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CASTEL RINGBERG
&
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*Tramin - Alto Adige
Italy*

CABERNET “ISTRICE”

Vintage: 2012

Grape: 90% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Cabernet Franc

Vineyard details: This wine derives exclusively from the Castel Ringberg estate in the commune of Kaltern (Caldaro). The 22 year-old vines are planted on a south-east facing hillside at an altitude of 400 metres above sea level in calcareous soils.

Vinification:

Traditional must fermentation for approximately 10 days in stainless steel tanks, followed by malolactic fermentation in large oak vats. The final wine matures for 12 months in French oak barriques and is being bottle-aged for several months before being released.

Tasting notes:

Our Cabernet “Istrice” presents itself in brilliant garnet red, with intensive aromas in the nose: enticingly spicy with notes of coffee and light toasty aromas, stimulatingly fruity with wild berries and blackberries. In the mouth, the wine is characterized by clear handwriting with a personal note, robust structure, velvety tannins and fruity-spicy fullness as well as a long, juicy finish.



Appellation: Alto Adige DOC

Residual sugar: 1,4 g/L

Alcohol: 13,00 % Vol

Aging: 5-8 years

Total acidity: 4,90 g/L

Availability: 0,75 / 0,375 / 1,5 l

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