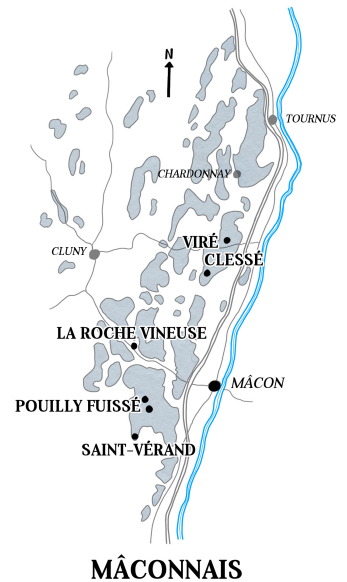


# CHANSON

En Bourgogne depuis 1750



## Viré-Clessé

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**Grape Variety :** Chardonnay and Chardonnay Muscaté

**Soil :** Clay, chalk and marl

**Site :** In the heart of the Mâcon wine growing region, South of Burgundy. The two villages Viré and Clessé form a unique "terroir" on slopes facing South-East. In Viré, the soil is chalky with large layers of clay. In Clessé, the soil structure is slightly different with a combination of chalk and clay mixed with liasic marls combined with oyster- fossils which convey to the wine a specific minerality. This is one of the best white wines of the region combining suppleness and minerality.

**The Vintage 2018 :** After a rainy winter, a heat wave in April followed by a cold period in May, the weather settled down in Burgundy with warm temperatures in June. Summer was warm and dry with a few heat waves. The harvest started in the last days of August with an excellent maturity of the grapes. The white wines are well-balanced with notes of exotic and pale fleshed fruit.

**Tasting :** Pale gold colour. Refreshing floral fragrances mixed with exotic fruit on a hint of minerality. Well-balanced, tense and precise. Refreshing finish with mineral tinges

**Food pairing :** A fine, dry apéritif, great with light seafood and raw vegetable hors d'oeuvres.