



# FRIULANO Collio DOC

## Varietal composition

Friulano

#### Vineyard

Orientation: south, east and west.

Soil: The soil of the Collio DOC is a mixture of marls and sandstone from the underlying stratified layers, and usually it is clayey in the higher grounds and fine-grained at the foot of the hill slopes. Microclimate: Mild rainy springs and hot dry summers.

Vine training system: Guyot and Sylvoz Vine density:

4000-7000 vines/ha Age of vines: 15-35 years

## Winemaking

Fermentation: Light crushing followed by temperature-controlled fermentation in stainless steel tanks for ten days. A variably small percentage of selected grapes undergoes cold maceration before light crushing. Aging: Once fermentation is completed the wine remains on the fine lees until spring, when it is bottled.

## **Tasting profile**

Straw yellow in color with slight golden highlights. On the nose it has great intensity and complexity. It is invitingly fragrant and fruit-driven with notes of alpine flowers and a pleasant hint of almond. In the mouth it is fresh and well balanced with a nice backbone and a long aromatic finish.

## Serving temperature

10-12°C

### Food pairings

Perfect as an aperitif. It complements hard cheeses, San Daniele Prosciutto, scampi, shrimps and raw fish dishes, first course pastas and risottos with vegetables, and chicken-based dishes.

#### Aging potential

A couple of years in the bottle.

## Average data

Alcohol content: 13.5% vol Sugar content: 2g/l Acidity: 5.7 g/l