



# Domaine Berthelemot

GRANDS VINS DE BOURGOGNE

## PULIGNY-MONTRACHET

Les Levrons

2017



Domaine Berthelemot is a family business based in Meursault and cultivating 15 hectares in the Côte de Beaune area (Meursault, Puligny-Montrachet, Pommard, Beaune...). Our pledge is to produce wines revealing the true quality characteristics of the land and take care to protect the environment. Our wines are certified "organic" from vintage 2021.

### The vine

**Plot /climat** Les Levrons (total surface area 6ha 56a). It is downhill in Puligny-Montrachet next to Meursault

**History** « Levrons » was a diminutive in the middle ages for hares of which there were probably many in the area.

**Soil** Deep in brown limestone with some banks of marl.

**Our plot(s)** 60a 40ca planted in 1947. This is our oldest Chardonnay vineyard.

**Age of vines**

**Planting date** 1947

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**Surface** 62a

### The wine

100% Chardonnay from handpicked grapes; vinified and raised in oak casks.

**Taste** The deep soil gives the wine its intensity and elegance particularly characteristic of the land around Puligny; aromas are floral with hints of almond and hazelnut and the wine is fresh and rich in the mouth.

**Serving temperature** 12/14°C. It is recommended to decant recent vintages so as to enhance the aroma.

### The vintage

After a very cold winter the vegetation growth started quickly as from end of march. The 28th-29th frost had luckily not too much effect on our vines. They started to bloom beginning of june. Alternating cool and very hot spells in july and august made it difficult to decide the right time for harvest. Finally we started on the 4th of September. Gold in colour the grapes were in perfect conditions ; the wines have a strong aroma and in the mouth, are well balanced, full and rich intasted.