



## DOMAINE ROGER & DIDIER RAIMBAULT SANCERRE « Vieilles Vignes » 2016 Single Vineyard

### ORIGIN

Loire Valley, France

### APPELLATION

AOC Sancerre

### VINEYARD

35-50-year-old vines  
planted in clay-limestone  
soils

### BLEND

100% Sauvignon Blanc

### FARMING

Hand-harvested and  
sorted separately based  
on ripeness.

### AGING

Aged on lees for 12-18  
months

Roger et Didier Raimbault's 'Vieilles Vignes' Sancerre is an absolutely divine cuvée. The aromas are filled with ripe citrus and incredible minerality. The palate possesses a remarkable rich texture which shines with vibrant acidity. It simply impresses the nose and palate all the way through the finish with its striking balance between finesse and precision.

Roger et Didier Raimbault's domaine is located in the Verdigny commune, right in the heart of the Sancerre wine region. The family has been growing vines for 400 years, and owns 17.5 hectares of vineyards comprised of 51 different parcels of vines set on sharp slopes of Verdigny and Sury en Vaux. These slopes range from 500 to 1,000 feet above sea level. This range in altitude provides various sun exposures and terroirs which in turn provides incredible complexity and diversity to the wines.

The grapes come from vines that range between 35 and 50 years old planted in clay-limestone soils known as *les terres blanche*. This mono soil, accompanied by the age of the vines, gives a heightened quality of elegance and minerality to the wine that can only be achieved through this combination.

### ACCOLADES

2016 Wine Enthusiast Magazine – 90 points

2015 International Wine Report – 92 points

2015 Wine Enthusiast Magazine – 91 points

