















## ALFRED GRATIEN BRUT MILLESIME



	<b>Wine Type</b>	Champagne
	<b>Vintage</b>	2012
	<b>Style</b>	Rich & Complex Whites
	<b>Country</b>	France
	<b>Region</b>	Champagne
	<b>Grower Name</b>	Alfred Gratién
	<b>Grape Variety</b>	Chardonnay Pinot Noir Pinot Meunier
	<b>ABV</b>	12.50
	<b>Closure</b>	Natural Cork
	<b>Allergens</b>	Sulphites
	<b>Method</b>	
	<b>Product SKU</b>	AGRATBRMILL12

## TASTING NOTES

This wine is pale gold in colour. Its effervescence is measured and builds to a fine mousse. At first, the nose is led by toasted almonds and russet apples and then evolves aromatically to offer floral and savoury notes. Iris, orange blossom and ladyfinger biscuits assert themselves. Gradually, flint and citrus zest come to the forefront, with toasted almond providing the backdrop. The exuberant initial taste and effervescence blend immediately into the body of the wine. The body is vibrant and accompanied by a fine acidity, which lends the tasting experience rhythm. The dosage dissipates, and the overall impression is a very delicate. The finish is taut and fairly

long, with acidic and mineral notes.

## Food Matches

Oysters, Grilled scallops & Sushi

### GROWER



### Alfred Gratien

For more than 150 years, Alfred Gratien is a familial House and continues the know-how of its founder Alfred Gratien In 1864, he builds at the same year the Gratien & Meyer House in Saumur and Alfred Gratien in Epernay. Grapes are purchased from about a hundred winegrowers with whom Alfred Gratien h... Read More

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### REGION



### Champagne

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### GRAPE



### Chardonnay

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