

2018 ■

VINEYARD

Category: white, dry

Grape variety: chardonnay 100%

Source vineyard: Vie di Romans

Geographical area: Friuli Isonzo Rive Alte

Place: Mariano del Friuli (GO)

Average planting age: 21 years

Vine density: 6,000 - 7,800 vines/ha

(2,428 - 3,156 vines/acre)

Yield per hectare and per vine: 6,000 kg/ha

(5,353 lbs/ac) and 1 kg/plant

Layout: 1.60 x 0.80 m - 1.90 x 0.80 m

1.60 x 1 m

Area: 9.95 ha (24.59 ac) in production

Elevation: 31 m (105 ft)

Exposure: North-South and East-West

Training method: Simple guyot and spur pruning

Soils profile: Medium deep, with moderate gravel-pebbly texture, clay of reddish hue due to presence of ferrous and aluminum oxides

Harvest period: 11th, 12th, 13th
and 20th September 2018

VINIFICATION

De-stemming and crushing

Pre-fermentation cold maceration: 8 °C (46 °F)

Pre-fermentation cold settling

Fermentation: 16 ÷ 19°C (61-66 °F)

Yeast: selected strains

Length of fermentation: 14 - 22 days

Malolactic fermentation: not made

Maturation: 10 months on the lees

Clarification: non-agent natural in steel

Bottling: 27th, 29th and 30th July 2019

Bottle-ageing: 8 months

TECHNICAL DATA

Alcohol: 14.30 %

Total acidity: 5.64 g/l

pH: 3.41

Estimated peak of maturation: 10 years

Estimated cellar life: 20 years

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