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L'EDEN DES SERENNES

Chardonnay - AOP Limoux
Organic wine



Vinified by the team at Domaines Auriol.



Eden des Sérènes is part of the 90+ programme that aims to offer you the level of quality you would expect of world class wines. This label is a high-altitude Chardonnay from Limoux, matured in new casks according to the rules applied by the appellation. It is the result of team work between the wine grower and our winemakers, a lot of intuition and observation of Nature: the state of the vines and the clusters, and indeed the weather, tasting the stalks of the clusters... It is also about using techniques that promote the most 'natural' wine possible in order to protect the juice then the wine through to the bottle.

Eden means aspiring to the best, Paradise and its generosity. Sérènes alludes to mythology – Serena is the goddess of streams. The local area abounds with Gallo Roman vestiges and their beliefs are illustrated by evocative names such as the Fontaine des Fées (the fountain of the fairies) and Pierre Sacrée (sacred stone).

Situation

The vines are located 550 metres above sea level in Bouriège in the Upper Aude Valley. The soils are clay-limestone and the climate is influenced by the Mediterranean Sea, the mountains and the Atlantic, promoting fine, tense wines.

Vineyard management

The vines are trained using the Guyot system with wires for support.

The vineyards are farmed organically and certified Ecocert.

Varietal range

90% Chardonnay, 10% Chenin and Mauzac

Winemaking and ageing

The grapes are hand-picked then go direct to press using a pneumatic press. After basic cold settling, fermentation takes place in barrels previously used for one to four wines at around 20°C. Malolactic fermentation is partial and stops naturally.

The wine ages for a year in casks on fine lees with stirring. Very small amounts of SO2 are added before bottling (none is added before then). The wine develops hallmark varietal aromas of Chardonnay grown on cool, high-altitude vineyard sites.

Tasting notes

A balanced wine, midway between citrus, white fruits and exotic, vanilla-like spices. Age-worthy and drinking at its best at 10° C.

Logistics

Bottle			
Type	BG Authentique		
Height	29.6	cm	
Weight	1.5	kg	
Box			
Size	248x166x296	mm	
Weight	9	kg	
SU/box	6		
Layer			
N° of boxes	19		
SU/layer	114		

Pallet			
Size	80/120	cm	
Weight	21.76	kg	
N° of layers	4		
Boxes/pallet	76		
SU/pallet	456		
EAN bar code			
EAN bottle	3569401009243		
EAN box	Vintage: 2016	3569406009248	
Pallet code			

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