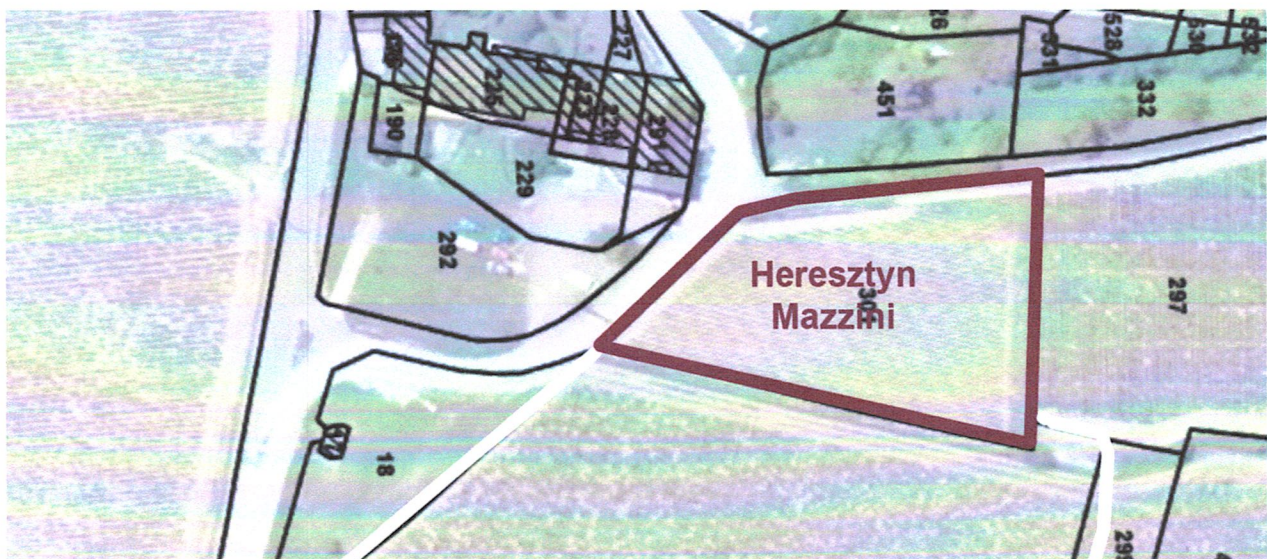


The plot is 0.2323 ha (cadastre 000 AB 301) and was acquired by Stanislas Heresztyn, the father of Florence Heresztyn-Mazzini. The plot was bought in 1977 from the Liébaut family of Morey-Saint-Denis, who are related to the Tortochots estate in Gevrey-Chambertin. The plot was then replanted in 1980 – so the vines are now almost 40 years old.

The plot can be seen in detail on the map below with the buildings of Domaine Ponsot just to the left of the plot. Further to the left on can see the northern part of Clos des Lambrays.



The plot is at mentioned quite high on the slope – hence it's a relatively light and rather shallow soil – at the same altitude as the upper part of Clos des Lambrays.

## Tasting notes for the 2015 Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini Clos St. Denis

As mentioned the Clos Saint-Denis vineyard in my view performed very well in the 2015, and so did the Clos St. Denis from Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini.

## Domaine Heresztyn-Mazzini, Clos Saint-Denis 2015

The Clos Saint-Denis is a big step up in quality offering more refinement and depth. In the nose layers of juicy and vibrant red fruit – notes of pomegranate, boysen berries and forest strawberries – brought forward by the intense and filigree minerality. On the palate intense fruit focused by the refined minerality – it's rich and generous, focused and intense – long and refined. I have a soft spot for Clos Saint-Denis ... and this is an outstanding example.



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