Cicada Blanc by Chante Cigale, Vin de France 2025

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Domaine Chante Cigale

— Rhône, France

Cicada takes its name from the famed 'singing cicadas' of Provence and the wine too sings of the warm vineyards of the south.

Production

An unusual blend of Viognier (30%), Picpoul Blanc (30%) and Grenache Blanc (40%). Sourced from clay limestone soils in Richerenes in the Vaucluse for the Grenache Blanc and Picpoul, with the Viognier sourced in the Northern Rhà´ne (so the wine is classified as Vin de France). Vinified in stainless steel, with a short maceration of one week. Alex Favier then puts the final blend together.

Tasting note

Easy-drinking, unoaked and a classic French-style bistro wine. Ripe lemon and lime on the nose with citrus flesh. There is nice weight on the palate, more ripe pear and some silky minerality on the finish.

Food Match

Coconut flavoured Thai and Vietnamese dishes, or as a delicious foil to barbecued or grilled mackerel.

ABV:
13.50%

Case/Bottle Size:
6x 75cl

Closure:
Cork

Appellation:
Vin De France

Winemaker:
Alexandre Favier

Grape Varieties:
Grenache Blanc 40%, Piquepoul Blanc 30%, Viognier 30%

Suitable for:
Vegan

Bottle Barcode:
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