







## Domaine Fournier Sancerre "Grande Cuvee"

## Vintage: 2011

Domaine Fournier Sancerre Grande Cuvee has a strong golden hue. Creamy aromas of citrus and dried almonds, Rich and supple on the palatte. A truly special and unique Sancerre with great potential for ageing.

Grape-variety : 100% Sauvignon.

Age of the vines : 30 to 50 years.

Soil : Clayey-limestone.

Yield: 10 to 20 hl/ha.

Production surface : 3 to 4 hectares

Cases produced: 5000

Vinification : Special vinification starting from the settling of the grape-juice of some vines of our Sancerre-vineyards. Racking of the must, being filtered instantly and before fermentation, followed by standard thermoregulated fermentation. No malolactic fermentation. Maturation on fine lees.

Ratings: 92 Points Wine Enthusiast

Claude Fournier and his family have been making wine for 13 generations. After many years of hard work Domaine Fournier is now one of the most important estates in Sancerre.

The family has worked tirelessly to produce top quality wines; combining family winemaking traditions with advanced facilities including custom made tanks and a modern winery design that incorporates hand sorting of the grapes and the use of gravity to ensure delicate treatment of the must (juice). Over the last 50 years they have grown the Fournier Estate from their father's 13 acres to 222 acres in Sancerre, Pouilly Fume and Menetou Salon.



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