

AITAKO

gaintza

The family's selection
2018



VARIETIES AND VINEYARD

85% Hondarrabi Zuri
15% Chardonnay

D.O.: Getariako Txakolina

Vineyard surface area: a 3 hectare, single plot state in Getaria.

Average age of the vines: 100 years.

Alcohol content: 12%.

Soil: calcareous clay soil. The vineyards are situated between 200 and 1500 meters from the Cantabrian sea. Low altitude.

Vine training system: 100% arbour.

Viticulture: Integrated viticulture. Guaranteed minimum use of plant protection products. Our work philosophy includes sustainable agriculture and respect towards what we have inherited. We make our wines using grapes from land which is cultivated using certified integrated production methods.



WINEMAKING

The grapes on this plot are selectively harvested at their optimal ripeness. We combine traditional expertise with the latest technology to produce our txakoli. Aitako in particular, is fermented at low temperature (14°C) to obtain greater aromatic intensity. It follows a two-step aging process, one year on its lees and after bottling it is aged for one further year.



TASTING

Colour: Bright and clean golden colour in the glass. The fine bubbles are due to the low temperature fermentation process.

Nose: Complex and intense aroma of apple and pineapple, with hints of minerality.

Palate: Despite being an aged wine it maintains its freshness. It is a txakolina wine with body, persistence and dry finish. The aging on its lees gives rise to body, smoothness and balance in the mouth.

Aitako txakolina is a complex and sophisticated wine. It perfectly represents the potential of the local Hondarrabi Zuri variety, definitely a unique txakolina.



SERVICE AND FOOD PAIRING

It is a wine with varied aromatic notes, the kind of wine you feel you have to smell once and again, and that lures you to it. It is definitely a wine for special occasions, to be enjoyed with good food and company.

We recommend serving it at 8° to 10°C.

Ideal for white meat, fish, seafood and rice dishes.



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