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**Samuel Billaud**  
**Chablis 1er Cru "Séchet", 2014**  
**Burgundy, France**

**91+ Points**

Pale yellow. Pure, slightly high-toned aromas of pineapple, stone fruits and crushed-stone minerality, lifted by lemon and orange zest. Pristine, adamantly mineral wine with terrific intensity and framing acidity to its yellow peach and apricot flavors. A real fruit bomb in the context of the vintage but with brisk, firm-edged minerality giving terrific chewy grip to the sexy lingering orange and apricot flavors. I suspect that a few years in bottle will bring greater harmony to the wine's pungent fruit and mineral elements. (AG)