Piere SAUVIGNON BLANC



VINEYARD

Category: white, dry Grape variety: sauvignon blanc 100% (more Italian clones with loose cluster, than French) Source vineyard: Piere Geographical area: Friuli Isonzo Rive Alte Place: Mariano del Friuli (GO) Average planting age: 21 years Vine density: 6,200 vines/ha (2,510 vines/ac) Yield per hectare and per vine: 6,400 kg/ha (5,710 lbs/ac) and 1.03 kg/plant Layout: 2.40 x 0.70 m - 1.60 x 1 m Area: 11.5 ha (28.4 ac) in production Elevation: 33 m (108 ft) Exposure: North-South Training method: simple guyot Soils profile: medium deep, with moderate gravel-pebbly texture, silica-rich clay mixed with conglomerate. Well drained Harvest period: 8th, 9th, 10th and 12th September 2023

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: 18 days
Malolactic fermentation: not made
Maturation: 8 months on the lees
Clarification: non-agent natural in steel
Bottling: 21st, 22dn, 23rd and 24th, May 2024
Bottle-ageing: 10 months

TECHNICAL DATA

Alcohol: 13.88 %
Total acidity: 5.72 g/l
pH: 3.28
Estimated peak of maturation: 8 years
Estimated cellar life: 18 years