

Grande Réserve Brut

Beaumont des Crayères, Champagne Wine Region, France

Product details

Vintage:		Drinking:	Now Now
Producer:	Beaumont des Crayères	Alcohol:	12.00%
Region:	Champagne Wine Region	Variety:	Champagne blend
Country:	France		

Tasting notes

Golden in colour with fine bubbles. Rich scents of biscuit, brioche, honey, yellow plum, grapefruit and butter. Citrus, plum and grapefruit flavours on the palate with zesty lemon peel, notes of honey and yeast, all underpinned with mouthwatering acidity. Elegant, fruity and rich, with a very long length.

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Reviews

(60% pinot meunier, 25% chardonnay and 15% pinot noir) Bright gold with a steady mousse. Fresh apple and pear on the nose, with a subtle mineral undercurrent. Light-bodied citrus and orchard fruit flavors are precise and straightforward, offering good back-end mineral cut. A clean, lithe style that will work nicely with raw bivalves and mollusks.

Stephen Tanzer

(Made from 60% pinot meunier, 25% chardonnay and 15% pinot noir; L 105 040 12): Light gold. Pear, quince, candied citrus fruits, honey and herbs on the fragrant nose and in the mouth. Fleshy and expansive on entry, then firmer in the middle, with a nervy spine of acidity adding lift. Finishes on a spicy note, with lingering honey and tangerine nuances.

Josh Raynolds

About the producer

In 1955, a group of wine growers from the village of Mardeuil joined forces to set up a champagne house, which was named Beaumont des Crayères after one of the finest hillsides in the village. Three quarters of their 86 hectare estate is located on the hillsides of Épernay with soils rich in chalk. Mardeuil is widely recognised as one of the best regions for cultivating Pinot Meunier with a share of 60% of their vineyards given over to this variety. The remaining 40% is divided with 25% Chardonnay and 15% Pinot Noir plantings.

