



Technical information

Client: Private
 Architect:
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Concept

The building is inserted in the upper side of the parcel and is set back 5 meters from the service road, delimiting on the back a square for parking and on the front a garden as wide as possible. The house faces the main elevation to the south, while the large volume of the portico, which is located to the west, opens towards the woods and the evening sun.

The building houses two apartments. The shared entrance allows access to the individual apartments. The smaller apartment is located on the left side of the ground floor while the other larger one occupies the other half plus the entire upper floor.

The building project is confronted with the theme of the relationship between interior and exterior, between architectural space and the surrounding environment.

For the external cladding, untreated Nordic larch wood slats were used, arranged vertically. The maximum height of the slats is 6 m, their width of 9 cm, joint 1 cm; these measures were used as a form for the overall design of the house.

All openings are one storey high and belong to two types: vertical or square; the vertical ones have a width of 9 staves, are flush with the inside and can be opened, the square ones measure 27 staves, are flush with the outside and are fixed.



