

# Graisse B

Wine and spirits grape variety.



## Origin

This variety is found in the south west of France. Based on published genetic analyses, Graisse is probably a descendant of Gouais blanc.

## Use

Wine and spirits grape variety.

## Name of the variety in France

Graisse

## Synonymy

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

## Regulatory data

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

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## Description elements

The identification is based on:

- the tip of the young shoot with a high density of prostrate hairs,
- the green or yellow young leaves,
- the dark green adult leaves, entire or with five lobes, with a slightly open petiole sinus, medium to long teeth compared to their width at the base with straight sides, no anthocyanin coloration, a twisted, blistered and goffered leaf blade, and on the lower side of the leaves, a medium to high density of erect and prostrate hairs,
- the round-shaped berries.

# Evolution of cultivated areas in France

| Year | 1958 | 1968 | 1979 | 1988 | 2000 | 2008 | 2018 |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| ha   | 2722 | 2248 | 420  | 72   | 25   | 19   | 17   |

## Genetic profile

| Microsatellite | VVS2 | VVMD5 | VVMD7 | VVMD27 | VRZAG62 | VRZAG79 | VVMD25 | VVMD28 | VVMD32 |
|----------------|------|-------|-------|--------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| Allele 1       | 141  | 223   | 239   | 176    | 188     | 244     | 254    | 233    | 239    |
| Allele 2       | 149  | 232   | 249   | 176    | 204     | 252     | 262    | 245    | 271    |

### Cultivation and agronomic skills

Graisse is productive with an erect bearing and may be pruned short. It tends to produce many off shoots and suckers.

### Clonal selection in France

The only certified Graisse clone carries the number 1134.

### Phenology

Bud burst: 6 days after Chasselas.  
Bud burst: late-season, 4 weeks after Chasselas.

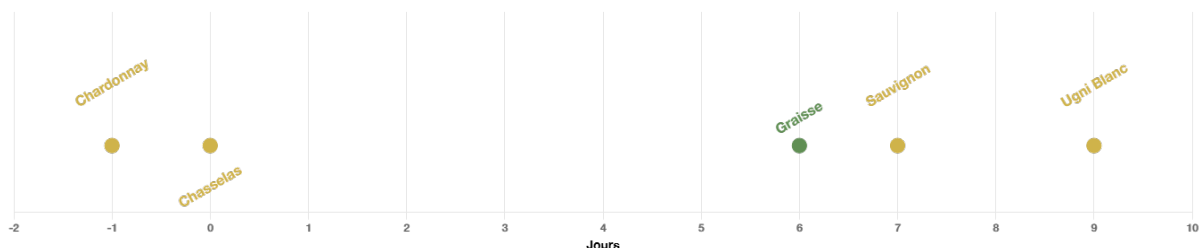
### Technological potential

The bunches are medium in size and compact and the berries are medium to large. Graisse has a low sugar accumulation potential. It produces neutral and acidic wines.

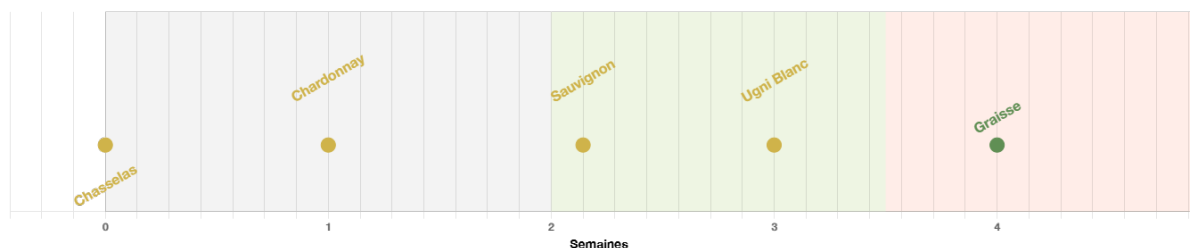
### Susceptibility to Diseases and Pests

Graisse is a little susceptible to powdery mildew.

### Debourrement



### Maturité



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