

2012 Puligny Montrachet

Domaine Blain Gagnard, Burgundy & Chablis Wine Region, France

Product details

Vintage:	2012	Drinking:	Now 2028
Producer:	Domaine Blain Gagnard	Alcohol:	
Region:	Burgundy & Chablis Wine Region	Variety:	Chardonnay
Country:	France		

Tasting notes

This is very refreshing and persistent with chalky citrus aromas and lovely length on the palate. Pithy citrus flavours mingle with grapefruits, lemons and a spicy mineral quality. This will age well for five or more years but will also be delicious soon after release. Drink from 2015.

Reviews

The 2012 Puligny-Montrachet Village comes from a parcel within the lieu-dit "La Rue aux Vaches" that was planted in 1957. It offers a lively, dewy, green apple bouquet with a touch of flint. The palate is well endowed for a village cru with plenty of ripe hazelnut-tinged citric fruit, a fine line of acidity and good presence on the long, satisfying finish. Excellent. Score: 90 points Neal Martin (WA)

About the producer

Domaine Blain-Gagnard, located in the village of Chassagne-Montrachet, was formed in 1980 when Jean-Marc Blain married Claudine Gagnard. The 9-hectare domaine, comprising two-thirds white and one-third red, boasts vineyards in some of the Côte de Beaune's most prestigious appellations. Jean-Marc, alongside his son Marc-Antoine, oversee a meticulous cellar where judicious use of new oak produces wines of remarkable purity and elegance. These wines are not only approachable in their youth but also possess exceptional aging potential.

