

2020 Domaine Haegi Pinot Gris

Mittelbergheim, Alsace, France



The Wine:

100% single vineyard Pinot Gris from 35-year-old vines. Hand harvested, double sorted. 550 cases produced. 100% organic wine and biodynamic methods during the growing season. Official Agriculture Biologique status was granted to the Haegi vineyards in the 2013 vintage, the standards for that certification were being followed by the Haegi's during the last 10 vintages. It indicates organic practices from the vineyard all the way through the winemaking process.

The Estate:

Winemaker Daniel Haegi began making wine in 1985 and is the 3rd generation Haegi to make wines on this tiny farm in Mittelbergheim, Alsace. Along with his wife Sylvie and their children they run this family winery entirely by themselves. Grapes are organically grown with a great respect to native and traditional methods. Riesling, Gewurztraminer, Sylvaner, Pinot Blanc, Pinot Noir and Pinot Gris are the main grapes grown here. The winery produces less than 6,000 cases per year in total. In 2013, Domaine Haegi was granted the Vin Biologique status. This is the European Union equivalent to certified organic

Tasting Notes:

Color: sunrise gold

Aromas: citrus and tropical nuances; Meyer lemons, hints of golden pear and honeysuckle

Flavor & Texture: ripe citrus fruit and golden apple with subtle minerals. The texture is rich but with buoyant acidity

Food Pairing: Jamaican jerk chicken

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