

Amethystos

Fumé
PGI DRAMA
Dry Style

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ESTATE & HISTORY

Our Amethystos family of wines derives its name from the amethyst, a semi-precious stone believed by ancient Greeks to prevent or cure drunkenness. Amethystos was founded in 1992 by the Domaine Costa Lazaridi estate – crafting red, white and rosé wines from indigenous and international varieties in Drama, northeast Macedonia, Greece.

TASTING NOTES

This wine is crafted 100% from the cosmopolitan Sauvignon Blanc – one of the first white varieties that Costa Lazaridis planted in Drama in the late 1970's.

Color: bright light yellow, with blond-green hues
Aromas: attractive and complex – with exotic fruit, cassis leaves, butter, vanilla and sweet spices
Flavors: measured acidity balances the alcohol harmoniously – with a long and persistent finish marked by exotic fruit and wood

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Producer: Domaine Costa Lazaridi
Style: Dry
Vintage: 2022
Varieties: Sauvignon Blanc 100%
Origin: DRAMA, Greece
Fermentation: in oak barrels on fine lees for 6 months – with regular bâtonnage to enhance complexity
Cellar Aging: 1 year from harvest
Alcohol: 14.0%
Acidity: 7.38 g/L
Residual Sugar: 1.76 g/L

VINIFICATION

Grapes are hand-selected, destemmed, and crushed – followed by fermentation in oak barrels on fine lees for 6 months – with regular bâtonnage to enhance complexity

PAIRING SUGGESTIONS

Shellfish and seafood in white sauces; grilled rich fish; pies and tarts; pork and chicken grilled or in lemon sauce; semi-hard, mature or smoked cheeses



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Innovative Winemaking & Blends: Drama is known for innovative blends of international and native grape varieties. Our Amethystos wines are anchored by noble varieties – Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Sauvignon Blanc and Cabernet Franc – and complemented by native varieties – Assyrtiko and Agiorgitiko – to create blends unlike any other region in the world.

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PGI Drama: established in 1995, this Protected Geographical Indication is located in northeast Macedonia, Greece – a region with ideal soils, altitude and microclimates to grow grapes of exceptional quality across a wide range of international and native varieties.

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Food-Friendly Offerings: well-known international varieties dominate each blend, offering consumers unique expressions of familiar grapes that pair well with a broad range of local and international cuisines.



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