, hints of damp moss and sea cave. Very fine delineation. The palate has a penetrating entry with another killer line of acidity. It is tensile and steely with serious weight towards the grippy finish. Very sustained, this is a brilliant Montée de Tonnerre."

93 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, July 2023



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**Samuel Billaud  
'Bougros'  
Chablis Grand Cru**



**£575 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2042  
Arriving Late 2024

**18 Jancis Robinson**

"Intense, creamy aroma, piercing limey citrus. On the palate, firm, deep and noticeably more oomph than the premier crus, more weight but not in the least heavy. Rich in a Chablis context, firm, long, a real beauty but I am not sure I would pay this much more for the grand cru when I compare it with the pleasure offered by the premiers crus."

18 Julia Harding, JancisRobinson.com, January 2024

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## Domaine Drouhin-Laroze

Rue Gaizot, Gevrey-Chambertin

*“The style of Drouhin-Laroze’s wines is entirely different from those of Drouhin’s father, Philippe, which tended to be a little over-oaked. The change in style is perhaps not quite as 180° as Domaine Dugat’s, but it’s not far off.”*  
**Neal Martin**



Philippe Drouhin has some of the most prestigious vineyard holdings in the entire Côte d’Or, with almost half of his vineyards boasting Grand Cru status. The sixth generation, Nicolas and Caroline, have now joined Philippe in the business, with Caroline looking after the quite excellent négociant arm of the business too - Laroze de Drouhin (also featured).

We were absolutely smitten with the wines upon tasting at the domaine in November. The wines are especially polished and precise in 2022. Pound for pound, you will struggle to find better wines made in 2022 in the Côte de Nuits. Top tip.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Laroze de Drouhin Pinot Noir	Bourgogne	Red	86-89 AM	£220 per 12 IB
Laroze de Drouhin	Fixin	Red	89-91 JM	£360 per 12 IB
Domaine Drouhin-Laroze ‘Les Dix Climats’	Gevrey-Chambertin	Red	90-91 JM	£245 per 6 IB
Domaine Drouhin-Laroze	Clos Vougeot Grand Cru	Red	95-97 NM	£440 per 3 IB
Domaine Drouhin-Laroze	Chambertin-Clos de Bèze Grand Cru	Red	94-96 NM	£550 per 3 IB
Laroze de Drouhin Chardonnay	Bourgogne	White	87 NM	£225 per 12 IB

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**Laroze de Drouhin  
Pinot Noir  
Bourgogne**



**£220 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**86-88 Jasper Morris**

**86-89 Burghound**

"Quite dark purple black. A saturated style of dark raspberry, very juicy, a little attractive oak behind. The tannins subdued behind the fruit. Easy to enjoy. Drink from 2025-2027. Tasted: November 2023."  
86-88 Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, November 2023

**Laroze de Drouhin  
Fixin**



**£360 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2032  
Arriving Late 2024

**89-91 Jasper Morris**

"A regular contract since 2008. A fresh mid purple. Plenty of fresh bright red fruit, less obviously saturated than the Bourgogne. Very attractive across the palate with well-seasoned tannins. Drink from 2027-2032. Tasted: November 2023."  
89-91 Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, November 2023

**Domaine Drouhin-Laroze  
'Les Dix Climats'  
Gevrey-Chambertin**



**£245 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2033  
Arriving Late 2024

**87-89 Neal Martin**

**90-91 Jasper Morris**

**88-91 Burghound**

"The 2022 Gevrey-Chambertin "Dix Climats," which included 25% whole bunches, offers crushed strawberry and redcurrant fruit on the nose - quite floral with hints of lavender and incense. The palate is medium-bodied with sappy red fruit, fine depth and acidity, and a pinch of black pepper towards the finish. This should be ready to go after a couple of years in bottle. Fine."  
87-89 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, November 2023

**Domaine Drouhin-Laroze  
Clos Vougeot Grand Cru**



**£440 per 3 IB**  
Drink to 2040+  
Arriving Late 2024

**95-97 Neal Martin**

**93-95 Jasper Morris**

**90-93 Burghound**

"The 2022 Clos de Vougeot Grand Cru has a refined bouquet that blossoms in the glass with very fine delineation and purity of fruit. The medium-bodied palate with fine tannins, well-judged acidity, and crisp fruit shows more brightness on the finish than other cuvées. This is one of Drouhin-Laroze's best wines in 2022."  
95-97 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, November 2023

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**Domaine Drouhin-Laroze  
Chambertin-Clos de Bèze  
Grand Cru**



**£550 per 3 IB**  
Drink to 2045+  
Arriving Late 2024

**94-96 Neal Martin**

**93-96 Jasper Morris**

**92-95 Burghound**

"Blended with 25% whole bunches, the 2022 Chambertin Clos-de-Bèze Grand Cru takes time to unfurl on the nose. It's quite backward but well-defined with raspberry, wild strawberry, sous-bois and crushed stone. The palate is well-balanced with fine-grain tannins, fresh and lightly spiced, gaining depth towards the finish. Good vigor and persistence - this is a classy Clos-de-Bèze."

94-96 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, November 2023

**Laroze de Drouhin  
Chardonnay  
Bourgogne**



**£225 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**87 Neal Martin**

**85-97 Jasper Morris**

"Bottled in June, the 2022 Bourgogne Côte d'Or Blanc offers light grapefruit and melon aromas, quite lively in the glass, almost Alsace-like. The well-balanced, fresh palate has lively entry with a hint of chamomile infusing the citrus fruit with a simple but quite delicious finish."

87 Neal Martin, Vinous.com, November 2023

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## Domaine La Soufrandière

Rue aux Bourgeois, Vinzelles

*“Domaine La Soufrandière is the family estate of dynamic brothers Jean-Philippe and Jean-Guillaume Bret where they produce beautifully satiny, pure wines that are reliably flavorful and expressive .”*  
**William Kelley**



We visited the Mâconnais for the first time in several years on an en primeur buying trip. After a tip off from Marc Buffet in Volnay, we headed to see The Bret Bros, who have forged a serious reputation over the past twenty years, and are now one of the leading lights of the region with their offerings under the La Soufrandière label. These are angular, taut and highly terroir focussed. Equally, they benefit from some superb old vines, which add great depth and complexity.

Highly recommended, and a top pick for those seeking energy and vibrancy in their white Burgs.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine La Soufrandière 'Clos de Grand-Père'	Mâcon-Vinzelles	White	-	£252 per 12 IB
Domaine La Soufrandière 'Les Quarts'	Pouilly-Vinzelles	White	-	£231 per 6 IB

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**Domaine La Soufrandière  
'Clos de Grand Père'  
Mâcon-Vizelles**



**£252 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2028  
Arriving Late 2024

Not Yet Reviewed by the critics

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**Domaine La Soufrandière  
'Les Quarts'  
Pouilly-Vizelles**



**£231 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2028  
Arriving Late 2024

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## Domaine William Fèvre

Rue Jules Rathier, Chablis

*“It’s hard to think of any of Chablis’s larger estates that can match Fèvre for consistency and quality across the board .”*  
*William Kelley*



The wines of Domaine William Fèvre in 2022 are laser focussed and practically crystalline, marrying both ripeness and chiselled Chablis austerity in perfect measure. On the palate these are precise, fresh, and above all balanced.

This is an exceptional selection of wine that spans a ridiculously good value village Chablis, through to Premiers and Grands Crus from one of the leading lights of Chablis.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine William Fèvre	Chablis	White	89-92 JM (5*)	£120 per 6 IB
Domaine William Fèvre ‘Vaulorent’	Chablis 1er Cru	White	92-95 JM	£338 per 6 IB
Domaine William Fèvre ‘Montée de Tonnerre’	Chablis 1er Cru	White	93-95 JM (5*)	£348 per 6 IB
Domaine William Fèvre ‘Bougros’	Chablis Grand Cru	White	92-95 JM	£408 per 6 IB
Domaine William Fèvre ‘Preuses’	Chablis Grand Cru	White	93-95 JM	£527 per 6 IB
Domaine William Fèvre ‘Côte Bouguerots’	Chablis Grand Cru	White	95-98 JM (5*)	£645 per 6 IB

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**Domaine William Fèvre  
Chablis**



**£120 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**89-92 (5\*) Jasper Morris**

**88-90 Neal Martin**

**89-91 Allen Meadows**

"Notes of mineral reduction and quinine add breadth to the aromas of green apple, lemonlime and discreet floral nuances. There is slightly better density to the attractively textured medium-bodied flavors that are even more saline-inflected on the balanced, dry and lingering finale. A quality Chablis villages."

89-92 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Chablis Village, due for certification with the 2023 vintage, has a steely nose with touches of lime and apple blossom. The palate is well-balanced with a fine bead of acidity. Quite classic and cool in style. A bit short, though, with sufficient salinity to keep the saliva flowing. Fine."

88-90 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, July 2023

**Domaine William Fèvre  
'Vaulorent'  
Chablis 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£338 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**92-95 Jasper Morris**

**91-94 Allen Meadows**

**92-94 Neal Martin**

"Some of the Vaulorent may be taken out to make a separate Fourchaumes bottling, that decision has not yet been made. More lime than lemon in colour, the nose is so stylish yet with obvious concentration beneath. I love the texture of this wine, which has taken on a little bit of the cashmere qualities of this sector, while nonetheless retaining its mineral core. Very stylish once again. Drink from 2027-2037. Tasted: June 2023.."

92-95 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Chablis Vaulorent 1er Cru has another tightly wound nose like the Montée de Tonnerre, a subtle marine element emerging with time, a touch of wild fennel. The palate has much more body and depth than the aforementioned Premier Cru, with good density, a crisp line of acidity and a welcome touch of spice enhancing the finish. Excellent."

92-94 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, August 2023



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**Domaine William Fèvre  
'Montée de Tonnerre'  
Chablis 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£348 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**93-95 (5\*) Jasper Morris**

**92-94 Allen Meadows**

**89-91 Neal Martin**

"From multiple plots: east facing kimmeridgian marl in Pied d'Aloue (0.50ha), one hectare in Chapelot, (more soil here, fatter wine), then the rest in Bréchain, where vines dating back to 1936, give tension. What a beautiful bouquet. This has the sensual aspect of a delightful sunny summer, yet with an entrancing freshness behind. This is quintessential right bank, yet with balance. Drink from 2027-2037."

93-95 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"An elegant, pure and wonderfully airy nose more freely reflects its aromas of white flowers, prominent mineral reduction and plenty of seashore elements. There is at once more volume but, somewhat surprisingly, even better refinement to the medium weight plus flavors that retain excellent detail while also flashing an almost pungent stoniness on the driving, firm and impeccably well-balanced finale. One to look for as this is very impressive."

92-94 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, August 2023

**Domaine William Fèvre  
'Bougros'  
Chablis Grand Cru**



**£408 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2038+  
Arriving Late 2024

**92-95 Jasper Morris**

**92-94 Neal Martin**

**91-93 Allen Meadows**

"Fresh pale green tint. Didier describes this as the entry level grand cru. The average age of the vines is at or above 60 years. There is admirable tension here, an electric start, more middleweight through the middle, then quite a powerful middle with decent dry extract, and good length. Keeps coming back. Drink from 2030-2040."

92-95 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

"The 2022 Chablis Bougros Grand Cru, matured around one-third in used barrel, sports a subtle reduction on the nose that works to its favor: white flowers commingle with Mirabelle and crushed stone. The palate is well-balanced and precise, harmonious with orange pith and nectarine, just a touch of praline. It builds nicely in the glass and then slams its foot on the accelerator right on the finish as if to say: That's all for now. One for the patient amongst you."

92-94 Pts, Neal Martin, Vinous.com, July 2023

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**Domaine William Fèvre  
'Les Preuses'  
Chablis Grand Cru**



**£527 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2038+  
Arriving Late 2024

**93-95 Jasper Morris**

**92-94 Neal Martin**

**92-95 Allen Meadows**

“Such a fresh lime infused colour. The bouquet shows the soft creamy riches that you can find here in Les Preuses. There is plenty of bulk but the hectare plot which drops down into Vaudésir gives the mineral tension. A little lime and lemon coats the tongue at the finish. Drink from 2030-2040”

93-95 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

“A toasty nose features notes of smoky grilled shellfish, pear and algae. The dense and equally serious larger-scaled flavors don't have quite the same power yet they are clearly more refined on the markedly bitter citrus zest finish that displays outstanding length. This is exceptionally classy and while it too could use more depth, that is all but assured if given a chance..”

92-95 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, August 2023

**Domaine William Fèvre  
'Côte Bouguerots'  
Chablis Grand Cru**



**£645 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040+  
Arriving Late 2024

**95-98 (5\*) Jasper Morris**

**93-95 Neal Martin**

**93-95 Allen Meadows**

“A glowing pale lemon and lime. Sunny and fresh at the same time, with an extraordinary tension on the nose. Still a wine of discretion, Didier has made wines which completely avoid heaviness while still delivering all that is necessary in concentration and backbone. Sublime persistence. Drink from 2032-2040+.”

95-98 Pts Jasper Morris, InsideBurgundy.com, January 2024

“This is the coolest and most restrained of this group of 2022s with its elegant aromas of prominent mineral reduction, lemon-lime, spice and oyster shell. There is almost painful intensity to the intensely stony and strikingly well-detailed larger-bodied yet still beautifully refined flavors that display huge length on the impeccably well-balanced finale. Like the Preuses, this is very classy and built to repay extended keeping”

93-95 Pts, Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, August 2023

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## Domaine Richard Rottiers

La Sambinerie, Romanèche-Thorins

***“One of the region's most dedicated organic farmers... a lighter-bodied, crunchier style of Beaujolais, making for immensely drinkable wines.”***  
**William Kelley**



Richard Rottiers is not a Beaujolais native, instead hailing from the more northerly enclave of Chablis. Like many a great winemaker he is well travelled, having learnt his trade in Chablis, Gaillac, Luberon, South Africa, New Zealand and Brouilly before finally deciding to settle in Moulin-à-Vent, recognising the huge potential of the region. He has only a fraction over 3 hectares of vines that average between 40 and 80 years old. Its poor, mineral-rich soil including seams of manganese lend Gamay something quite magical, the fruit far transcending that of the surrounding areas.

Richard's approach is intricate, and no details are left to chance. He has converted all his vineyards to organic viticulture and everything is done by hand with incredibly strict selections made in the vineyard ensuring only the very best fruit goes into the wine. Each parcel is vinified separate to gently extract the magic of the fruit and the finesse of the region, before 6 months of élevage in traditional Burgundy barrels.

The resulting wine is incredibly vibrant and delicious now, but equally is seriously cellar worthy for upwards of a decade for the single vineyards.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Richard Rottiers	Moulin-à-Vent	Red	91 NM	£175 per 12 IB
Domaine Richard Rottiers 'Dernier Souffle'	Moulin-à-Vent	Red	-	£105 per 6 IB
Domaine Richard Rottiers 'Champ de Cour'	Moulin-à-Vent	Red	-	£115 per 6 IB

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**Domaine Richard Rottiers  
Moulin-à-Vent**



**£175 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2030  
Arriving Late 2024

**91 Neal Martin**

"The 2022 Moulin-à-Vent is a blend of 24 small parcels (10-hectares) and matured 20% in barrel. This is very fruit-driven and floral on the nose, outgoing already. The palate is medium-bodied with fine tannins, open and expressive, showing black pepper and Asian spices with more structure on the finish compared to the Brouilly. Very fine."

91 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**Domaine Richard Rottiers  
'Dernier Souffle'  
Moulin-à-Vent**



**£105 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2030  
Arriving Late 2024

Not Yet Reviewed

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**Domaine Richard Rottiers  
'Champ de Cour'  
Moulin-à-Vent**



**£115 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2030  
Arriving Late 2024

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## Domaine Joseph Voillot

Place de l'Eglise, Volnay

***“This Volnay producer is now under the control of Étienne Chaix, who is continuing the fine work of his uncle, Jean-Pierre Charlot... They're not flashy show-stoppers, but they mature beautifully in bottle. If you don't love 'em, you haven't tasted 'em. .”***  
**Neal Martin**



Joseph Voillot retired in 1995 and the estate was then run by his son-in-law, and local winemaking legend, Jean-Pierre Charlot. However, recently the Domaine has since passed hands again, onto Etienne Chaix, grandson of Joseph and nephew of Jean-Pierre Charlot.

The wines themselves are a masterclass in harmonious balance and express the delicacy of Pinot noir like few others. Neal Martin suggests these are wines that compete with the finest in all Volnay & Pommard, including the likes of de Montille or Lafarge, and yet prices, as yet, do not reflect this. This is quite simply a fabulous selection of wines, from 'real' Burgundy. The Bourgogne Rouge through to the prized Premiers Crus all come highly recommended.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Joseph Voillot	Bourgogne	Red	85 NM	£220 per 12 IB
Domaine Joseph Voillot	Volnay	Red	85-87 NM	£205 per 6 IB
Domaine Joseph Voillot	Pommard	Red	86-88 NM	£215 per 6 IB
Domaine Joseph Voillot 'Champans'	Volnay 1er Cru	Red	88-90 NM	£355 per 6 IB
Domaine Joseph Voillot 'Caillerets'	Volnay 1er Cru	Red	90-92 NM	£355 per 6 IB
Domaine Joseph Voillot 'Pézerolles'	Pommard 1er Cru	Red	87-89 NM	£495 per 6 IB
Domaine Joseph Voillot 'Rugiens'	Pommard 1er Cru	Red	88-90 NM	£495 per 6 IB
Domaine Joseph Voillot 'Epenots'	Pommard 1er Cru	Red	91-93 NM	£495 per 6 IB

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## Domaine Joseph Voillot Bourgogne



**£220 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

### 85 Neal Martin

"The 2022 Bourgogne Pinot Noir Vieilles Vignes comes from vines planted between 1953 and 1999. It has a simple, slightly rustic, dark berry nose. The palate is, again, a little hard on the entry, dark fruit with some austerity on the finish. It just needs to flesh out a bit."

85 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine Joseph Voillot Volnay



**£205 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

### 85-87 Neal Martin

"The 2022 Volnay Vieilles Vignes comes from six lieux-dits, the oldest vines planted in 1930. There is a light confit note on the nose, a little smudged, with red cherries and touches of crushed strawberry. The palate is medium-bodied with slightly rustic tannins. It's a mid-weight Volnay that needs more precision on the finish."

85-87 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine Joseph Voillot Pommard



**£215 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

### 86-88 Neal Martin

"The 2022 Pommard Vieilles Vignes comes from four lieux-dits, vines planted between 1936 and 1966. This feels a little purer and better defined on the nose than the Volnay Vieilles Vignes. The palate is medium-bodied with a juicy red fruit and allspice-infused entry. With fine depth and quite peppery towards the finish, this will require two or three years in bottle."

86-88 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine Joseph Voillot 'Champans' Volnay 1er Cru



**£355 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

### 88-90 Neal Martin

"The 2022 Volnay Les Champans 1er Cru offers darker fruit on the nose than the Fremiets - blackcurrant and raspberry, a little more floral in style. The medium-bodied palate has a sappy entry and more depth than the Fremiets, with a bit of tension on the finish and a dab of white pepper on the aftertaste. Give this 3-4 years in bottle."

88-90 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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**Domaine Joseph Voillot  
'Caillerets'  
Volnay 1er Cru**



**£355 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**90-92 Neal Martin**

"The 2022 Volnay Les Caillerets 1er Cru comes from vines planted in 1984. It has a light, menthol-tinged bouquet that opens nicely in the glass with quite a lot of blue fruit. The palate is medium-bodied with the most saturated tannins amongst Voillot's Volnays, fresh and tensile with more delineation on the finish. This should age well in bottle."  
90-92 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Joseph Voillot  
'Pézerolles'  
Pommard 1er Cru**



**£495 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**87-89 Neal Martin**

"The 2022 Pommard Les Pezerolles 1er Cru, which comes from 60-year-old vines, doesn't quite have the cohesion and vitality of the Epenots at the moment. The palate is medium-bodied with grainy tannins and decent fruit concentration, though it needs more complexity to come through on the finish. Solid, but not their best Pommard in this vintage."  
87-89 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Joseph Voillot  
'Les Rugiens'  
Pommard 1er Cru**



**£495 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**88-90 Neal Martin**

"The 2022 Pommard Les Rugiens 1er Cru comes from vines planted in 1961. There's a mixture of red and black fruit on the nose here, touches of forest floor and truffle in the background. The palate is medium-bodied with a sapid entry and more sinew than the Pezerolles, though I find more grace and complexity via the Epenots and Clos Micault this year."  
88-90 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

**Domaine Joseph Voillot  
'Les Epenots'  
Pommard 1er Cru**



**£495 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**91-93 Neal Martin**

"The 2022 Pommard les Epenots 1er Cru comes from vines planted in 1961. It has a fragrant bouquet that offers more red fruit than the Clos Micault. The medium-bodied palate offers sappy red fruit and a lovely sweet core with quite a peppery and persistent finish. This has potential."  
91-93 Pts Neal Martin, Vinous.com, October 2023

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## Domaine Jean-Jacques Girard

Rue de Cîteaux, Savigny-lès-Beaune



Originally founded in 1529 by Jean Girard, this is one of the oldest domaines in Savigny. It's been thriving in recent vintages, and arguably is now making some of the finest wines in its illustrious history.

The reds that we are featuring are 100% destemmed and aged for 12 months in traditional 228 litre Burgundian pièces. Gentle extraction of fruit and tannin forges succulent wines that are delicious to enjoy young, but which equally have the potential to age gracefully.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Jean-Jacques Girard	Savigny-Lès-Beaune	Red	-	£190 per 12 IB
Domaine Jean-Jacques Girard 'Les Peuillets'	Savigny-Lès-Beaune 1er Cru	Red	-	£295 per 12 IB
Domaine Jean-Jacques Girard 'Clos du Roi'	Beaune 1er Cru	Red	-	£325 per 12 IB



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## Domaine Alain Chavy

Rue des Creux de Chagny, Puligny-Montrachet

***“Domaine Alain Chavy is one of several strands of the Chavy family based in the Côte de Beaune. It is a small grower with good holdings and quality-focused wine-making.”***

**Neal Martin**



The Chavy family have a long history in Puligny and the wines used to be bottled under the label 'Domaine Gerard Chavy et Fils'. In 2003, the two brothers split the vineyards to create their own domaines and Alain owns around seven hectares.

They are usually the first to start picking in Puligny and produce crisp, mineral wines that have wonderful purity of fruit and age magnificently. In 2022, the harvest started on 27th August and was completed within a week. These are classically styled, super focussed and very elegant whites.



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine Alain Chavy	Bourgogne	White	15 JR	£170 per 12 IB
Domaine Alain Chavy	Puligny-Montrachet	White	15.5 JR	£250 per 6 IB
Domaine Alain Chavy 'Clavoillons'	Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru	White	-	£385 per 6 IB
Domaine Alain Chavy 'Folatières'	Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru	White	17 JR	£395 per 6 IB

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**Domaine Alain Chavy  
Bourgogne**



**£170 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2028  
Arriving Late 2024

**15 Jancis Robinson**

"Straightforward with a woody (not oaky) side to the flavour. Perhaps a little bit tart on the finish. (JH)."  
15 Pts Julia Harding, JancisRobinson.com, January 2024

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**Domaine Alain Chavy  
Puligny-Montrachet**



**£250 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2032  
Arriving Late 2024

**15.5 Jancis Robinson**

"Cask sample. Some struck-match reduction here both on the nose and the palate. As with the Bourgogne Chardonnay, I find the acidity a little too severe for overall harmony. Maybe it will build a little more flesh/roundness in time? (JH)."  
15.5 Pts Julia Harding, JancisRobinson.com, January 2024

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**Domaine Alain Chavy  
'Les Clavoillons'  
Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru**



**£385 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

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**Domaine Alain Chavy  
'Les Folatieres'  
Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru**



**£395 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**17 Jancis Robinson**

"Cask sample. Spicy oak on the nose, creamy texture around sour-citrus freshness. Much the best of the Alain Chavy wines tasted today in terms of balancing fruit and acidity. Dry, insistent tension on the finish. (JH)"  
17 Pts Julia Harding, JancisRobinson.com, January 2024

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## Domaine des Malandes

Rue des Creux de Chagny, Puligny-Montrachet

***“The dynamic Richard Rottiers, whose Beaujolais wines are also well worth seeking out, continues to take the formerly neglected Domaine des Malandes to ever greater heights... The rate of improvement at this address has surpassed anything I thought possible, and this is now clearly an estate to watch closely.”***  
**William Kelley**



Lyne Marchive (née Tremblay) took over her family domaine in 1973 and passed on the running of her business in 2018 to her children, Richard (also of Domaine Richard Rottiers in Moulin-à-Vent) and Amadine. This domaine is a long-standing favourite of ours, and you'll be delighted to hear that the 2022 vintage was another success. As ever, the wines combine power and richness with textbook Chablis minerality and precision.

For us, the 2022 vintage from Malandes is one of the finest we have come across in recent years. Subsequently, these should be on the shopping lists of all lovers of Burgundy's most northern outpost!



Name	AOC	Colour	Score	Case Price
Domaine des Malandes	Chablis	White	88 AM	£165 per 12 IB
Domaine des Malandes 'Fourchaume'	Chablis 1er Cru	White	92 NM	£155 per 6 IB
Domaine des Malandes 'Mont de Milieu'	Chablis 1er Cru	White	92 NM	£160 per 6 IB
Domaine des Malandes 'Vaudésir'	Chablis Grand Cru	White	92 AM	£295 per 6 IB
Domaine des Malandes 'Le Clos'	Chablis Grand Cru	White	93 AM	£310 per 6 IB

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**Domaine des Malandes  
Chablis**



**£165 per 12 IB**  
Drink to 2027  
Arriving Late 2024

**85 Neal Martin**

**88 Burghound**

"A more elegant nose combines aromas of just sliced apple, iodine, mineral reduction and a pretty floral top note. There is slightly better verve suffusing the attractively textured medium-bodied flavors that terminate in clean and slightly firmer if not especially dry finish that is shaped by lemon-tinged acidity."

88 Pts Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, October 2023

**Domaine des Malandes  
'Fourchaume'  
Chablis 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£155 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2035  
Arriving Late 2024

**92 Neal Martin**

**90 Burghound**

"A more elegant nose combines aromas of just sliced apple, iodine, mineral reduction and a pretty floral top note. There is slightly better verve suffusing the attractively textured medium-bodied flavors that terminate in clean and slightly firmer if not especially dry finish that is shaped by lemon-tinged acidity."

88 Pts Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, October 2023

**Domaine des Malandes  
'Mont de Milieu'  
Chablis 1<sup>er</sup> Cru**



**£160 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2036  
Arriving Late 2024

**92 Neal Martin**

**92 Burghound**

"A more elegant nose combines aromas of just sliced apple, iodine, mineral reduction and a pretty floral top note. There is slightly better verve suffusing the attractively textured medium-bodied flavors that terminate in clean and slightly firmer if not especially dry finish that is shaped by lemon-tinged acidity."

88 Pts Allen Meadows, Burghound.com, October 2023

**Domaine des Malandes  
'Vaudésir'  
Chablis Grand Cru**



**£295 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040  
Arriving Late 2024

Not yet scored by the critics.

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**Domaine des Malandes  
'Le Clos'  
Chablis Grand Cru**



**£310 per 6 IB**  
Drink to 2040  
Arriving Late 2024

Not yet scored by the critics.

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