CASTELLO BONOMI
FRANCIACORTA

Satèn Millesimato 2021

Franciacorta Brut DOCG



In vineyard

Blanc de Blanc by Castello Bonomi, the Franciacorta Brut Satèn, is a pure Chardonnay. The 2021 vintage was of extraordinary quality, comparable in some respects to two outstanding years 2011 and 2016.The growing season was marked by a rather rainy spring, followed by a hot and dry summer up until July 20. The rainfall that occurred around that time encouraged balanced vegetative growth and optimal grape ripening, resulting in an exceptional quality profile.

In cellar

After soft pressing to extract only the free-run juice, part of the Chardonnay ferments in temperature-controlled stainless steel tanks for about 8 months, while the second portion ferments in small oak barrels. After aging, the two wines are expertly blended. At "tirage," a small addition of sugar for the secondary fermentation helps reduce pressure development. The wine then undergoes over 30 months of aging on the lees, which defines its vintage.

Tasting notes

Franciacorta Satèn stands out for its brilliant straw yellow color, illuminated. The nose is delicate, with prominent markers of white-fleshed fruit and aromatic herbs. On the palate, it reveals a wine of great finesse and balance, with a long, mineral finish. The perlage is fine.

Pairings

Ideal as an aperitif, it is also recommended as a Franciacorta for the entire meal, perfect for pairing with seafood-based dishes. It pairs excellently with amberjack sashimi, marinated with citrus.

Taste a 6-8 °C

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12,5% Vol.

Bottle size: 0,75 l - 1,5 l
Sulphite content: 90 mg/l
Sugars: 3,7 gr/l
Acidity: 7,5
PH: 2,99

Vineyard Name: Villino sul monte
Location: Franciacorta - Coccaglio
Planting Distances: 2 x 0,80 m
Planting Year: 2000 - 2001 - 2004 - 2006 - 2007
Hectares: 4
Density: 5 500
Yield: 100 q/Ha