

THE SOURCE MALAT KREMSTAL



2021 GRÜNER VELTLINER, 'HOHLGRABEN'

PRODUCER OVERVIEW

Ninth-generation winegrower, Michael Malat took the lead from his father, Gerald, at their Kremstal winery that dates to 1722. Kremstal is a climatic tug-of-war between eastern Pannonian warm winds and cold northern and western winds, and home to diverse soils on large terraces, from loess (wind-blown calcareous fine sands), gravels and various formations of limestone, mica-schist and granulite.

VINEYARD DETAILS

“Hohlgraben” is on the right bank of the Danube. Planted in 1962, the vines face northwest at 200-260m on large, gentle terraces. The bedrock is the metamorphic rock granulite, and the topsoil is 30-45cm of calcareous loess.

CELLAR NOTES

Natural fermentation in old 2000L wood casks. First sulfites added after pressing.

