

- > **Domain** : Domaine Sangouard Guyot
- > **Winegrower** : Pierre-Emmanuel Sangouard
- > **Town** : Vergisson
- > **Region** : Bourgogne
- > **Appellation(s)** : Pouilly-Fuissé, St Véran, Mâcon-Villages, Crémant de Bourgogne
- > **Cultivated Space**: 120 ha
- > **Production** : 30 000 btles (in full evolution for the next years)
- > **Soil(s)** : Lime and clay ...



The philosophy of the domain :

Over the last few generations, men from our two families have brought together their personal touch in order to develop the domain. Now, it's our turn - with this exceptional heritage - to continue the work of our ancestors, while keeping in mind adapting the methods to our time, and using techniques in perfect osmosis with nature.

Mode of driving of the vineyard, wine-making and ageing :

The diversity of our "terroir" directs us to naturally opt for a chosen vinification, according to every single parcel's character. Chardonnay's elegance is that way expressed under all its range. Running a human-size operation, we can afford to do the harvest by hand. In order to reveal the terroir, one must first respect it. To preserve the environment, treatments are reasoned and minimized. Moreover, they are done in "solo", side by side in each row, to directly treat the vine... All of our parcels are plowed, causing aeration of the ground, which helps the roots to find the nutrients that they need. The vines are trimmed as high and close as possible, in order to help the photosynthesis. The grapes are then aerated and can find full sun for a better maturation. Harvest is done by hand when maturity reaches its maximum. Pressing is done softly and slowly, to extract the best of the grape. After a light decanting, the wine goes directly into the barrels or the thermo-regulated vats to begin the fermentation, in order to preserve the freshness and the aromas of the Chardonnay. Wines are aged on lees for 10 months, with weekly "batonnage", to bring roundness and opulence.

Some references :

Gilbert & Gaillard, Wine Enthusiast Magazine, Decanter World Wine Awards, Bourgogne d'Aujourd'hui », Gerbert Dussert, International Wine Challenge, Guide Hachette des Vins, Concours des Grands Vins de France Macon, Gault & Millau, Concours des vignerons indépendants, Burgondia, Revue des Vins de France ...



OUR WINES

Mâcon-Villages « Clos de la Bressande »
(100 % Chardonnay)

Mâcon-Vergisson « La Roche »
(100 % Chardonnay)

Saint-Véran « Au brûlé »
(100 % Chardonnay)

Pouilly Fuissé Authentique
(100 % Chardonnay)

Pouilly Fuissé Ancestral
(100 % Chardonnay)

Pouilly Fuissé Quintessence
(100 % Chardonnay)