



# Rossese di Dolceacqua Doc

The Rossese di Dolceacqua was the first Ligurian wine to get the doc recognition back in 1972.

The name derives from the French 'roché', which refers to the rocky ground where it's grown.

Rossese vines are cultivated along the typically Ligurian terraces, between 350 and 450 meters above sea level.

# Identity card

Vineyard Terre Bianche and Arcagna

**Soil type** White clay, sandstone

Exposure East, south

Average altitude 400 mt

Average plants' age Over 30 years, with peaks of over 100 years

**Type of trimming** 'Alberello' and spurred cordon

First year of production 1982

# Tasting card

**Colour** Ruby red. If aged garnet-red on the edges.

#### Perfume

Intense aroma that presents hints of wild berries, cherry, dog-rose and spices.

**Flavour** Slightly savoury, with a warm body and bitter notes.

Ageing Medium, depending on the year.

**Food pairing** Blue fish, grilled or lightly dressed white meats, rabbit, stockfish and vegetable pies.

Serving temperature Max 18°C.

# Production method

Obtained from the maceration of the best rossese grapes, completely destemmed, at a maximum temperature of 29° using autochtonous yeasts.

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