

FIOR D'ARANCIO PASSITO

Euganean Hills DOCG



Grape varieties: Fior D'Arancio (Moscato giallo)

Cultivation area: Regional Park of the Euganean Hills – Veneto, Italy

Soil: Clay and limestone of volcanic origin

Harvest: Second half of September, harvested by hand in cassettes, selecting the grapes

Drying: Natural air circulation until a minimum sugar concentration of 320 -330 gr./lt. is

reached, corresponding to a weight loss of 50%; this ensures an adequate alcoholic

content with a natural sugar residue of considerable importance

Vinification: Soft pressing of whole grapes, settling in a controlled atmosphere for 24 hours

Fermentation: The first phase of fermentation is carried out in stainless steel vats at a controlled temperature until 6° alcoholic content is reached. Then must and wine mixture is

transferred into 225 lt. barriques where fermentation is completed

Ageing: Once it has been cleaned with a single racking, the wine remains in the same

barriques where fermentation was completed for a period of about 15 months

Refinement: This requires the wine to remain in the bottle for at least 2 months, allowing its

balance to be restored after the stress of bottling

Alcoholic content: 13% by vol.

Color: Crystal clear, the shades of color are between golden yellow and amber, thanks to

both long drying and ageing in oak casks. It tends to develop a deeper color

Bouquet: Intense and very persistent hints of honey, orange blossom and wisteria,

accompanied by pleasant notes of nuts, walnut and cloves; in the finish, a light

ethereal note derived from an initial process of esterification.

Taste: There is an even more sharp sensation of over-ripe fruit, plums and apricots, while

the presence of spices, indicating good ageing in wood, can be barely noticed

Pairing: Excellent with dry cakes or biscuits, with ripened cheese and "mostarda" (Italian

pickled fruits)

Storage: It maintains its aromatic characteristics for 15 years; like all wines it must be kept in a

cool place (under 18°C) and not exposed to direct sunlight or changes of

temperature

VERTICAL PACKAGE

Package of 6 bottles 0.375 lt.:

total 2,25 lt.

Dimensions:

 $31 \times 16 \times 23,50$ cm

Gross weight:

5.310 kg

Closure:

snap closure with adhesive warranty seal

SINGLE PACKAGE

Dimensions:

 $8 \times 27.5 \times 8$ cm

Weight per package:

920 gr.

