

# Mitterberg Kerner Without 2018 IGT

"This is the fifth vintage of my project. Also for this wine I selected only highly ripe, golden-yellow Kerner grapes from the Vial vineyard." *Michael Sölva* 

#### TASTING NOTES

Color: dark yellow Aroma: very intensive aroma of grapes and tannins; reminiscent of hazelnut and tropical fruit. Taste: elegant and very present tannins, typical must fermentation notes.

## FOOD PAIRINGS

This wine is as versatile as it is unusual. It is ideal with tasty starters and flavorsome main dishes and also mature cheeses to finish.

## VINIFICATION

Weingut Niklas

14.09%

SÖLVA

ICHAEL

20% of the grapes with stem underwent whole cluster fermentation and 80% were destemmed and fermented on the skins in a fermenting cask followed by storage in a used oak barrel. As the name suggests, the wine underwent spontaneous fermentation without the use of sulfur and was bottled without fining and filtering. The bottled wine can accordingly have a natural cloudiness.

#### AT A GLANCE

Grape variety, age of vines: Kerner, 10 years. Site: Vial, 590 m a.s.l. Soil: calcareous gravel Vine training: cordon training system, near-natural integrated production.

SERVING TEMPERATURE 12 - 14 °C OPTIMUM MATURITY several years FREE SULFUR 1 mg/l TOTAL SULFUR < 8 mg/l ALCOHOL 15,5 % vol TOTAL ACIDITY 6,3 g/l RESIDUAL SUGAR 0,4 g/l

433 bottles were filled from this vintage.



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