



## PROFILE

The eastern French alpine region of Savoie is one that remains somewhat obscure but, if you can get your hands on a bottle of the higher-quality production from this region, you'll find distinctive wines that express their respective terroirs in a way that is not often matched in the wine world. Domaine Saint-Romain, a diminutive family-run winery, hails from Jongieux, a small area in the hilly mid-section of Savoie just east of the Savoie River. Boasting quality wines made from both red and white grapes, Jongieux rests on the glacially-sculpted terraces between Lac de Bourget (the largest and deepest lake in all of France) and the Rhône River.

## SPECIFICATIONS

**Wine:** Vin de Savoie Blanc "Jongieux"

**Varietals:** 100% Jacquère

**Appellation:** Vin de Savoie AOC

**Exposure:** Sun-exposed foothills

**Area:** 250 ha

**Elevation:** 450–500 m

**Soil:** Clay-limestone soil and scree

**Agricultural Method:** Organic

**Harvest:** Manual

**Vinification:** The indigenous jacquère (pronounced jack hare) grapes are harvested very early in the morning, followed by direct pressing and passage through a cold tubing (42 meters in length) to obtain cold grape juice and preserve thiols.

**Tasting Note:** Floral and citrus aromas. A particularity of Jongieux white is the citrus notes and delicate minerality. Ideal as a clean, fresh aperitif on its own or with charcuterie.

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