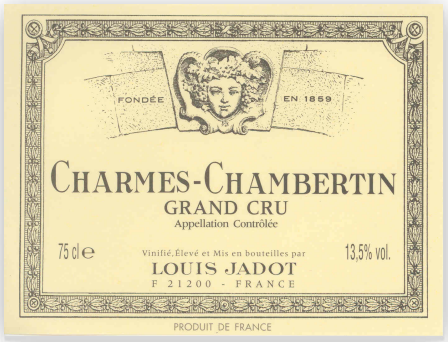
LOUIS JADOT

CHARMES CHAMBERTIN

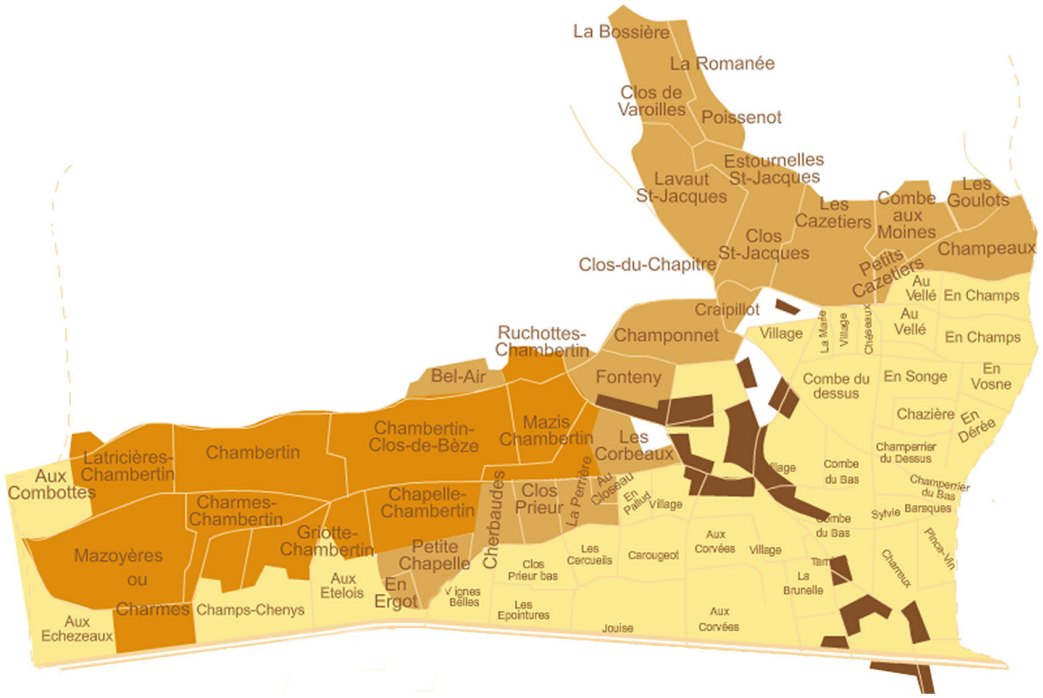


Côte de Nuits

Grand Cru

Red

100% Pinot Noir grapes



Vineyards situation

Gevrey Chambertin is the most northern of the great communes of the Côte de Nuits. There are 26 Premiers Crus and 8 Grands Crus.
Half of the Premiers Crus of Gevrey lie on the Grands Crus east facing slope ; the other half occupy a steep, southeast facing slope to the north, with calcareous clay soils.

Characteristics

« Charmes Chambertin » vineyard is situated on the east facing slope between Mazoyères Chambertin Grand Cru, Latricières Chambertin and Chambertin Grand Cru.
"Charmes" is derived from "Chaume", meaning "subtle" or "thatch" indicating the former presence of a field of grain.

Wine making

This wine is fermented in vats for 3-4 weeks and aged 18-20 months in oak barrels before bottling.

Winemaker's comments / Gastronomy

Louis Jadot Charmes Chambertin has a deep color and possesses intense aromatic bouquet reminiscent of blackcurrants and the berries of other little red and black fruits. When the wine has matured, it smells musk and fur, and often liquorice.

The powerful structure and perfumes of this wine require quite elaborate and strong tasting food : leg of mutton, boeuf bourguignon, game, chicken in wine, game pâtés, strong cheeses (excluding blue veined ones).

Preservation

This wine will certainly improve up to 20 to 25 years in cellar.