

Grüner Veltliner Urgestein 2018



Wine Description

This Gruener Veltliner grows on our Mollandser site called Steinleithen. The soil there is very stony (Gneiss) which gives the wine its mineral taste. The vineyard is located in the southern part of Mollands with a beautiful view to Schoenberg – the next village in the valley of Kamptal – in about 340m above sea level. A little bit stronger than our Gruener Veltliner Mollands belongs this Veltliner still to our fruity, refreshing blue line. It consists 100% of Gruener Veltliner grapes, the vines are about 40 years old. After a selected harvest, which is always by hand, the wine was fermentated spontaneously (according to Demeter) in ripened in steel tanks. The result is a fruity, mineral and spicy Gruener Veltliner. Due to its complexity and intensive flavors this Veltliner is suited best as a companion to main dishes with pork as well as vegetarian meals like CousCous and vegetabel.

Wine Type:	still wine white dry
Alcohol:	13 %
Acid:	4.9 g/l
Residual Sugar:	1 g/l
Certificates:	organic, Demeter
Allergens:	sulfites
Drinking Temperature:	10 - 12 °C
Aging Potential:	medium (8 years)
Optimum Drinking Year:	2019 - 2024


Vineyard

Origin:	Austria, Kamptal, Mollands
Quality grade:	Österreichischer Qualitätswein
Site:	Steinleithen
Site Type:	plateau
Varietal:	Grüner Veltliner 100 % 30 - 55 years 3000 plants/ha 4500 liter/ha
Geografical Orientation:	south east
Sea Level:	350 m
Soil:	mica schist

Harvest and Maturing

Harvest:	handpicked middle/september
Malolactic Fermentation:	yes
Whole Grape Pressing:	yes
Mazeration:	squashed with stems: yes
Mash Fermentation:	squashed Stems: 0 %

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Fermentation:	spontaneous steel tank
Second Fermentation:	Yeast Type: selected yeast
Filter:	layer filtration fine
Sulfur Added:	wine
Maturing:	50 % steel tank