

Puligny-Montrachet
APPELLATION PULIGNY-MONTRACHET CONTRÔLÉE

ARNAUD BAILLOT

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DOMAINE ARNAUD BAILLOT

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Arnaud Baillot wasn't born into a winemaking family, as is the case with so many generations-deep Burgundy domaines. He is a winemaker by choice, bringing a new energy and passion to this tradition-steeped region. Originally from Auxerre, Arnaud and his wife Laure (the granddaughter of the founders of Domaine Hudelot-Noëllat) started their adventure as small-batch negociants. Knowing that the character-driven wines they wanted to craft would only be possible when they farmed the land themselves, this focused pair put every penny they had into finding parcels they could own and tend organically. Today the estate is 25 acres of prime land mostly in the Côte de Beaune; their wines are precise, aromatic expressions of Burgundian Chardonnay and Pinot Noir.

WINERY: Domaine Arnaud Baillot

WINEMAKER: Arnaud Baillot

ESTABLISHED: 2015

REGION: FRANCE • Burgundy • Côte de Beaune • Beaune

APPELLATION: Puligny-Montrachet AOC

BLEND: 100% Chardonnay

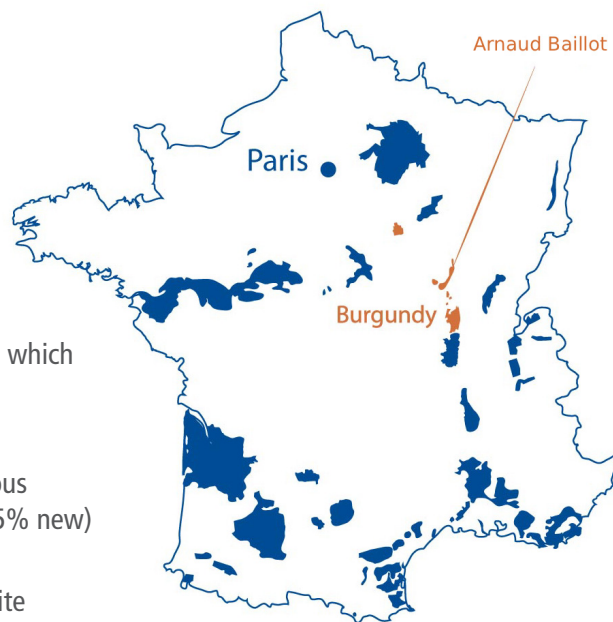
VINEYARDS: A selection of fruit mostly from 'Les Levrons' in Puligny, which is just downslope from premier cru 'Les Referts.'

AGE OF VINES: 20-40 years

WINEMAKING: Hand-harvested. Pressed and fermented on indigenous yeasts in French oak barrels with no added sulfites. Aged in barrel (15% new) for 12 months. Unfiltered.

TASTING IMPRESSIONS: Aromas of white flowers, spring grass, white peaches. Medium-bodied and silky, with more floral energy and juice

PAIRING SUGGESTIONS: Clams in white wine; oysters on the half shell; oeufs en meurette with white Burgundy



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