



VIAL

PINOT BIANCO DOC 2021

VARIETAL: Pinot Bianco

AGE OF VINES: 10 – 30 years

TEMPERATURE: 10 – 12 °C

OPTIMAL AGING: 2022 – 2027

YIELD: 60 hl / ha

TRELLISING SYSTEM: Wire-trained

ALCOHOL: 13.5 %

RESIDUAL SUGAR: 2.5 g/l

TA: 6.4 g/l

Contains sulphites

» Echoes of the sea trapped in the vineyard's limestone soil return on the savoury-edged back palate. «

VINTAGE

The winter months were mainly sunny but very cold. In spring the temperature was slow to rise, and that delayed the vegetative development of the vines. This was only partly compensated by the warm and sunny start to the summer, while the weather in July and August was very varied. The grape harvest accordingly began relatively late, on September 9. The wet September was an organizational problem for our wine growers, but ultimately a very good harvest was completed on October 26.

VINIFICATION

Whole-cluster pressing of ripe and healthy grapes, natural must clarification, slow fermentation at a controlled temperature of 16-18 °C (20% in the large casks), 6-month ageing on the fine lees, filtration and bottling in May.

VINEYARD

East-facing slope at 500 to 550 meters above sea level. This vineyard, located at the foot of the Mendel Mountains, has optimal conditions during the ripening period for fruit-focused white wines. Sunny days, which are not too hot, and cool nights, which build fruit character and preserve acidity; loamy conglomerate soils with chalky gravels and porphyry sand.

TASTING NOTES

- brilliant yellow
- a nose of pears and ripe Golden Delicious apples, with undertones of flint and hazelnuts
- a fruit-dominated palate, with a delicious, balanced acidity, lingering finish

RECOMMENDATION

This wine pairs well with light appetizers, fish dishes and also as an aperitif.

AWARDS

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