

Recioto della Valpolicella Valpantena

A sip of history

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Named Recioto from the Venetian "recia" for the ear-shaped Corvina grapes, it is a luxurious, rich, and ancient sweet wine. Light ruby red in colour, it exudes scents of rose on the nose. A true Valpantena grape juice: fresh, with a pleasing sweetness.

GRAPES AREA AGEING VINTAGE ANALYSIS DATA AGEING POTENTIAL

Corvina, Corvinone, Rondinella, other grapes as the production regulations
Valpantena (La Costa di Romagnano - Grezzana)
1 year in second-use French oak tonneaux with frequent bâtonnage
2021
Alcohol 13%
7-8 years

PRODUCTION AREA

The grapes are grown on hillsides, some of which are terraced, at about 150/250 metres a.s.l.. The soil is clayloam, alkaline, rich in mineral nutrients, calcareous and lying on ancient marls.

WINEMAKING

At the end of December, the grapes that have stayed longer in the drying loft are destemmed, selected on the sorting table and then crushed. Alcoholic fermentation is carried out up to the desired alcohol content, with various daily pumping-over operations to ensure the must stays in contact with the skins.

PAIRINGS

Traditionally enjoyed with dark chocolate desserts, it proves to be versatile: surprising with savoury dishes.

TASTING

Pale ruby red in colour. On the nose, the hints of rose give way to mulberry, candied orange peel, cloves, date and dried fig, with a smattering of mint.

PRIZES AND AWARDS

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