`TYDY` Sauvignon Blanc IGP Val de Loire 2016

Loire, France





Grape Varieties	100% Sauvignon Blanc
Winemaker	Marie and Thierry Delaunay
Closure	Screwcap
ABV	12%
Residual Sugar	5g/L
Acidity	6.26g/L
Wine pH	3.2
Bottle Sizes	75cl
Notes	Sustainable, Vegetarian, Vegan

PRODUCER

TYDY stands for Thierry Delaunay, the fifth-generation of the Delaunay family at the helm of Domaine Joël Delaunay. A specialist in the Loire, Thierry sources the fruit for these wines from across the valley, some of which he buys from long-standing grower friends and colleagues. These IGP Val de Loire wines offer excellent value.

VINEYARDS

TYDY Sauvignon Blanc is blended from fine cuvées of Sauvignon Blanc from across the Touraine region of the Loire Valley. A portion of the grapes are bought in from long-standing growers, carefully selected by Thierry Delaunay.

VINTAGE

The Loire Valley was plagued by spring frosts and a wet summer, causing a severe reduction in yields and making the vineyard owners work hard to manage their canopies and deter fungal growth.

VINIFICATION

After pneumatic pressing, alcoholic fermentation took place in stainless steel tanks over a period of 20 days at 16°C. After fermentation, the wine was aged on fine lees prior to blending by Thierry Delaunay before cross flow filtration and bottling.

TASTING NOTES

Pale yellow in colour with green tints. An expressive nose, marrying grapefruit, gooseberry, pear, fresh lime and a subtle touch of tropical fruit. These bright fruits continue onto the palate, which is round, fleshy and framed by a delicate touch of sweetness. A soft and perfumed Sauvignon Blanc.