

Ch du Petit Thouars Les Foux Vin Mousseux Rose

THE FACTS

COUNTRY: France

REGION: Loire

APPELLATION: Touraine

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 0.0%

THE STORY

Chateau du Petit Thouars, a 1500's estate, is located in the commune of Saint-Germain-sur-Vienne, in the southwest part of the Chinon appellation, along the south bank of the Vienne River (a tributary of the Loire), and immediately east of Saumur-Champigny—in fact, the limit of the Saumur-Champigny appellation is visible from the estate's westernmost holdings.

In contrast to the sandy soils that predominate further east in the appellation, the vineyards around Petit Thouars are clay-limestone—giving the red wines impressive potential for structure and complexity as well as being particularly suited to producing outstanding Chenin Blanc. Sebasti  n and D'Arcy have been working toward fully organic viticulture

THE SELLING POINTS

SUSTAINABILITY: Green Practicing

