



## Domaine Guillot-Broux Mâcon Villages Blanc

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**Winery:** Domaine Guillot-Broux  
**Category:** Wine – Still – White  
**Grape Variety:** Chardonnay  
**Region:** Cruzille/ Burgundy/ France  
**Vineyard:** various vineyards in Mâcon Villages  
**Winery established:** 1978  
**Feature:** Organic



### Product Information

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**Soil:** Clayey limestone. Surface area 2 hectares (5 acres).

**Age of vines:** various years of plantation

**Vinification:** This cuvee of Mâcon Villages comes from grapes bought in, then harvested and vinified by the winery. The winery works exclusively with winegrowers who have organic certification or are in the process of converting to organic agriculture. After vinification, the wine was aged 6 months in oak barrels/ 6 months in vats.

**Yield:** 50 hl/ha

**Plant density:** 7,500 plants/ha

**Tasting Note:** A typical Mâcon Villages, with its fresh, mineral and slightly citrus flavor, it gives an authentic Chardonnay from clayey limestone soils.

**Production:** 13,300 bottles/year

**Alc:** 13%

### Producer Information

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The first vineyards of Domaine Guillot-Broux were planted in 1954 by Pierre and Jeannine Guillot. Their son Jean-Gérard Guillot returned to Cruzille, after working for several years in Brouilly and Meursault and in 1978 Jean-Gerard established the Domaine Guillot-Broux with his wife Jacqueline Broux. Today their sons Patrice (vineyard manager) and Emmanuel (sales & marketing) run the Domaine which now has 17 hectares (42 acres) of vines situated in three villages of Cruzille, Gréville and Chardonnay. Most of the vineyards are on east-facing slopes where the soils are comprised of clayey limestone. The various geological formations give rise to different terroirs, resulting in strikingly different wines. The nature of the soil in Cruzille brings out mineral flavors and produces wines that need a relatively long time to mature. The vineyards in Gréville and Chardonnay tend to have deeper soil and produce wines that are often fruitier in their youth but also become more complex after several years of age. Each vineyard is vinified separately, but only the best vineyards are selected for single vineyard cuvees. The domaine has been organic from the beginning and has been certified organic since 1991.