

VISTORTA MERLOT 2005

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 2007
72,000 bottles of 0.750 liters
2,000 bottles of 1.5 liters
200 bottles of 3 liters
Alcohol 12.75 %
Total acidity 5.8
PH 3.45

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