



CABERNET FRANC

GRAPE VARIETY
Cabernet Franc
GROWING ZONE
Oriental Friuli Hills
TYPE OF SOIL
Marl and sandstone from Eocene age

also known as "ponca"

TRAINING SYSTEM

Traditional Friuli single inverted

and French Guyot
PLANTING DENSITY
Vines/ha 4.500 - 5.000

HARVEST TIME
The last week of September
HARVESTING
Manual

ACIDITY
Total 5,5 gr/L
ALCOHOL CONTENT
13,50% vol.
SERVING TEMPERATURE

16 - 18° C
BOTTLE SIZES
750 ml
AVAILABILITY

At least one year and a half from the harvest

VINIFICATION

The grapes are handpicked at the perfect degree of sugar and phenol content, destemmed and crushed then allowing the must to macerate and ferment on the skins. During this period, pumping over is carried out frequently to favor the transfer of colour and noble tannins from the skins to the fermenting must. After drawing-off, the end of alcoholic and malolactic fermentation is awaited, and the racking is carried out. The wine is poured under gravity into the underground cellar where it matures until the bottling.

TASTING NOTES

Intense and vivid ruby red, developing into a garnet red with age. The highly intense and elegant initial impact releases fruity and grassy notes. The scent spectrum ranges from red berries, such as wild black cherry, blackberry, and blackcurrant, through to the herbaceous flavour so characteristic of the variety. The palate is ethereal, elegant with great character and broad and pleasant body with a long finish, confirming and enhancing the nose sensations.

PAIRING SUGGESTION

The perfect accompaniment for red meats, game and well matured cheeses.