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TERROIR: CLAY-LOAM WITH LATE MICA SCHISTS

**VARIETIES:** 100% SAUVIGNON-BLANC

HARVEST: Mechanical harvest to reach the optimum of the maturity.

VINE AGE: 20 YEARS

DENSITY: 6500 PLANTS/HA

YIELD: 85 HL/HA ALCOHOL CONT: 12.5% VOL.



### **OVERVIEW**

From the Loire Valley region, more specifically in the Nantais vineyards, near the Atlantic Ocean in the village of La Regrippière - east of Vallet. Temperate oceanic climate with a south-east exposure.

# **TECHNIQUES USED**

- Vine growing, guyot pruning.
- Sustainable viticulture with use of organic fertilizers.
- Disbudding and cluster thinning performed annually.
- Pneumatic press followed by a severe racking.
- Cold clarification of the grape juice.
- Traditional alcoholic fermentation in concrete underground vats.
- Temperature controlled at 16-18°C.
- Aging on fine lees for 4 months to keep the freshness.
- Bottling at the estate.

# **TASTING NOTES**

Eyes: Vibrant pale hues with green tints.

Nose: Engaging mineral nose with citrus and a trace of boxwood.

Mouth: Lean, silky, invigorating palate with delightful, focused aromas. Lovely precision,

intensity, restraint and persistence on the finish.

# SUGGESTIONS

- Food Pairings: Seafood, marinated anchovies, pan-fried salmon, poached fish, goat's cheeses salad. Also, to be enjoyed on any occasion as an aperitif.
- Cellaring: 1-2 years.
- Service Temperature: 8-10°C.

