

**Grape Variety**

Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon

**Appellation**

IGT Venezia Giulia

**Growing area**

San Lorenzo, Corona (Gorizia)

**Soil type**

Calcareous, gravel soils on a broad alluvial shelf 60 metres above sea level

**Vineyard**

Grown with organic fertilizers, integrate pest management (according to EU regulation) and with no chemical weed control

**Average age of vines**

More than 25 years

**Training system**

Guyot  
5.600 vines/ha

**Production**

50 hl/ha

**Harvest**

By hand after an accurate selection of the grapes.  
October 2015

**Vinification**

Soaking in stainless steel tanks lasts 10-15 days at 26-28°C, with regular délestage. Fifteen/Twenty months maturation in 225-litre French oak barrels is followed by at least 12 months bottle ageing at the cellars.

**Bottles produced**

6.000

**Alcohol**

13%

**Ageing potential**

20 years

**Serving temperature**

18 °C

Classic Bordeaux blend where volume and warmth coexist with grace. At the nose the notes of red fruits and vanilla are completed by well-integrated tannins, nice body and balance. A wine for special occasions. Perfect with red meats and aged cheeses.

*"It offers up a lovely, perfumed bouquet that leads to crushed raspberries, flowers and spices. Medium in body, this delicious red reveals excellent length and an accessible personality."* A.G. The Wine Advocate USA