Louis Latour

MAISON FONDÉE EN 1797

Clos Vougeot Grand Cru
2020

- **Region** Côte de Nuits
- **Village** Vougeot
- **Appellation** Clos Vougeot Grand Cru
- **Grape variety** Pinot Noir

The Vine

- **Average vine age** 40 years
- **Soil** Clay, chalk, and gravel.
- **Average yield** 35 hl/ha
- **Harvest** Hand picked

Vinification & Ageing

- **Fermentation** Traditional open-vats fermentation
- **Ageing** 10 to 12 months ageing in oak barrels, 100% new
- **Barrels** Louis Latour cooperage, French oak, medium toasted

Description

Starting in the XIIth century the Cistercian monks of Citeaux, owners of Clos Vougeot, cultivated vines here. They built the winery with four oak presses and a large cellar with capacity for 2000 barrels of wine. In the XVth century the "grand manoir" was built in the middle of the Clos and in the XIXth century all the buildings were restored by Léonce Bocquet. Clos Vougeot is the largest Grand Cru in Burgundy with 52 hectares of vines and over 80 different owners. The Clos itself is subdivided into many different plots.

Wine tasting

- **Tasting Note** Our deep garnet-colored 2020 Clos Vougeot Grand Cru offers a floral nose with spices and blackcurrant aromas. On the palate, it is a very fresh, full and round wine with silky tannins and toasty notes. Very good length.
- **Cellaring Potential** 15-20 years
- **Food Pairing** Game - rib-eye steak - roasted lamb - veal with morels - mature cheeses.
- **Serving temperature** 16-17°

Press review

Clos Vougeot Grand Cru 2020 - James Suckling - 97/100
Clos de Vougeot Grand Cru 2020 - Jancis Robinson - 15,5/20
Clos Vougeot Grand Cru 2020 - Wine Enthusiast - 93/100
Clos Vougeot Grand Cru 2020 - Wine Spectator Insider - September 2022 - 93/100