



DARK CAVE

5-Year-Old Aged Tsilili Tsipouro

Classification: Tsipouro with Thessaly Geographical Indication (Grape Marc Distillate)

Country of origin: Greece

Grape variety: 85% Muscat of Hamburg, 15% Roditis, 5% other.

Alcohol content: 41% ALC./VOL.

Distillation process

The distillation of grape marc is a discontinuous (batch) process and takes place in small copper-inox pot-stills.

Aging process

The heart of distillate is aged in French and American oak cask, of max. 500L volume, for at least 5 years (5-12 years of aging). Some of the oak casks and brand-new, some have been used for red wine aging and some have been used for Vinsanto (sweet Santorinian wine) aging.

After aging, distillates are carefully blended and diluted with purified water to 41% alc./vol.

Tasting notes:

- **Color:** bright dark amber
- **Nose:** intense fruity aromas of dried fruits such as raisins, prunes and bergamot peels, spicy aromas like vanilla, chocolate and nutmeg combined with a robust but supple body, a smooth finish and a fine aromatic aftertaste.
- **Palate:** robust but supple body, spicy and fruity flavors and a complex aromatic aftertaste.

Pairings: Enjoy it neat or with a single ice cube. Perfectly mixed in luxurious cocktails.

Serving temperature: 10-16°C

Cellar potential: 50 years

Producer: TSILILIS K. S.A. Winery-Distillery

TSILILIS K. S.A. is a Winery-Distillery founded in 1989 and situated at Meteora, Trikala in Central Greece. With an organically cultivated vineyard of 20 hectares around Meteora and prehistoric Theopetra Cave, in the Meteora PGI appellation, we produce still & sparkling wines and grape distillates, highlighting old regional grape varieties.

