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Südtirol DOC 2016

DESCRIPTION

This full-bodied Müller-Thurgau Vendemmia Tardiva is a wine of great depth, persistence, and density with a lively freshness. The balanced interplay of minerality and structure facilitates an enjoyable drinkability and positively influences/enhances/supports the aging potential. The aromas of lime and honey return on the finish, cleansing the palate and creating a desire for more.

SOIL CONDITIONS

The striking red soil is characterized by heterogeneous glacier moraine rock. At the middle levels, silty-loamy sand predominates, with some white and red marble as well as porphyry and granite foundlings. Dolomite and limestone are found in the deeper horizons. The soil's high salt content contributes to the fruit and herb aromas.

HARVEST AND VINIFICATION

The exposed site of the single vineyard at 1.000 meters (3,280 feet) above sea-level with autumnal morning dew and high humidity provide ideal conditions for the development of prized noble rot 'Botrytis cinerea' which causes a natural concentration of the juice. The grapes are harvested mid to end of December before Christmas. The gently pressing of the berries is followed by the fermentation which occurs in a small steel tank over a six-month period on the fine lees. The bottled wine matures for another five years in the cellar.





FELDMARSCHALL VON FENNER VENDEMMIA TARDIVA



100 % Müller-Thurgau



Hofstatt, Favogna di Sotto, Magrè Southern exposure 1.000 m



3,280 feet 1,000 m





Starters with fish, Mediterranean main dishes, oysters, clams, crabs and sushi as well as Asian cuisine



50.0 - 53.6 °F 10 - 12 °C



Guyot Up to 3,440 vines/acre|8,500 vines/ha Year of planting: 1990 and later



30 hl per hectare



1,200



Alcohol = 9.5 % by vol Acidity = 7.8 g/liter Residual sugar = 101,9 g/liter



10 years and more