Vins de la Mediterrània LA MACABEV 2021





Mediterranean wines are born to give value to minority vine varieties, which grow in soils and mesoclimates of the Mediterranean basin. It is a research and collaborative project with local entities and winegrowers.

THE VINEYARD

El Vilà is a plot located in Horta de Sant Joan, planted with Macabeu grapes in 1996. It is certified organic and managed with regenerative agricultural practices. It covers an area of 1.2 hectares with predominantly limestone soil.

LA MACABEV 2021

Macabeu single varietal white wine. The grapes are hand-harvested with double selection, both in the vineyard and in the cellar. The grapes are destemmed, and a skin maceration takes place for 48 hours to extract the terpenes and aromatic compounds from the skins. Subsequently, they are pressed using a pneumatic press, carefully controlling oxidation throughout the process. The must then ferments for about 20 days in stainless steel tanks. Its subsequent aging on fine lees gives the wine a creamy and rich aspect. The wine is bottled in the spring of 2022, after a gentle filtration.

TASTING NOTES

La Macabev is a white wine of pale straw yellow color with greenish hues. Clean, bright, and crystalclear. On the nose, it reveals itself as subtle, delicate, aromatic, and persistent, showcasing a fresh and long character. White flower notes and mineral undertones come together on the palate, resulting in a sensation of creaminess. Later, stone fruit aromas emerge. It envelops the palate with a silky and rich texture, stimulating the senses. It is a fresh wine that is simultaneously intense and persistent.

Consumption temperature: 7-10°C

Winemaking and aging

Area: Horta de St. Joan (Terra Alta)

Winemaker selection

Type of soil: Limestone soil
Variety: Macabeo 100%
Harvest: September 8th
Aging: 6 months on fine less

No of bottles: 320

Analytical data

Alcohol: 11,5 % vol Volatile acidity: 0,30 g/L Residual sugar: <0,10 g/L

Total acidity: 5,90 q tartaric acid/L

pH: 3,45

Total sulphites: <25 mg/L



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