



# CALMEL & JOSEPH

CRÉATEURS DE GRANDS VINS  
en Languedoc-Roussillon



## VILLA BLANCHE Picpoul de Pinet

Clear and shimmering with greenish gleams. A lovely floral nose with always the same hints of aniseed and iodized notes. The first palate is opulent, persistent and very harmonious. This is a vintage where freshness prevails in notes of green apple, citrus and salinity. Elegant, as always, this wine evolves superbly in the bottle giving a Picpoul de Pinet of great poise, superb at table or as an aperitif, to accompany all types of seafood and cheeses.

### TECHNICAL SHEET

**Appellation**

Picpoul de Pinet

**Vintage**

2017

**Varieties**

100% Piquepoul blanc

**Production**

55 HL / Ha

**Alcohol**

12.5% alc./vol

**Terroir**

Chalk and clay.

**Vinification**

The grapes are picked early in the morning to keep them at optimum temperature. A short, 4-hour maceration takes place before pressing. Fermentation also takes place at low temperatures. After alcoholic fermentation, the lees are stirred weekly for two months. No malolactic fermentation.

**Ageing**

In tank on the lees for three months.

### RECOGNITION AND AWARDS

**Jancis Robinson 08/03/2018**

16/20 Smells of apple and rhubarb candy, pear drops ...

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