



SCHIOPETTO

CAPRIVA DEL FRIULI
- ITALIA -



Collio Friulano

Country:	Italy	Region:	Friuli
Type:	White	Varietal:	Friulano
Format:	6 x 750ml		

BC	AB	SK	MB
2014/2015			
+764670			
Speculative			

TASTING NOTES

- Colour:** Bright straw yellow, with gold-greenish reflexes.
- Aroma:** Outstanding nose, with intense aromas of pear and apricot with a hint of almond; further aromas of wildflowers add complexity.
- Taste:** The palate is full-bodied and dynamic with considerable texture. Flavours of apricot, honey and a subtle nutty character.
- Food:** Pair with lemon-baked tilapia, cobb salad, or shrimp scampi.

AWARDS & ACCOLADES

2016 ~ 98 Points. Top 100 of 2017 "This is extremely smoky on the nose with flint and gunpowder. Dried apple, lemon and pear character. Full body, dense and powerful. Yet always lively and dancing in the palate. Crazy finish. One of Italy's top whites. Made from vines planted in 1954. Drink now." - James Suckling, Oct/2017

2015 ~ 95 Points. "A wine with gorgeous fruit such as peaches in addition to spices and minerals. Very aromatic. Medium-to full-bodied, very spicy and very intense. Powerful and rich. Almost burns with spiciness. Dense center palate. Great finish. Superb wine. Savory." - James Suckling, Nov/2016

2015 ~ 3 Bicchieri - Gambero Rosso, Vini di Italia 2017

OTHER INFO

A traditional characteristic wine with a strong personality, obtained purely from Tocai Friulano grapes, historic varietal from Collio of Gorizia, planted in a well ventilated hill area where the soil is mainly clay and limestone with origins from the eocenic era. The grapes are all picked by hand, pressed in a soft press after which there follows a brief period of decantation in total absence of sulphur dioxide. This is followed by fermentation in stainless steel tanks under a controlled temperature. The ageing takes place on the lees for 8 months.



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