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GUSTAVE LORENTZ PINOT GRIS RESERVE 2019

WINE DATA <u>Producer</u> Gustave Lorentz

AOC Alsace

Country France

Wine Composition 100% Pinot Gris

 $\frac{\text{Alcohol}}{14.27\%}$

Total Acidity 4.9 G/L

Residual Sugar 1.56 G/L

> <u>pH:</u> 3.44

VINTAGE

The Pinot Gris Reserve is gold-yellow in color, with a charming and complex nose of dried, smoky and peated white fruits. Generous and medium bodied, it has a great mouth-filling texture. Very pleasant, fruit-forward, with a very enjoyable and dry finish thanks to its balanced acidity. A very gastronomic Pinot Gris!

WINEMAKING

The grapes come from various hillside vineyards around the village of Bergheim, with a predominance of heavy clay & limestone soil. They are hand-picked, usually around the beginning of October, with the whole grapes pressed. The pressed juice is separated from the freerun juice and undergoes 12-to-24 hours of "debourbage" or settling, to eliminate impurities, which are then filtered out. Fermentation takes place, using a combination of natural and selected yeasts, in stainless steel vats. The wine goes through two rackings, the first to separate the lees from the wine and the second to clarify the wine. It sits in tanks for six months, with the potential to age for approximately seven-to-eight years.

SERVING HINTS

A versatile wine, the Pinot Gris Reserve can be enjoyed as an aperitif or with a wide range of appetizers, especially foie gras. It also works well with game, mushrooms and other vegetables, as well as roasted meats, semi-soft cheeses and fruity deserts.