

Poggiobello

RIBOLLA GIALLA BRUT SPARKLING IGP

FEATURES
Grapes: Ribolla Gialla 100%
Origin: Oleis di Manzano, owned vineyards
Terrain type: Eocene marl
Altitude: 120 – 170 m s.l.m.
Growing method: Guyot and Sylvoz
Facility density: 4.200 vine stumps per hectare
Grape yield: approx. 65 quintals per hectare
Alcohol proof: 12.5%
Vintage on sale: N.V.

DESCRIPTION
Ribolla Gialla is the most typical grape grown in the hills surrounding the Rosazzo Abbey; they are used to produce a prized sparkling wine known for its lovely freshness. Its sparkling process emphasizes the pleasant typically citrine flavors of this grape, exalting the wine's drinkability.

VINIFICATION
After being softly squeezed, alcoholic fermentation and partial malolactic fermentation occurs in steel tanks. The wine is placed in autoclaves where it undergoes the sparkling wine production process which lasts for 12 months. Frequent battonage allows producers to obtain 'creamy' sparkling wine with fine perlage.

WINE
This faded straw-colored wine has light greenish reflections. To the nose, it reveals delicate scents including citrus hints of *limoncella* apple and the smell of bread crust. The palate will immediately perceive its pleasant freshness that gives off flavors of fresh fruit, later offering a light leavened aftertaste. Its finish is long and persistent.

MATCHES
A splendid aperitif thanks to its pleasant acidity, it can be served throughout the entire meal. Great when matched with fish dishes and delicate fried foods.

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FRIULI VENEZIA GIULIA



Friuli-Venezia Giulia is the northeastern Italian region. The region spans a wide variety of climates and landscapes from the mild Mediterranean climate in the south to Alpine continental in the north.

Once part of the Venetian Republic and with sections under the influence of the Austro-Hungarian Empire for some time, the wines of the region have noticeable Slavic and Germanic influences. Nearly 62% of the wine produced in the region falls under a DOC designation. The area is known predominantly for its white wines which are considered some of the best examples of Italian wine in that style.

Along with the Veneto and Trentino-Alto Adige/Südtirol, the Friuli-Venezia Giulia forms the Tre Venezie wine region which ranks with Tuscany and Piedmont as Italy's world class wine regions.

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