

# DOMAINE CAÏLBOURDIN

PROPRIÉTAIRE À MALTAVERNE



## POUILLY FUMÉ

### Triptyque Silex

*Concentration, harmony, complexity.....*

*TRIPTYQUE Silex is a masterful equilibrium between three aromatic registers: fruity, mineral, and oaky notes. In the mouth, the dominant impression is one of richness and amplitude, but the freshness of the Sauvignon and the minerality of the silex are perceptible*

**O**ld vines, ancient oaks, and long ageing on lees for this gastronomic wine...

Selected from a 90-year-old parcel on the exceptional terroir of Saint Andelain (clay marl and silex), this wine is crafted in 300 and 600 litre oak barrels of which 15-20% are new and the remainder is split between 1-, 2-, 3- and 4-year-old barrels. Sourced in the forest that is closest to the vineyard, the Bertranges Forest, these oaks were selected for their slow growth and their extremely fine grain that will be in harmony with the wine. Ageing for 12 months on lees allows the wine to achieve a balance between its power and the minerality of its terroir. This harmony between power, concentration, minerality and finesse allows for innumerable pairings: foie gras, black truffle, lobster, a cheeseboard, chocolate, or even an after-dinner cigar.

A wine of noble origin, vinified in a noble material for the greatest of pleasures...

## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

**Grape variety:** Sauvignon.

**Age of vines:** 90 years.

**Soils:** Clay and Silex.

**Method of cultivation:** organic and biodynamic

- Regular tilling.
- Eco-pastoralism in winter.
- Precise disbudding to limit yields and create space around the grape bunches.

**Analyses:** 2020 vintage

**Alcohol:** 14° **Residual sugar:** 1.86 g/l

**Total acidity:** 4.23 g/l

**Vinification :**

- Fermentation and ageing on fine lees in 300 and 600 litre barrels. 15–20% new barrels made of oak from the Bertranges Forest.

**No malolactic fermentation to preserve the wine's freshness.**

Baptised Triptyque Silex in 1998, this wine's label was designed by Auxerre artist Jacques Daibehesse, a painter influenced by the cubism style and also a great lover of wine. Creator of numerous works including drawings, oils and engravings inspired by women or music, Jacques created a series of paintings for us, and this wine-themed label. Since its creation, Triptyque Silex has been presented in wooden cases of 6 bottles to respect the tradition and the prestige of this wine.

