

Lieu Dit



Melon de Bourgogne

Santa Maria Valley

2021

Vineyard Source: Bien Nacido, Santa Maria Valley

Soil: Sorrento Sandy Loam

Harvest Date: 08/30/2021

Elevage: Neutral French Oak & Stainless Steel

Bottling Date: 02/17/2022

Alcohol by Volume: 11.7%

Our Melon de Bourgogne is sourced from own-rooted vines planted in 1973 on sorrento sandy loam soil at the Bien Nacido Vineyard.

The vines' origins involve a case of mistaken identity—a tale best shared over a glass of wine. Ask us some time!

Whole-cluster pressed, the juice is tank fermented using only native yeast. We then transfer to neutral oak barrels for the winter to help build texture. The wine is then racked back to stainless tank prior to bottling in the late winter—just in time for spring.

This is a crisp, fresh, mineral-driven wine with captivating brininess that will have you dreaming of an afternoon by the sea.