

# Persan N

## Wine grape variety.



## Origin

This variety is found in the Savoie and Isère regions.

### Use

Wine grape variety.

### Name of the variety in France

Persan

### Synonymy

In Italy, Persan is officially designated as "Becuet". This synonym is officially recognized in France regarding plant propagation material.

## Regulatory data

In France, Persan is officially listed in the "Catalogue of vine varieties" on the A list and classified. This variety is also listed in the catalogue of Italy.

## **Description elements**

The identification is based on:

- the tip of the young shoot with a high density of prostrate hairs,
- the yellow or green young leaves with slightly bronze spots,
- the large, circular or kidney-shaped, dark green adult leaves, with five lobes, an open petiole sinus, short teeth compared to their width at the base with straight or convex sides, a weak anthocyanin coloration of veins, an involute, sometimes goffered leaf blade, and on the lower side of the leaves, a low density of erect and prostrate hairs,
- the narrow ellipsoid berries.

## **Evolution of cultivated areas in France**

Year	1958	1968	1979	1988	2000	2008	2018
ha	201	179	18	8	3	6	20

## **Genetic profile**

MicrosatelliteVVS2		VVMD5	VVMD7	VVMD27	VRZAG62	VRZAG79	VVMD25	VVMD28	VVMD32
Allele 1	149	225	239	182	188	240	248	233	239
Allele 2	149	236	257	186	194	252	262	233	251

**Technological potential** 

ageing.

The bunches and berries are small. Persan produces

tannic wines, with a good acidity, that are suited for

Persan is susceptible to downy and powdery mildew.

Susceptibility to Diseases and Pests

## Cultivation and agronomic skills

Persan is a vigorous variety which is generally pruned long, trained and managed in high growth vine stocks. Good results can be obtained on limestone scree soils.

### **Clonal selection in France**

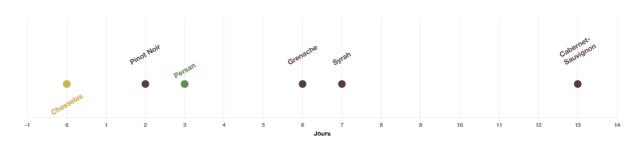
The only certified Persan clone carries the number 1110. A conservatory of 15 or so clones was planted in 1999 in the wine-growing region of Savoie.

## Phenology

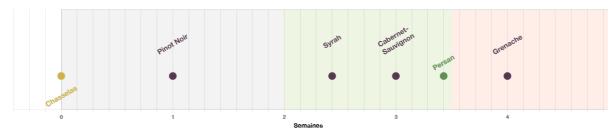
Bud burst: 3 days after Chasselas.

Grape maturity: mid-season, 3 weeks and a half after Chasselas.

Debourrement



## Maturité



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