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FALLWIND



ALTO ADIGE DOC
**MERLOT CABERNET
RISERVA FALLWIND
2023**

The red cuvée Fallwind is a bold composition of Merlot and Cabernet. The two grape varieties have thrived in our vineyards since 1850. For the Merlot Cabernet Riserva Fallwind, they are vinified separately and blended after about one year of ageing in wood. Thanks to the soft tannins of the Merlot and the distinct character of the Cabernet, this wine manages to surprise even the most demanding wine lovers.



blackish red



blackcurrant, mint
as well as liquorice
and coffee



soft, spicy,
powerful and expressive

VARIETY:

55% Merlot; 35% Cabernet Sauvignon; 10% Cabernet Franc

VINE AGE:

10-20 years

AREA OF CULTIVATION:

Various vineyards in the warmest sites of Appiano, Caldaro and Cortaccia

Exposition: south, southeast

Soil: limestone gravel and moraine debris

Training System: Guyot

HARVEST:

Merlot and Cabernet mid of October; harvest and grape selection by hand.

VINIFICATION:

Fermentation in stainless-steel tanks, followed by maturation and malolactic fermentation in barrique-tonneau. Assembly after nearly a year.

Afterwards, the wine ages for another six months in stainless-steel tanks.

YIELD:

55 hl/ha

ANALYTICAL DATA:

Alcohol content: 14,5%

Acidity: 5,05 gr/lt

SERVING TEMPERATURE:

16-18 °C

PAIRING RECOMMENDATIONS:

Perfect for a grill night.

Grilled beef sirloin (Fiorentina-style), aged cheeses.

STORAGE/POTENTIAL:

8 to 10 years

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