



Terret blanc B



Name of the variety in France

Terret blanc

Origin

This variety corresponds to the white mutation of Terret noir.

Synonyms

There is no officially recognized synonym in France nor in the other countries of the European Union, for this variety.

Legal information

In France, Terret blanc is officially listed in the "Catalogue of vine varieties" on the A list and classified.

Use

Wine grape variety.

Evolution of cultivated areas in France

	1958	1968	1979	1988	1998	2008	2018
ha	15017	13384	8987	6191	3076	1796	839

From 1958 to 1988, Terret blanc and gris.

Descriptive elements

The description corresponds to that of Terret noir except for the skin color of the berries when ripe, which is green yellow and for the ellipsoid berries.

Genetic profile

Microsatellite	VVS2	VVMD5	VVMD7	VVMD27	VRZAG62	VRZAG79	VVMD25	VVMD28	VVMD32
Allel 1	131	223	243	176	188	252	238	257	239
Allel 2	131	223	247	182	204	252	240	257	239

Phenology

Bud burst: 9 days after Chasselas.
Grape maturity: late-season, 5 weeks after Chasselas.

Suitability for cultivation and agronomic production

Terret blanc's aptitudes are comparable to those of Terret noir.

Susceptibility to diseases and pests

Terret blanc is especially sensitive to powdery mildew.

Technological potentiality

The bunches are large and the berries are medium in size. Terret blanc produces neutral and relatively acidic wines.

Clonal selection in France

The two certified Terret blanc clones carry the numbers 1071 and 1072. A conservatory of more than 200 clones was planted in 2001 in the French department of Hérault.

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Description of clones certified in France

Clone no.	Identity and availability		Agronomic data		Technological data	
	Origin	Selection	Fertility	Production level	Sugar level	Color potential
	Year of certification	Agronomic references	Bunch weight	Vigor	Titration acidity	Tannic structure
	Surface area used for propagation (year)		Berry size	Susceptibility to grey rot	Aromatic intensity	Oenological suitability
1071	Hérault	ENTAV	low to medium	medium	medium	
	2003	Domaine de l'Espiguette Languedoc	medium		medium	
			low to medium			representative wines of the variety
1072	Hérault	ENTAV	low to medium	low to medium	medium to high	
	2003	Domaine de l'Espiguette Languedoc	low		low	
			low to medium			representative wines of the variety

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