

SATÈN 2021
FRANCIACORTA DOCG

When time meets its finest season, Bellavista's Millesimati are born.
Emblemes of the highest vocation of our winery, our Millesimati represent the rare encounter between nature, time and craftsmanship.

VINTAGE REPORT 2021

The vintage began with a mild winter, followed by a spring marked by abundant rainfall and some frost. This slowed the awakening of the vines slightly, resulting in later flowering. Cooler-than-average summer temperatures contributed to a balanced growth cycle.

An intense hailstorm hit the vineyards on 25 July, but the rise in temperatures in August fostered a successful and balanced vegetative recovery.

The harvest began on 25 August with the first pressings to test and monitor the evolution of the analytical parameters.

Chardonnay showed greater resistance to the hailstorm's effects, resulting in healthy, uniform grapes. The outcome of this vintage is reflected in unique wines that express the full strength and personality of nature, enhanced by meticulous work in the winery.

FROM GRAPE TO GLASS

THE VINEYARD, OUR TRUTH

Denomination Franciacorta DOCG

Main Vineyards Altane, Brede, Cinquino, Corsini, Ferrari, Favento, Genio, I Piani, Mussio, Pagulle, Roccolo Lechi, Seriola, Sasso, Valli

Average Age of the Vineyards 30 years

Grape Varieties 100% Chardonnay

Selections From 20 vineyards, 26 selections

Cultivation System Guyot

Plant Density 5000 vines/ha

Yield Chardonnay 1,000 kg/ha

Harvest Period From 25 August to 4 September 2021

Type of Harvest Manual

GENTLE OENOLOGY

Pressing Free-run must, 2nd blend

Elevage 42% in pièces

Creation of 'Assemblage' 28 March 2022

Riserva Wines 5,6% Chardonnay 2019

Bottling June 2022

Ageing on the lees Average 48 months

Riddling Manual

Dosage at Disgorgement 2 g/l

Type Brut

Residual Sugars 1 g/L, Total Sugars 3 g/L, Alcohol 12,50 %, Total Acidity 6,7 g/L,
pH 3,14, Total Sulphur 75 mg/L (legal limit 185 mg/L)

WINE STUDY

Colour

Bright citrine quartz yellow, with bright golden hues.

Perlage

Very fine, elegant and of subtle harmony, it is enveloped by a soft bubble.

Bouquet

The nose opens with great complexity and fragrance. Notes of sweet tropical fruit, mango and exotic hints intertwine with hints of dried fruit and delicate orange blossom. Nuances of ripe yellow-fleshed fruit emerge, accompanied by elegant hints of toasted hazelnuts, candied fruit peel and small dried pastries. A slight sweet spiciness finishes the bouquet, giving depth and expressive continuity.

Palate

The sip is broad and full of character, supported by a silky, enveloping texture that recalls exotic hints. The balance between structure and freshness accompanies a harmonious and dynamic progression. The finish, long and persistent, allows refined mineral notes and delicate fresh floral nuances to emerge, closing with elegance and precision.



750ml | 1500ml