

1ER CRU «LES CRAYS»

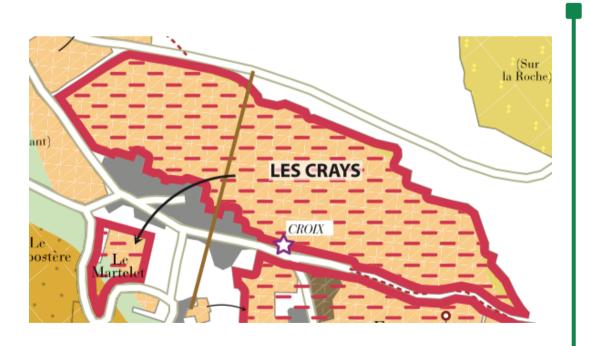
Locality (on 1er Cru): Les Crays, Le Martelet

Origin of the name of the climat and place-names, explanation of the grouping: The name is related to stoniness, much like "Cras," signifying the accumulation of rocks and scree. Small pebbles and small plates of rock, especially at the lower part.

<u>Special feature of this 1er Cru</u>: The highest in the appellation. Well-ventilated area with well-draining soil thanks to the scree.

<u>Connection with the legend of the beast Faramine</u>: Fabulous beast that terrorized Solutré and Vergisson, eventually defeated by hunters; once killed and plucked, it is said to have been cut up in Martelet Square. When it took flight, it reached both Roches, indicating its impressive wingspan!

Organoleptic profile: Sun-kissed wine with chalky aromas.



- Area: 10 hectares and 75 ares
- Locality: Vergisson
- <u>Soil</u>: Brown limestone slope soils, very rocky, deep, noncompacted, on blue clay.
- Altitude: 320 to 400 meters
- Exposure: South orientation
- <u>Slope</u>: 15 to 20% grade.