

THORMAN HUNT

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Domaine Sylvain Bailly, Bué Sancerre Rosé



Grower

Sylvain's granddaughter, Sonia Bailly, joined her father Jacques in 2007 in making the wine. They now work together along with Sonia's husband Matthieu to produce wine with the renowned beautiful texture of Bué but also with a stunning precision and fruit. Most of Sonia's vines are situated in Bué but they also extend into the villages of Sancerre, Amigny, Crézancy and Montigny.

Vineyards

100% Pinot Noir grapes, 50% from Bué and also Sancerre, Amigny and Montigny. Soils dating from the Jurassic formation, in the secondary era. 70% of clay-limestone soils (Kimmeridgian marls) and 30% limestone soils (named "Caillottes"). Plantation density 6500/7000 vine stocks per hectare. Integrated viticulture. 70% of the vineyard is planted with grass. Fractional or total hoeing depending on the parcels. Simple Guyot or Poussard pruning.

Vinification

Rigorous sorting on a table. Harvest transfer by conveyor belt. Direct pneumatic pressing, slow and gentle. Static settling of the must from 24 to 48 hours. Alcoholic fermentation in thermo-regulated vats. Fermentation time, 2 to 3 weeks. Ageing on fine lees. Racking and filtration with Kieselgur.

Style

Complex nose with white flowers aromas, citrus and menthol notes.

Grape varieties:

100% Pinot Noir

Vegetarian: Yes

Vegan: Yes

Bottling options: 75cl

ABV: 13%

Closure: Cork

