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# Meursault Villages 2015, Domaine Michelot

Price: £34.99  
Product Code: MEUR475



### Description:

This wine is now enhanced by grapes from the lieux-dits vineyards of Les Casse Têtes and Limozin, which give an added richness and intensity to the wine. Main characteristics are sweet buttery fruit, lime marmalade and a high degree of tropical richness.

### Tasting Notes:

A basket of sweet buttery fruit, streaks of honey, lime marmalade and a high degree of tropical richness characterize this wine.

### Specification:

Product Code:	MEUR475
Price:	£34.99
ABV:	13%
Size:	75cl
Drinking Window:	Drink from 2018
Region:	Burgundy
Country:	France
Sub Region:	Côte de Beaune
Sub Sub Region:	Meursault
Type:	White Wine
Grapes:	Chardonnay
Genres:	Fine Wine
Vintage:	2015
Style:	Dry
Body:	Rich, rounded and full flavoured
Vinification:	One third new oak is used. The wines benefit from extended contact with the lees and regular battonage, which contributes to their rich and expressive character. To enhance the wines' vivacity, after 12 months the cuvees are assembled into temperature-controlled stainless steel tanks where they complete their maturation over the next 6 months. The estate's entire production now

appears under the Domaine Mestrel-Michelot label. Domaine Michelot's vineyard practices aim at maintaining a balanced natural environment. The aim is to encourage the vine's natural resistance mechanisms. They regularly plough the soils and apply compost as opposed to chemical fertilizers. Grass is planted between all the rows to absorb water, thereby creating a condition of mild hydric stress for the wines. This condition serves 3 purposes: it encourages the roots to grow deeper into the soil, enhancing the wine's complexity; it makes for healthier grapes while concentrating their sugar and flavors; and it creates an environment in which vine maladies caused by moisture are naturally prevented.

Producer:

Domaine Mestrel Michelot