

Domaine Macle

2013 Côtes du Jura Chardonnay Sur Voile Jura, France

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Score 92 points

2013 was a cool and unusual vintage in many places and provided fresher wines, as can be seen in the 2013 Côtes du Jura. All these Côtes du Jura bottlings from Macle are the same blend, 80% Chardonnay and 20% Savagnin, all from more or less the same vineyards, but from younger vines in the older vintages. Both wines age separately under a veil of yeasts for three years, and then Laurent Macle decides which barrels don't have the character to make it into the Château Chalon, and those are declassified for this cuvée. The blend is made only one month before bottling. This is young and tender, with good freshness and clean, focused flavors, with good acidity and length (LG)

