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PARÉS BALTÀ Cosmic 2018



16 POINTS

Organically farmed Xarello (85%) and Sauvignon Blanc (15%) grown high up, 'Close to the sky, on the top of the highest Penedès mountains', according to the producer's website. Four hours on skins, fermented in tank at 16 °C and then on lees, with stirring, for three months.Quite smoky to start with and this blows off to reveal intense white peach and just a slight herbal citrus note. Very tight and almost lean on the palate though there is plenty of fruit, its just extremely taut, crisp and zesty. Bone dry with a light dry grip on the finish. Piercing freshness rather than great persistence.

- J.H., February 2019

About Jancis Robinson

Described by Decanter magazine as 'the most respected wine critic and journalist in the world', Jancis writes daily for JancisRobinson.com (voted first-ever Wine Website of the Year in the Louis Roederer International Wine Writers Awards 2010), weekly for The Financial Times, and bi-monthly for a column that is syndicated around the world. She is also editor of The Oxford Companion to Wine, co-author with Hugh Johnson of The World Atlas of Wine and co-author of Wine Grapes - A complete guide to 1,368 vine varieties, including their origins and flavours, each of these books recognised as a standard reference worldwide.





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