



Olivier Leflaive

PULIGNY-MONTRACHET - FRANCE

## PULIGNY-MONTRACHET 1ER CRU LES FOLATIÈRES - RÉCOLTE DU DOMAINE 2024

The name of the terroir is derived from "follots" -will-o'-the-wisps- which were active in humid places, often foggy.



### VINTAGE

From tears of rain to tears of wine, a year as trying as it is moving! 2024 will be remembered... Marked by record rainfall and omnipresent humidity, it put winegrowers to the test. Despite vigilance and hard work in the vines, mildew took over, strongly impacting yields. Significant disparities appeared between terroirs: more draining soils were better able to resist disease pressure. Fortunately, after harvest, the quality of the wines came as a nice surprise. Freshness and radiance are there, offering a precious reward after a season of challenges.

### VINEYARD

Vineyard located in the upper part of les Folatières, known as les Peux Bois. It is a former Domaine Leflaive property.  
Vines belonging to our Domaine and planted in 1983  
Wine-growing method : HVE 3 (High Environmental Value Level 3)  
Harvest : 100% manual  
Soil : Calcareous Clay  
Production area : 17.64 ha  
Altitude : 250-300 m  
Average age of vines : 41 years

### VINIFICATION

100% Chardonnay  
100 % whole grapes  
24h static settling  
Alcoholic and malolactic fermentations in oak barrels  
18 months (whose 6 months in stainless steel tank)  
100 % oak barrels (whose 25% of new oak)  
13% vol.

### TASTING

#### Tasting note

The nose reveals a lovely aromatic where white peach, lime-tree and fresh almonds subtly harmonize together. Palate is fresh with a nice density.

#### Food pairings

With a nice mushroom cream soup and toasted bread.

**Serving temperature :** 12-14°C

**Should be drunk between :** 2027-2036

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