DOMAINE ROGER & CHRISTOPHE MOREUX Sancerre "Les Monts Damnés"



The estate of Domaine Roger & Christophe Moreux represents the best in artisanal wine making. Established in Chavignol in 1895, the work of the vineyards has been handed down from father to son for generations. Today the domaine is under the attentive care of Christoph Moreux as his father, Roger, has entered retirement. Located just a few short minutes from the town of Sancerre, Chavignol is considered one of the great sites of the appellation, and in

possession of some of Sancerre's greatest terroirs. Moreux owns vines in the two top vineyards of Chavignol: Les Monts Damnés and Les Bouffants. Both vineyards produce some of Sancerre's top wines, Moreux's perennially among them. The estate also produces a small amount of red and rosé wine made from Pinot Noir.

Region:	Loire
Appellation:	Sancerre
Owner:	Christophe and Roger Moreux
Established:	1895
Farming Practices:	Sustainable
Soil:	Stones, clay and limestone, steeply graded hills, highly eroded
Grape Varieties:	100% Sauvignon Blanc
Vineyard:	1 ha
Age of Vines:	30 years
Yield/Hectare:	35 hl/ha
Avg Production:	6,000 bottles

Vinification and Élevage: The grapes are pressed and the juice allowed to settle prior to fermentation, which then takes place in stainless steel vats. The wine remains here for 6-8 months, then is lightly filtered and bottled.

Tasting Notes: Opulent and dense expression of Sauvignon Blanc, yet still maintains steely undertones. Citrus, orchard fruit and pineapple abound.

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