

Organic Chardonnay Maycas de Limari 2021



Region

The cool Pacific coastal Limari Valley, isolated from Chile's traditional vineyards, lies 5 hours drive north of Santiago, towards the Atacama Desert. It has only recently been planted with premium cool climate varieties but indications hint at future grandeur. Pungent aromatic Sauvignon Blanc, subtle perfumed Pinot and spicy Syrah are the early produce of juvenile vineyards.

Producer

Emiliana Organic Vineyards have a presence in Chile's most prestigious wine valleys, from Limari to Bio Bio. All organic wines grown in a way that preserves the natural balance of life and helps sustain the environment for the future. A key focus is to use no chemicals, no synthetic pesticides, fertilisers or additives to ensure better quality and sense of place. Maycas de Limari wines are part of this range, coming from the Limari region known for its elegant expressions of Chardonnay and Pinot Noir.

Tasting Notes

Pale-yellow colour with greenish hues, the first impression of the wine on the nose is of citric fruits with notes of lemongrass. But as it opens up, it delivers fruity aromas of peaches and fresh apricots. The wine goes through spontaneous fermentation in French barrels and concrete eggs and then left on lees for ageing 12 months with batonnage to create the rich full mouth-feel and notes of freshly baked tart. Its vibrant acidity lengthens its finish and reveals the minerality of Limari's limestone soils.

Food

This wine makes a perfect pairing with goat cheese or ripe cheeses; oysters or smoked fish; snails or sushi. Vegetarians can pair it with great success with pumpkin or cauliflower creams. Another good option are white meats, pork and any dish with a cream or butter base.

Technical Information

Country	Chile
Region	Limari Valley
Grape(s)	Chardonnay (100%)
Type	White
Style	Aromatic
Oaked Style	Oaked
Body Style	Light bodied
Sustainable	Yes-certified sustainable

Dry/Sweet Style	Dry
Alcohol Content	13%
Closure Style	Cork
Organic/Biodynamic	Organic
Allergens	Milk: No Egg: No
Vegetarian/Vegan	Vegetarian: Yes Vegan: Yes



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