



Abondant B



Name of vine variety in France

Abondant

Origin

This variety is cultivated in the east of France and was obtained by Mr. Vanel. Based on genetic analysis carried out in Montpellier, it is derived from the crossbreeding of Madeleine royale B and Kövidinka Rs.

Synonymy

There is no officially recognized synonym in France nor in other countries in the European Union.

Regulations

In France, Abondant B is officially listed in the "Catalogue of Vine Varieties".

Use

Wine vine variety

Evolution of area under vines in France

	1958	1968	1979	1988	2016
ha	21	14	3	2	0.8

Description

Identification signs include:

- the tips of the young shoot have a very thick coat of flat lying hairs,
- the young leaves are green,
- the shoots have green-colored internodes,
- the adult leaves are large, whole with a slightly opened petolar sinus with parallel sides or with slightly over lapping lobes; short teeth compared to width at base with convex sides; absence of anthocyanin pigmentation; slightly bubbled leaf blades, folded near the petiolar point, bubbled and the lower side with a sparse coat of upright and flat lying hairs,
- round shaped berries

Genetic profile

Microsatellite	VVS2	VVMD5	VVMD7	VVMD27	VRZAG62	VRZAG79	VVMD25	VVMD28	VVMD32
Allel 1	141	225	247	178	194	246	248	216	251
Allel 2	149	238	249	184	194	252	254	247	271

Phenology

Bud burst: 3 days after Chasselas. Grape maturity: period II, 2 and 1/2 weeks after Chasselas.

Suitability for cultivation and agronomic production

Abondant B is a vigorous variety, fertile when short pruned. Its early budding exposes it to spring frost.

Sensitivity to diseases and pests

Abondant B is sensitive to gray rot.

Technological potential

The grape clusters are large and the berries are moderate to large. Abondant B produces fairly neutral and ordinary white wines.

Clonal selection in France

There are no approved clones for this variety at the present time.

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