



Cartizze

Valdobbiadene Superiore di Cartizze D.O.C.G.

Cartizze refers to a hilltop area in Valdobbiadene above 1,000 ft characterized by rocky terrain that winds along the crest of the steep hillside. Benefiting from firm rock and crumbly stone, complete sunlight exposure and continuous ventilation, this microclimate is an area of rare value. In Cartizze, Glera ripens at a slower rate and, consequently, enjoys a richer, more harmonious acidity. The 260 acres of Cartizze are owned by 140 growers. Bisol's flagship holding is 7 acres and it is considered to be of the highest quality, or even the "Grand Cru" of Prosecco.

GRAPE VARIETY At least 85% Glera.

HARVEST NOTES From a climatic point of view, 2020 was characterized by a winter that recorded temperatures in line with those of the period, followed by a sunny and dry spring, and then by a mild summer with periodical rainfall. The vine's phenological phases therefore progressed regularly. The vines presented healthy bunches that have not been negatively affected by excessive sun exposure or periods of dehydration. The temperature range that characterized the summer weeks has resulted in good levels of acidity, essential for obtaining sparkling wines with the right notes in terms of freshness. The 2020 harvest will probably be defined by accentuated peculiarities in taste that differ between the two extremes – the northwest and southeast of the appellation – a phenomenon that typically occurs in less hot years.

COLOR Straw yellow with a fine, lively and persistent perlage.

BOUQUET Elegant with scents of wildflowers, pleasantly fruity with notes of apples, pears and peaches.

FLAVOR Savory, full and balanced; its sweetness is contained and accompanied by an intense and elegant fruitiness.

EXPOSITION OF THE VINEYARD: South

AVERAGE VINEYARD HEIGHT: 300 meters a.s.l.

TRAINING SYSTEM: Typical Valdobbiadenese pruning, attributable to the double curtain system.

GRAPE HARVESTING PERIOD: Early October; hand-harvested.

ALCOHOL CONTENT: 11.5% by vol.

SUGAR CONTENT: 25 grams per liter

OVERALL ACIDITY: 5.6 grams per liter

