



## Folignan B



### Name of vine variety in France

Folignan

### Origin

This variety was obtained in 1964 by INRA by crossbreeding Ugni blanc B and Folle blanche B.

### Synonymy

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

### Regulations

In France, Folignan B is officially listed in the "Catalogue of vine varieties".

### Use

Wine and eaux-de-vie vine variety.

### Evolution of area under vines in France



### Description

Identification signs include:

- the tips of the young shoots have dense coat of flat-lying hairs,
- young leaves are yellow or green, orbicular adult leaves, 5-lobed with moderate to deep lateral sinuses, rounded base, closed petiolar sinus with overlapping lobes, moderate teeth compared to width at base, straight sides or with a concave and concave side; no anthocyanin pigmentation of veins; jagged leafblade, moderately to strongly bubbled with the underside having no upright hairs but with a moderate coat of flat-lying hairs, - round-shaped berries.

### Genetic profile

Microsatellite	VVS2	VVMD5	VVMD7	VVMD27	VRZAG62	VRZAG79	VVMD25	VVMD28	VVMD32
Allel 1	131	223	239	178	196	244	240	245	271

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Allel 2	149	232	253	180	200	246	248	247	271

## Phenology

Bud burst: 7 days after Chasselas. Grape maturity: period II, 2 and 1/2 to 3 weeks after Chasselas.

## Suitability for cultivation and agronomic production

Folignan B has moderate to strong vigor with semi-erect horizontal growth

## Sensitivity to diseases and pests

Folignan B is moderately susceptible to grey rot.

## Technological potential

The Folignan B grape clusters and berries are medium size. This variety produces wine which can be used to produce very good quality eaux-de-vie. The musts can be used to produce quality mistelles.

## Clonal selection in France

The only approved Folignan B clone carries the number 1053.

## Bibliographic references

- Catalogue des variétés et clones de vigne cultivés en France. Collectif, 2007, Ed. IFV, Le Grau-du-Roi.
- Documentation interne du Domaine de Vassal. 1949-2011, INRA, Marseillan-plateau.

## Description of clones approved in France

Clone number	Identity and availability		Agronomic data		Technical data	
	<i>Origin</i>	<i>Selection</i>	<i>Fertility</i>	<i>Production level</i>	<i>Sugar content</i>	<i>Potential color</i>
	<i>Year approved</i>	<i>Agronomic references</i>	<i>Weight of grape bunches</i>	<i>Vigor</i>	<i>Total acidity</i>	<i>Tannic structure</i>
	<i>Growing surface area</i>		<i>Size of berries</i>	<i>Sensitivity to Botrytis</i>	<i>Aromatic intensity</i>	<i>Oenological aptitudes</i>
1053	2000	INRA				

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