

New

Voskeat B

Wine grape variety.



Origin

This variety is probably originally from Armenia.

Use

Wine grape variety.

Name of the variety in France

Voskeat

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, Voskeat is officially listed in the "Catalogue of vine varieties" since 2024 on the A list but is not yet classified.

Description elements

[Redaction in progress]

Genetic profile

	MicrosatelliteVVS2	VVMD5	VVMD7	VVMD27	VRZAG62	VRZAG79	VVMD25	VVMD28	VVMD32
Allele 1	141	234	247	176	190	240	240	259	265
Allele 2	143	244	249	176	194	250	240	276	273

Cultivation and agronomic skills

Voskeat is a fairly vigorous, late-season variety with a semi-erect bearing. When planted in poor, rocky soil and pruned long, it produces high-quality white wines. This variety is also susceptible to winter frosts.

Clonal selection in France

There is no certified clone for this variety yet.

Phenology

Bud burst: same as Chasselas.
Grape maturity: late-season, 4 weeks after Chasselas.

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Technological potential

Voskeat grape clusters are medium to large, fairly compact, and sometimes winged. The berries are medium-sized, bloomed, with a relatively thin skin. Berries' sugar accumulation potential is high. In its country of origin, this variety is used to produce a wide range of products: base wine for sparkling wine, light wine with high acidity, or mainly fortified wines; it is also locally used as a table grape.

Susceptibility to Diseases and Pests

Voskeat is very sensitive to downy mildew, powdery mildew, grey rot and grape moths.



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