

Good to know

Characteristic:	Quality wine with protected designation of origin - dry
Vintage:	2016
Grape origin:	JVO - Pribeta
Vineyard:	Mokrá zem
Type of soil:	Chernozem - river terraces composed of sand, loam, partly gravel (loam, clay-loam)
Harvest date:	13.10. 2016
Sugar level at harvest:	24 brix
Alcohol:	13,5 % ABV
Acidity:	6,0 g/l
Residual sugar:	2,5 g/l



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Alibernet 2016

Winemaker's Comment

Deep ruby-coloured wine with multilayer aroma of dark berries. Ripe cherries, currants and a hint of roasted coffee are harmoniously combined with an aroma of blueberries and spices. The taste is complex, with an adamant structure of tannins and juicy ripe cherries. The spicy-mineral aftertaste is notably long-lasting.

Vineyard

Climate of the 2016 vintage can be unquestionably called a great one, growing of red wine grape variety in particular. Sunny summer and early autumn days helped the exquisite concentration of flavours of Alibernet.

Cellar

Upon greater destemming and crushing, the mash was left absolutely without adding the sulphur dioxide and exposed to the process of the so-called cold maceration for 24 hours. The mash was subsequently heated and put up for fermentation. Plunging was done 3-4 times a day and the overall process of fermentation was relatively dynamic. The wine was subjected to a malolactic fermentation and subsequently aged in Hungarian oak barrels (225l volume) for 12 months. The wine was racked at least three times and was aerated prior to bottling.

Recommended Serving

At 15 - 16 degrees Celsius with mouflon and cranberries or with poppy-and-cherry strudel.



