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# Le Charme Sauvignon Blanc by Christine Cabri, Côtes de Gascogne

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"This must be one of the best value Sauvignons in Britain because it's bursting with self-confident leafy lime-y, green apple-y freshness." Oz Clarke. Our Le Charme range of Southern French varietal wines are amongst our best sellers. The Sauvignon Blanc is a crisp, fresh white with flavours of cut grass, lime and gooseberry.

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**Tasting Notes:**

A fabulous aromatic wine, fresh on the nose with flavours of citrus fruit combined with blackcurrant leaf aromas and a great roundness.

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## Specification

**Vinification** For this wine, the grapes are selected among limited yield plots and only when they have reached optimum maturity. De-stemming is followed by maceration of the grapes for a few hours in order to extract the typical aromas of the Sauvignon grape. After clarification through decanting, the juice is transferred to stainless steel tanks for temperature-controlled fermentation. A strict selection process results in an exceptional cuvee in limited quantities. The ageing on fine lees until bottling gives good balance, complexity and roundness to the wine.

**ABV** 11.5%

**Size** 75cl

**Drinking Window** Drink now

**Country** France

**Region** Gascony

**Area** Pays du Gers

**Type** White Wine

**Grapes** Sauvignon Blanc

**Genres** Vegan, Vegetarian

**Vintage** 2021

**Style** Dry

**Body** Zesty, zingy and refreshing

**Producer** Producteurs Plaimont

**Producer Overview** Situated in the heart of South-West France, the Plaimont vineyards stretch from the foothills of the Pyrenees to the hills and valleys of Gascony covering a uniquely rich terroir.

**Closure Type** Screw Cap

**Food Matches** Try with mussels with black beans, garlic chilli and ginger cooked in a little white wine.

**Press Comments** Oz Clarke, 2019: "This must be one of the best value Sauvignons in Britain because it's bursting with self-confident leafy lime-y, green apple-y freshness." Highly Commended: The Wine Merchant Top 100, 2019. Daily Express, Sisters are brewing it for themselves, March 2021: "A lovely dry white from winemaker Christine Cabri of Plaimont Producteurs, a cooperative in South-West France, this sauvignon blanc is crisp, zesty and fresh, bursting with flavours of lime, cut grass and just a hint of gooseberries. **Read more online**