



# Louis Latour

MAISON FONDÉE EN 1797

## MARANGES

2008

- REGION Côte de Beaune
- VILLAGE Maranges
- APPELLATION Maranges
- GRAPE VARIETY Pinot Noir

### *The Vine*

- AVERAGE VINE AGE 30 years
- SOIL Clay
- AVERAGE YIELD 40 hl/ha
- HARVEST Hand picked

### *Vinification & Ageing*

- FERMENTATION Traditional in open vats
- AGEING 10 to 12 months ageing in stainless steel vats

### *Description*

Situated to the south-west of Santenay, the Maranges appellation is at the southernmost tip of the Côte de Beaune. The Pinot Noir vineyards are planted on well-exposed south-east facing slopes, and the wines thrive on the heavy clay soil. The wines tend to be firm and tannic when young. Maranges has an excellent capacity for ageing with fine structure and intensity of Pinot Noir fruit character.

### *Wine tasting*

- TASTING NOTE This Maranges has an intense red colour and releases earthy aromas of cherry and liquorice. A powerful wine with great structure in the mouth.
- CELLARING POTENTIAL 3-5 years
- FOOD PAIRING Guinea fowl with cabbage - hare stew - cheese
- SERVING TEMPERATURE 14-15°

