

## VISTORTA MERLOT 2004

The Vistorta property has a total area of 220 hectares of wich 40 hectares of vineyard on well drained clay-limestone soil. Currently, the vineyards of red grapes occupy an area of 34 hectares, of wich 85% Merlot grapes.

## TECNIC SCHEDULE

Wine: 100% Merlot.

Grapes fermentation 7–8 days at a temperature of 28–30 °C Alcoholic fermentation 7–8 days at a temperature of 28–30 °C Post-fermentative maceration 20–22 days at a temperature of 22–25 °C Malolactic fermentation induced naturally at controlled temperatures 12 months of aging in French oak barriques Barriques: 40% new 30% one year 30% of two years No stabilizing treatment, the wine is not filtrated Bottling spring 2006 65,000 bottles of 0.750 liters 2,000 bottles of 1.5 liters 200 bottles of 3 liters

Alcohol 13.05 % Total acidity 5.3

PH 3.5

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