

DOMAINE CHANSON, BURGUNDY, FRANCE

MENTZENDORFF
wine shippers since
1858

VIRÉ-CLESSÉ

CHANSON
En Bourgogne depuis 1750

DETAILS OF PRODUCTION

In the heart of the Mâcon winegrowing region, South of Burgundy, the two villages Viré and Clessé form a unique “terroir” on slopes facing South-East. The vineyards here have soils rich in clay, chalk and marl. In Viré, the soil is chalky with large layers of clay. In Clessé, the soil structure is slightly different with a combination of chalk and clay mixed with liasic marls combined with oyster- fossils which convey to the wine a specific minerality. This is one of the best white wines of the region combining suppleness and minerality. The harvest started mid september, with bright sunshine. After a mild pressing, the wines are aged in oak casks for a period of 12 up to 14 months in their XVth century cellar.

TASTING NOTES

Pale gold colour. Delicate fragrances of fern mixed with citrus fruit on a hint of minerality. Well-balanced and precise. Tense with a very pure fruit combination. Refreshing finish with lemon tinges.

HOW TO SERVE

A fine, dry apéritif, great with light seafood and raw vegetable hors d'oeuvres.

VINTAGE
2019

STYLE
White

BLEND OF GRAPES
Chardonnay
Chardonnay Muscaté

ALCOHOL
13%

