



ALAIN VOGÉ  
RHÔNE RIVE DROITE  
*Saint-Péray*  
APPELLATION CONTRÔLÉE  
HARMONIE

*First vintage produced in 2001.*

*With this blend of different plots, our aim is to express as accurately as possible the character of the Marsanne grape variety.*

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*The entire domain is cultivated using organic and biodynamic viticulture.*

### TERROIR

The vines, on average thirty years old, are planted on *colluvium* mixed with coarse sand comprised of granite and clay-limestone.

### 2021 VINTAGE

An opposite vintage...

The historical frost on April 8th hit our vineyard in Saint-Péray and the bottom of Cornas, after a too hot episode in February.

50 % in Saint-Péray were finally lost, and only 2 wines were produced: Harmonie and Fleur de Crussol, showing a very beautiful quality, coming from the freshness of the season.

In Cornas, the yields of the slops have almost compensated the missing frozen harvest. The very rainy (896 mm/m<sup>2</sup>) and late season (harvest from September 13th to October 2nd) offer an “old-school” vintage, fresh, delicate and smooth, with lower level of alcohol, but less time lag between alcoholic and phenolic ripeness than in the hot and dry vintages.

### OUR VINE GROWING AND WINEMAKING

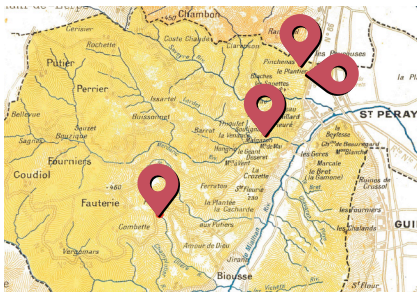
- Organic certification for the vines and wine in the 2009 vintage and biodynamic methods used.
- Marsanne vines trained and pruned in the Gobelet style and supported by stakes.
- Hand-picked harvests.
- Winemaking at low temperature in concrete vats.
- Malo-lactic fermentation.
- Maturation on fine lees in concrete vats for approximately 8 months.
- Bottling in springtime after the harvest.
- Amount of sulphite reduced: 72 mg/l total SO<sub>2</sub> (150 mg/litre authorised in organic winemaking)
- Production: 9 920 bottles
- Ageing potential: 5 years



### COMMENTS

**2020 Vintage:** *“Fresh, floral and easy-going. Well-balanced with a subtle mineral glint and tension, then a gentle, tapered finish.”*

Matt Walls, Decanter (01/10/2021) : **92/100**



### APPELLATION SAINT-PÉRAY

100 % MARSANNE

### TERRITORY

The appellation: 110 ha.  
This wine's plots: 1.2 ha.

### POSITION

A combination of plots: localities named *Grandes Blaches, Prieuré, Les Sagnes, Perrier*

### AVAILABLE VINTAGE

2021



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