

# Bernard Moreau

## BOURGOGNE BLANC

Domaine Bernard Moreau et Fils

REGION: FRANCE - BURGUNDY



### BERNARD MOREAU

It's impossible to discuss Chassagne-Montrachet without mentioning the name Bernard Moreau. Year to year, this celebrated producer vinifies and bottles some of the purest, most thought-provoking wines of the appellation. Employing a style of wine making that might best be described as hands-off, Alex Moreau produces Pinot Noirs and Chardonnays that are sensual, opulent and utterly delicious.

### GRAPES / SOILS

Chardonnay	Clay
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### THE WINE

#### Vineyard Profile

- The vineyards for the Bourgogne are in Chassagne-Montrachet, just on the other side of the road from village (AOC) vineyards.
- The soils are a little deeper and heavier – mostly clay.

#### Winemaker's Notes

- The 1er Cru Chardonnays are barrel fermented and aged in French oak barrels (10%-30% new).
- The wine spends between 12 and 18 months in wood with regular lees stirring for added texture.
- Says Bernard, "The spirit of our wine making is to not touch the wine too often. For Chardonnay our aim is to produce very clean and precise wines which are not too austere. We like the minerality and purity."

### GENERAL INFO

Country	France
Region	Burgundy
Appellation(s)	Chassagne-Montrachet, Volnay, St Aubin
Proprietors	Bernard Moreau
Founded	1809
Winemaker	Alex Moreau
Annual Production	8,000 9 L cases
Farming (Sustainable, organic, biodynamic)	Sustainable