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Berthelemot, Puligny Montrachet Les Levrons (2013)

Producer	Berthelemot
Vendor	Domenico Valentino
Category	Wine - Still - White
Grape variety	Chardonnay
Region	Burgundy, France
Subregion	Côte de Beaune
Appellation	Puligny-Montrachet
Feature	Sustainable
Vintage	2013
Alcohol by volume	14.0%



Sizes

750 mL × 12 – DVM9156-13

Product information

Domaine Berthelemot cultivates 7.8 ha in the Côtes de Beaune winegrowing district. Located between Meursault and Chassagne-Montrachet and covering 205 ha., Puligny-Montrachet produces some of the best known premier and grand cru Burgundy wines.

Appellation: Puligny-Montrachet white wine.

- Plot: Les Levrons (total surface area 6ha.56a.)
- History: "levrons" was a diminutive in the middle ages for hares of which there were probably many in the area
- Orientation: SE., altitude 230m
- Domain surface area: 60a.40ca.
- Date planted : 1947
- Graft : chardonnay, visual selection
- Vinstock : 3309 C
- Soil: deep in brown limestone with some banks of marl

-Taste: the deep soil gives the wine its intensity and elegance particularly characteristic of the land around Puligny; aromas are floral with hints of almond and hazelnut and the wine is fresh and rich in the mouth

-Serving temperature: 12/14°C and recent vintages may be decanted to enhance the aroma.

Producer information

The Marchand (Morey St. Denis) and Grillot (Gevrey Chambertin) families have been growing vines for generations and were joined by marriage in 1950. They continue to render traditional wines without compromise. Making traditional wines without compromise, they employ slightly earlier picking (using 25% stems), natural yeasts, gentle pressing, long cold maceration and fermentation as well as little new oak. The wines are customary in color and moderate in alcohol. More approachable in their youth than wines with more oak and extract, Marchand-Grillot's wines age wonderfully with balance and finesse.

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