



JOSEPH MELLOT

500 ANS D'HISTOIRE

CHINON LES MORINIÈRES 2016

Founded in 1513, Domaine Joseph Mellot is a historic, family-owned wine estate located in the Centre-Loire vineyard of Sancerre. Successive generations of the Mellot family have refined their unique savoir faire, leading to the Domaine being recognized as the foremost producer of and an ambassador for the Grands Vins du Centre-Loire. Expressing the quintessence of their terroirs, Joseph Mellot wines have gained international renown and distinction for their excellence.

With a strong and responsible commitment in a sustainable viticulture, Domaine Joseph Mellot has been awarded ISO 14001 certification with its vineyards attaining level 2 Environmental Certification.

VITICULTURE:

- **Grape variety:** Cabernet franc
- **Terroir:** Clay-limestone soils
- **Way of farming:** Sustainable agriculture – tillage

Sustainable Agriculture is a **responsible approach**, which optimizes the qualitative result while controlling inputs, taking into consideration the **protection of health** and the **environment**.

WINE-MAKING AND AGEING:

- **Destemming:** Yes
- **Vatting time:** 18 days
- **Ageing:** Stainless steel tank

TASTING:



Dark red color with purple reflections



Fruity nose with aromas of black fruits and flowers



Round and full attack

Nice tannic structure

Aromas of bilberry and violet

Fruity finale with great length

FOOD AND WINE PAIRING:



Grilled or marinated beef, carpaccio, barbecue, game



Marinated or grilled poultry, marinated or stewed veal, cooked meats



Cheeses such as Camembert or Cantal

USEFUL ADVICES:

- **Serving temperature:** 15 °C
We recommend leaving this wine to breathe for a moment after pouring to release the fullness of its aromas.



JOSEPH MELLOT,
DOMAINE ENGAGÉ DANS
LE DÉVELOPPEMENT DURABLE.



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