

## PINOT GRIGIO Brda Classic 2023

Grape type: Pinot Grigio

Region: Collio - Italy, Brda - Slovenia

Vineyards: Zegla, Rusic / Italy; Plešivo / Slovenia

Vineyards age: 17 - 37 years

Vineyards altitude: 120 - 250 meters above sea level

Vineyards exposure: south-east
Viticulture: Organic / Biodynamic
Soil type: marl, clay, limestone

Harvest: hand-harvested in the first half of September

**Vinification:** Up to 24 hours of maceration, fermentation starts spontaneously with grapes' natural yeasts in stainless steel tanks.

Maturation: 6 months on the yeasts in stainless steel tanks

Maturation in the bottle: at least a month

Bottling: 18.132 bottles 0,75 l in April 2024

Alcohol: 13,0 % vol Total acidity: 5,2 g / I

**Residual sugar:** Dry **Bottle:** 0,75 l

Aging potential: The maturation of a classical Pinot Grigio may develop fantastically up to ten years.

**Wine description:** Eye-catching pale pink wine with a hint of salmon expresses the natural color of the grape variety's pink or "grigio" skins. The bouquet is delicate with aromas of poached pear and a touch of wild raspberry. There's good fruit concentration, with hints of red apple and poached strawberry. At the same time, the rounded texture is supported by smooth, supple acidity and a long mineral finish — authentic Pinot Grigio with real character.

**Food matching ideas:** Due to its elegant, complex structure, we recommend pairing it with various dishes—from cold fish starters to spring-summer pasta. It is excellent with seafood dishes and not too spicy Asian, Thai, and modern Japanese cuisine.

Serving temperature: 11 - 12 °C



