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PULIGNY-MONTRACHET - FRANCE

## POMMARD 1ER CRU CHARMOTS 2018

In Burgundy, this word refers to old common fields cultivated and let lie fallow or planted with hornbeams.



### VINTAGE

A dream vintage which offers generous volumes and superb quality. Water is a major player during the winter which allows the vines to build up their reserves before a particularly hot and dry summer. Favored by a mild spring, flowering took place perfectly with beautiful and numerous clusters. No major climatic incident hampers the growing cycle. The harvest, which was in impeccable health, took place from August 27 to September 15.

### VINEYARD

Located above les Epenots, this terroir is made of small terraced plots .  
Wine-Growing method : Sustainable  
Harvest: 100 % manual  
Soil : Calcareous clay  
Production area : 9,65 ha  
Altitude : 250-300 m  
Average age of vines : 36 years

### VINIFICATION

100% Pinot Noir

At their arrival in our cellar, the grapes are carefully sorted in order to keep only the healthy grapes at an optimal ripeness

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Fining: no

Filtration : yes

Alcoholic fermentation in open vats: 15 days

16 months (whose 4 months in stainless steel tank) 100 % oak barrels (whose 25% of new oak)

13,5% vol.

### TASTING

#### Tasting note

Aromas of black cherry, musk, pepper. An ample and supple mouth with silky tannins. A Pommard with a soft character.

#### Food pairings

Perfect with red meat cooked in sauce, game birds and game animals, most cheeses and dark chocolate desserts.

**Serving temperature :** 17-19°C

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