

# CHANSON

En Bourgogne depuis 1750



## *Santenay*

### Santenay 2007

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**Grape Variety :** Pinot Noir

**Soil :** Limestone mixed with clay

**Site :** The vineyard is located on the hill of the commune of Santenay, a small village South of the Côte de Beaune, near Chassagne Montrachet.

**The Vintage 2007 :** The weather at the start of summer was quite demanding. It became fine again from the end of August with much sun and a north wind, which aided concentration of flavours and gave rise to an exceptional phenolic maturity. The harvest commenced in mid-September in perfect conditions under an Indian summer. This results in red wines with a crunchy flesh and an explosion of red fruits marvelously combined with the minerality of the terroirs. Aged in French oak during 16 months.

**Tasting :** Bright ruby colour. Aromas of red berries (cherries and raspberry) mixed with chocolate and enhanced by a hint of vanilla. Complex and well-balanced. Dense with a beautiful structure. Refined tannins and delicate oak note. Long and refreshing aftertaste.

**Food pairing :** To be enjoyed with roast meat or meat en sauce, games and most cheeses (especially Citeaux, Epoisses, Langres).