2022 Cento Filari

Lugana Denominazione di Origine Controllata





Vineyard location: southernshore of Lake Garda near Pozzolengo(BS). Vineyards surface: 11 ha. Training System: single guyot. Soil: clay-calcareous. Grapes: Turbiana 95% - Chardonnay 5%.

2022 climatic trend

A cold Autumn with good rainfalls and early snow falls, was followed by a mild and dry Winter, with temperature higher than average and a good humidity level. Spring was cold with temperature below zero in March, followed by an exceptional increase of temperature in May. The Summer was overall very hot with a severe drought that occurred in August, that forced to employ irrigation of aid. Despite the high temperature and low level of water supply we managed to preserve the acidity balance, anticipating the harvest 15 days before average.

Production

Thinning of the young vine shoots limited the production to 90 quintals per hectare. Vinification was carried out with soft pressing of the grapes and alcoholic fermentation at $18^{\circ}/20^{\circ}$ C. "Cento Filari" stayed in contact with the lees until January for a better expression of its potential. Bottling was carried out in February.

Organoleptic description

Bright straw yellow colour with golden hues. It explodes with intense notes of flowers and fruit. After the hints of citrus fruits, ripe apple and peach delicate notes of tropical fruits follow. It reveals good minerality and lively acidity on the palate, along with fullness, smoothness and a persistent aftertaste.

Pairing and serving

It is a delight as an aperitif, perfect with hors-d'oeuvres, fresh water fish (whitefish, eel, trout) as well as sea fish or a delicate main course. Due to its longevity, "Cento Filari" can be enjoyed even 2/3 years after the vintage. To be served at $8^{\circ}/10^{\circ}$ C. Shelf life: 3 years.



Analytical data Alcohol: 13.00% Total acidity: 6 g/l Clean acidity: 0.35 g/l Net dry extract: 24.5 g/l Residual sugar: 5 g/l

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