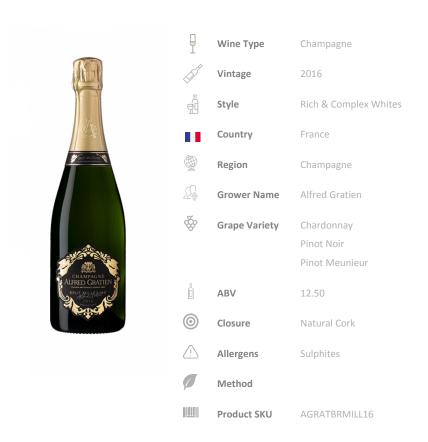






ALFRED GRATIEN BRUT MILLESIME



TASTING NOTES

Alfred Gratien Brut Millesime 2016. It is a classic vintage Champagne from a ripe, refined year. This Brut Millesime captures the essence of Champagne's terroir in outstanding years. Vinification and aging reflect Alfred Gratien's tradition, utilizing small oak barrels and avoiding malolactic fermentation, which emphasizes mineral transparency and freshness. With lively orchard fruit, fine lees texture, and integrated toasty notes, it is harmonious, complete, and showing excellent potential for mid-term aging. On the palette, there are many notes of apricots and plums. On the nose, candied fruits, such as mandarin, or even tarts, and coffee.

Food Matches

Roasted Shellfish & Prawns, Brie & Comte Cheese Dishes & Coq au Vin Blanc

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

Champagne is a region in the north-east of France famous the world over for its sparkling wine of the same name and concentrated around the towns of Reims, Epernay and Ay. Vines are cultivated near the northern-most extreme of latitude for viticulture, and the cool climate results in the high acidity... Read More

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Chardonnay

Chardonnay is arguably the best known and most versatile white grape variety in the wine world. Its traditional homeland is that of Burgundy, where it is responsible for such names as Chablis, Meursault and Puligny-Montrachet to name but a few, but it has also found success in almost every wine-prod... Read More

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