

CANTINA VALLE ISARCO SELECTION ARISTOS SYLVANER 2016



Wine Introduction

The key to producing excellent wines starts first and foremost in the vineyard. It is here that the best quality grapes can be obtained through strict selection and by limiting yields. The consistent application of this philosophy in the winery too is a further guarantee of distinct varietal typicity, great structure, and brilliant mature potential. This is the company philosophy that is epitomised at Cantina Valle Isarco by the Aristos range.

The grapes selected for the production of this prestigious wine come from the sunny vineyards that surround the Sabiona monastery, known as the "Acropolis of Tyrol". The severe selection, the controlled production and the delicate ageing in acacia wood casks provide this wine with unmistakable character.

Tasting Notes

Pale yellow with slight greenish hues, the fruity bouquet of peach and green apple intermingles with mineral notes, resulting in an elegant wine. It is robust on the palate, with vivaciously acidulous notes coming through into the persistent finish.

Winemaker Vintage Notes

2016 - A fairly warm season was followed by an autumn with the ideal temperature fluctuations between day and night to develop intense aromas and the optimal ripeness of the grapes. Variety after variety could be harvested at just the right moment. The 2016 wines of the Isarco Valley present themselves without exception as very characteristic of their variety, with prominent fruity tones and with great elegance.

Winemaker Vinification Notes

Delicate crushing after a short period of contact with the skins, followed by temperature-controlled fermentation carried out in large acacia wood barrels for half the fermentation, then continued in stainless steel tanks. While it does not undergo malolactic fermentation, it rests on its fine lees for a period of 7 months.

Wine Information

Country:	Italy
Region:	Alto Adige
Winemaker:	Hannes Munter
Grape:	100% Sylvaner
Alcohol:	14.0%
Total Acidity:	6.20g/L
pH:	3.50
Closure:	Cork
Bottle Size:	75cl
Case Size:	6 Bottles per pack

Awards

- 2016 - 3 Glasses - Gambero Rosso
- 2016 - 91 Silver - Decanter World Wine Awards
- 2015 - 3 Glasses - Gambero Rosso
- 2015 - 95 Gold - Decanter World Wine Awards