

Chambolle Musigny 1er Cru, Les Chabiots, Albert Bichot

£79.50



Vintage:	2013
Bottle Size:	75cl
Alcohol %:	13.0%
Country:	France
Description:	The nose has intense aromas of wild black woodland fruit with notes of blackcurrant, blackberry and blueberry. Both floral and fruity, this wine has great balance and a persistent and refreshing finish with hints of tobacco and menthol.
Cepages:	Pinot Noir
Group:	Burgundy
Sub group:	Côte de Nuits
Colour:	Red
Closure:	Cork
Producer:	Maison Albert Bichot
Website:	www.bourgogne-bichot.com
Organic/Bio Status:	
Food / cocktail match:	Great with finely-cooked red meats and delicate cheeses. Excellent for example with venison, pike in wine sauce, game with cranberries but equally with a matured Reblochon cheese.
Food / cocktail recipe:	
Press	Red winemaker of the year, International Wine Challenge 2004. Top 100 Wineries in the World, Wine & Spirits Magazine 2008.
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Other Info:	The grapes are hand picked in 25-kg crates. They are sorted once they arrive at the winery and are gravity-fed into tanks. Vinification is carried out according to Burgundian tradition. Maceration and

fermentation lasts for 20 to 28 days in conical oak vats. Controlling temperatures allows Bichot to work on different aspects of the wine. First they bring out the fruit of the Pinot Noir at temperatures of between 10° and 14°C and then increase temperatures to 20° - 30°C to develop body and tannins. Daily punching of the cap is adapted to each phase of the maceration and extraction processes. During devatting, careful attention is given to pressing which is done very gently and is guided by tastings to ensure that they extract only the highest quality tannins. Their vinification method aims above all at preserving the balance, harmony and expression of these great terroirs.

Bichot practise sustainable viticulture, based on observation, prevention and paying attention to the complex balances found in nature. The soil is maintained responsibly, it is judiciously ploughed and fertilized using organic matter. They also encourage manual labour that boosts the plants' natural defenses