# Ribolla Gialla

### SPUMANTE DOSAGGIO ZERO MILLESIMATO

### WINEMAKING, REFERMENTATION AND MATURATION

The meticulously selected bunches are harvested and collected in small cases only in the morning, when the northerly breeze has dried their light veil of nocturnal humidity. A delicate whole-berry pressing is followed by natural settling of the free-run must overnight. Fermentation at 14 °C is carried out part in steel and part in barriques.

In the following spring, the Ribolla Gialla is very slowly refermented in large horizontal pressure tanks at 12 °C; it follows the maturation on the lees that lasts no less than 30 moon cycles. During this time span the refermentation goes on, very slowly, until the residual sugar drops below 3 g/l. Subsequent bottling is carried out in oxygen-free environment. More than 12 months in bottle are then necessary to round off the long maturation process.

### WINE

Deep straw yellow with greenish tints and a very persistent and unbroken stream of tiny bubbles. The flowery, fresh and citrusy bouquet evolves into fragrant notes of yeast and face powder, and slowly releases intriguing hints of white-flesh peach. It is extremely vertical and extraordinary harmonic in the mouth, where its powerful taste widens the long and fruity harmony on the finish.

### SUGGESTIONS

Storage: lay the bottle on its side in a dark, dry room at a temperature of 15  $^{\circ}\text{C}.$ 

Food matchings: superlative as an aperitif. It matches perfectly with fish and meat appetizers, as well as with finger food dishes.

### **GRAPES**

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## MUNICIPAL TERRITORIES OF PRODUCTION

Corno di R. e Manzano

### **YIELD**

80 quintals/hectare

### TRAINING SYSTEM

Spurred cordon and Guyot

#### **DENSITY**

5.000 vines/hectare

### **HARVEST PERIOD**

September

### **ALCOHOL CONTENT**

About 12% vol.



Serving temperature:



