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Crazy Creatures, Gruner Veltliner,Weingut Malat

Kremstal, Austria

Product code	MA01ZZWC
Grapes	Gruner Veltliner
Country	AUSTRIA
ABV%	12
Case Size	12
Closure Style	Screw Cap
Producer	Malat Weingut
Vintage	2025

Organic Vegan

Vegetarian

MALAT

Producer

Dating from 1722, with vineyards in the regions of Kremstal and Wachau.Winemaker Michael Malat, believes in the natural purity of wine, thereby not changing the profile of the grape. He uses no irrigation, planting his vines intensively, minerality coming from the terroir. He uses no Botrytis, and if present he will take it out. Natural fermentation needs cloudiness, nutrients and yeasts; you can't do this with botrytis. An abundance of small tanks in the winery, allow all blocks to be fermented separately. Michael reckons Pinot Noir, Riesling and Chardonnay are the varietal that will thrive in future years, climate change being an important factor.

Tasting Notes

This is gorgeous, fresh, vibrant and broad Grüner Veltliner that comes from the Kremstal region in Austria. It is a fresh and bright, mouth-watering style of Grüner that begins to show more culinary herbal characteristics so associated with this variety. It's a superb all-rounder of a white that is delicious with a very wide range of cuisine.

Viticulture

Located in the Kremstal region, the Malat Estate sits on the hillside of Gottweiger Berg where the vineyards benefit from a microclimate regulated by the Danube River, with hot days and cool nights. With its soil composition of loess, gravel and primary rock, the Malat estate has plots of vineyard that express the different terroir and flavour profiles of the Gruner Veltliner and Riesling grapes. Crazy Creatures Gruner Veltliner comes from vineyards around the village of Palt from organically farmed grapes.

Winemaking

Harvest is handpicked. Fermentation is in steel tanks.
Maturing is in large wooden barrels / used barrels.

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