

2014 Vouvray Le Haut-Lieu Sec

Domaine Huet, Loire, France

Product details

Vintage: 2014 Drinking: 2017

Producer: Domaine Huet Alcohol: Region: Loire Variety:

Country: France

Tasting notes

Le Haut-Lieu is the most forward and approachable of the three Secs. It opens with beautifully attractive aromas of crunchy red apple, ripe pear and white flowers, at once immediately fresh and appealing. Mouth-tingling acidity and bright, vibrant citrus fruit dominate the palate. There is considerable concentration and layers of complexity, the finest example of Haut-Lieu for a number of years. Already delicious but will benefit from another 4-6 months in bottle.

About the producer

Few producers can claim a level of influence to almost identify with their appellation – one of those is Domaine Huet. This iconic estate has been one of the standard-bearers of Vouvray since 1928. A true pioneer, Gaston Huet was one of the first vignerons to adopt biodynamic practices and to focus on single-vineyard bottlings. Remaining true to the philosophy of the founders, Sarah Hwang and Jean-Bertrand Berthomé continue to craft superbly long-lived Chenin Blanc from their three vineyards. From lively sparkling to unctuous Moelleux, the Domaine Huet range is the most extraordinary way to venture into Vouvray.

