

# Coffinet-Duvernay

France - Borgogna Côte de Beaune - Chassagne-Montrachet



DOMAINE COFFINET-DUVERNAY

**Ownership/Founders** Laura Coffinet and Philippe Duvernay / Fernand Coffinet and Cécile Pillot

**Start of Activity** 1989

**Vitiviniculture** Traditional

**Hectares** 6

**Bottles produced** 25000

CHASSAGNE-MONTRACHET  
PREMIER CRU LES BLANCHOTS  
DESSUS

**100% Chardonnay**

**Production area:** Chassagne-Montrachet - Burgundy Côte d'Or

**Terrain:** suolo sassoso su uno strato di calcare bruno argilloso, tipico di questo Cru

**Harvest:** manual

**Vinification:** grapes are hand-picked at optimal ripeness in small baskets and transported to the winery for gentle pressing in a pneumatic press. The must is allowed to stand for 24 hours (debourbage) to allow the coarse lees to settle. The wine is raked by gravity into small oak barrels for alcoholic and malolactic fermentations. The must is stirred (batonnage) very rarely during malolactic fermentation to allow the wine to develop without oxidative notes

**Refinement:** Aged for 15 months in oak barrels (1/3 new) and then bottled

**Color:** golden yellow

**Fragrance:** aromas of honey, herbaceous notes of mint and thyme, concentrated hints of apple, pear and tropical fruits, with an earthy component of truffle and mushroom

**Flavor:** concentrated, rich and intense, elegant

**Alcoholic Grade:** 13% vol



Born as Domaine Coffinet and handed down to the various generations, since 1860 this small Domaine has always been linked to Chassagne-Montrachet. The turning point came in the 80s when Fernand Coffinet and his wife Cécile decided to divide the property between their two daughters. It was in 1989 that Laura Coffinet and her husband Philippe Duvernay founded Domaine Coffinet-Duvernay, combining their personal and professional lives. Over the last few years they have worked hard on the smallest nuances of the individual terroirs, offering today, with their wines, an exceptional panorama of Chassagne-Montrachet. All wines are made from grapes from the Chassagne commune alone, and Philippe's perfect knowledge of this terroir means that he is able to meticulously interpret each small parcel under the common denominator of the small Côte de Beaune village. Fine, elegant and tense wines with a great aging potential, perfect ambassadors of their great terroir.