

## Andriano

## Andrius Sauvignon Blanc Alto Adige DOC





The grapes for Andrius are selected from 30-year-old Sauvignon Blanc vines. The grapes are handpicked and selected and then fermentation takes place in temperature-controlled stainless tanks. The cool summer breeze and late afternoon shade mean that the grapes in this parcel need 2 weeks more than other areas to reach maturity. This microclimate is partially the reason for the intense aromas and freshness in this Sauvignon Blanc making Andrius a truly successful interpretation of this varietal. After fermentation the wine rests on the lees for 6 months partly in stainless steel tanks (70%) and partly in big wooden barrels (30%).

Grape varieties: Sauvignon Blanc

Altitude: 260m - 300m ASL

Vineyard age: 30 year old vines

Exposure: Northeast/Southeast

Soil: Red clay and limestone with the presence of

calcareous dolomite stones

Alcohol: 14.00%

## Tasting notes:

This wine is a light straw-yellow with greenish hues. An intense bouquet on the nose of apricot, green grass and elderflower with a hint of vanilla making a well-structured wine on the palate with wonderfully-balanced acidity and a long satisfying finish. Strong and vibrant, not unlike the ancient Roman for which it is named.

## Press Notes

Decanter	
2021	90 points
The Wine Advocate	
2021, 2019,	93 points
2016, 2015	
2020, 2017,	92 points
2012	
2018	94 points
Wine Spectator	
2021	92 points
James Suckling	
2022, 2019,	92 points
2014, 2013	
2020, 2018	93 points
2017	94 points
2015	95 points
AG Vinous	
2017	91 points
Wine Enthusiast	
2022	92 points
2016	93 points
Gambero Rosso	

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