



RESERVE BLANC DE BLANCS



APPELLATION

North Coast

COMPOSITION

Chardonnay

Chandon Reserve Blanc de Blancs is created with grapes specifically selected for their robust Reserve style. As in France, the style Blanc de Blancs, which means “white from whites,” stars the elegance and creamy texture of Chardonnay. The winery-exclusive Reserve collection demonstrates how wines develop with longer aging.

VINEYARDS

We source grapes from multiple cool-climate sites to maintain the tradition of Champagne by using Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier.

VINTAGE CONDITIONS

Chandon non-vintage sparkling wines are made with lots of wines from multiple vintages. Our Reserve Blanc de Blancs is blended with up to 20 percent reserve wines from prior harvests.

VINIFICATION

Grapes are pressed, fermented into wine and then bottled along with yeast and sugar to start the second fermentation that makes méthode traditionnelle wines effervescent. After aging, the reserve wine is clarified by riddling, a process which moves the yeast sediment to the neck of the bottle. The necks are frozen, and the yeast is expelled in a process called disgorgement. To balance the acidity before applying the cork, each bottle is topped off with a small amount of liqueur, sugar dissolved in reserve wine, also known as the dosage. The wine is then aged at least six additional months before release.

TASTING NOTES

Chandon Reserve Blanc de Blancs offers a combination of intriguing aromas: honey, baked pear, toasted walnuts and figs. Similar flavors of honey, pear, toasted walnuts and brioche persist in the creamy, rich palate.

FOOD PAIRING

The wine’s subtle and creamy qualities make it an excellent partner for a range of foods, from lobster rolls and steamed clams with butter to grilled sausages and roasted eggplant dip.

SERVING AND CELLARING

We recommend serving our sparkling wine chilled. To do so quickly, fill a wine bucket with ice and water and then immerse the bottle for 20 to 30 minutes. Cellar in a cool place for up to three years.

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