

Reims

Grapes

100% Chardonnay

Region/Appellation Champagne

Alcohol by volume 12.50%

Residual Sugar 9 g/l

pН 3-3.1

Total Acidity >6 g/l

Drinking Window 2024 - 2030+

Tasting Guide 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

Medium

Sweet

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Comtes de Champagne Blanc de Blancs Brut 2013 6x75cl

Winemaker Notes

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Vineyard

All of Taittinger's vineyards are managed under the careful eye of Christelle Rinvelle, Champagne Taittinger's highly regarded vineyard manager.

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Vintage

In 2013 the grapes were slow to ripen, which is why this was one of the last vintages harvested in October. Spring arrived late after a particularly long and cold winter. Meanwhile, mid-April was exceptionally hot, dry and sunny with over 800 hours of sunshine - unprecedented in Champagne country! The grapes developed with a new-found impetus. Some light rainfall in early September helped the clusters increase in size and ripen at an accelerated rate.

Food match

Grilled and Roasted White Meats

The ultimate aperitif. A hedonistic match with fine caviar