

KORŽE HALOZE 2023

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kmetijstvo slovenije



Korže **PARCELLE**
Gorca **CRU**
Haloze **VILLAGE APPELLATION**



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ABV: 13.5%
ACIDITY: 7.59 g/l
RESIDUAL SUGAR: 0.6 g/l
PH VALUE: 3.25
ADDED SULPHUR: 0 mg/l
VINEAGE: 16 years
TYPE OF CLOSURE: cork
HARVEST DATE: 15.9.2023
BOTTLING DATE: 3.7.2025
BOTTLES PRODUCED: 1,250
REGION: Štajerska Slovenija
VILLAGE APPELLATION: Haloze
CRU: Gorca
PARCELLE: Korže
FARMING: Biodynamic viticulture

GRAPE VARIETIES: 70% Sauvignon Blanc, 30% Furmint

SOIL: calcareous marl (opok)

ALTITUDE: 270 – 340 m above sea level

TERRAIN: terraced slopes with up to 65% incline

SPECIAL FEATURES OF THE TERROIR: Special features of the terroir Characterised by limy clay marl (opok), the Korže terraces, parcel of the single vineyard site Gorca, form a south-facing basin are the steepest far and wide. The vines are rooted directly in rock. To plant vines in this hard soil, we had to drill 50 centimetres deep holes into the ground. The wine proudly embraces its barren origin.

VINIFICATION: Spontaneous fermentation in large used wooden barrels, twelve months' maturation in barrels, followed by four months' maturation in steel tanks. No finings added, un sulphured, unfiltered.

TASTING NOTES: Smoky-spicy with elegant coolness: green apple, lemon, lime, tangerine—highly multi-layered, shifting into green herbs and white currant. Delicate yet dense in structure; taut acidity creates real tension. Salty with smoky opok character, it opens layer by layer and builds pressure. Bright and firm on the finish, it presents itself with great clarity and energy.

FOOD PAIRING: Goes well with sea and freshwater fish, creamy risotto, and vibrant garden produce such as grilled zucchini with fresh herbs.

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