

Gönc Winery is a family tradition going back to the year 1936 when Peter Gene's great grandfather built their first wine cellar and planted the vineyard around it in the small town of Dobrovnik in Slovenia. After World War II his grandfather moved to the city Ptui where he started working in the Ptujska Klet - Ptuj wine cellar as a cellar cleaner and worked his way up to head winemaker and CEO of the oldest winery in Slovenia now known as Pullus. Peter's father also worked at the same winery but on the side, he also planted 24 acres of vineyards to keep up the family tradition (now 28 acres total). When Peter came of age they built a new cellar in Ptuj and started Gönc again. Peter is the 4th generation of winemakers and winegrowers in the family. Fun fact: Gönc is actually a name for a barrel that they produce in Hungary of 136 liters volume and there are 136 dots on each bottle of their wines with each dot representing 1 Liter...

Tasting Notes

This wine grows on gravel stone which presents very hard conditions for the vine. As a result, there is a small yield from the vineyard and highly concentrated juice from the berries. The tannins are spicy and sweet while on the nose you get ripe blueberries and blackberries with a hint of middle eastern spices. Fun fact: Blaufrankisch is a Slovenian indigenous grape varietywith a German name.

Gönc Winery Blaufrankisch

Blend

100% Blaufrankisch

Terroir

Sandy to rich in marl with vines between 20-55 years old. Lowyield; all pruned to a single guyot.

Elevation

820 - 1300 feet

Farming

Organic and natural farming.

Aging

70% French oak, 30% Hungarian oak

Bottled

At the winery





