Erste & Neue Lagrein - 2021

Tech Specs

Type: Red Still Wine

Ingredients: 100% Lagrein

Region/Subregion: Alto Adige, Caldaro

Vegan? Yes
Sustainable? Yes
ABV: 13.5

A closer look...

Total Production: 604 cases

Vineyard: Terraces at challenging altitudes of up to 860

metres above sea level

Soil: South- and east-facing slopes around at an

altitude of 230 ñ 350 meters above sea level. Loamy, chalky gravel with a low proportion of

sand.

Age of Vines: 0

Vineyard Size: Oha

Climate: The winter months were mainly sunny but

very cold. In spring the temperature was slow to rise, and that delayed the vegetative development of the vines. This was only partly compensated by the warm and sunny start to the summer, while the weather in July and August was very varied. The grape harvest accordingly began relatively late, on September 9. The wet September was an organizational problem for our wine growers, but ultimately a very good harvest was

completed on October 26.

Farming Methods: Sustainable farming using terraces system.

Manual harvest during the last week of September. The grapes are placed in small wooden boxes and immediately taken to the cellar for fermentation, without using

sulphites

Fermentation Methods: Fermentation on the skins at 28 ∞C with an

extended maceration of ten days. Malolactic

fermentatation

Winemaker: Alexandra Broiser

Elevage: 5-month ageing in concrete cask, large oak

casks (75hl) and 15% in barrique.

Fining/Filtration: Mechanical

Residual Sugars: 1.5

Acidity: 5.6 g/L S02: 50 mg/l

All about this bottle

Lagrein, Alto Adige's powerful ambassador of the region. Although it had nearly died out by the end of the 1970s, Lagrein has in the meantime conquered a constantly growing fan base. The indigenous wine filled with character has its roots in Bolzano and is impressive with its velvety fullness and soft acidity. The noble, spicy tones are accompanied by fruity berries, fresh cherries, and violets. When aged in small oak casks, Lagrein unfolds its elegant, fullbodied presence. A rosè version is also made from the grape, known as ìLagrein Rosatoî (or ìLagrein Kretzerî).. Fair'N Green Protocol FAIRÍN GREEN means: Environmental protection and natural viticulture, Promoting biodiversity, Protection of natural resources, Fair wages and social commitment, Social responsibility, Preservation and promotion of the cultural landscape

Dark, deep red, ripe fruit aromas of plums and blackberries, notes of chocolate and coffee, voluminous and powerful. Soft, balanced tyearsns, and a lingering finish.

