



Etna Bianco

Country:	Italy	Region:	Sicily
Type:	White	Varietal:	Carricante
Format:	6 x 750ml		

BC	AB	SK	MB
+28718	+788451		
Speculative	Open		

TASTING NOTES

Colour: Dark straw-yellow.

Aroma: Stone fruits, herbs and wildflowers.

Taste: Bright, juicy flavours of stone fruits, lemon and sweet botanical herb. The long, saline finish offers intriguing hints of rosemary, minerals and cardamom.

Food: Antipasti, fish, seafood.

AWARDS & ACCOLADES

2024 ~ 94 Points. "An almost Champagne-like nose, with nutty, toasty aromas and then flinty, saline over richly developed fruit that expands onto a palate layered with bitter citrus, white flowers, and raw almonds. All of Benanti's Etna Biancos are superlative, but it's hard for me to think of a better experience at such an accessible price." - Danielle Callegari - Wine Enthusiast, Apr/2026

2023 ~ 93 Points. "Expressive and robust, showing powerful elegance and great textural appeal, this is a Carricante that balances classicism and modernity. Green apple, quince, and white grapefruit at the core with an elegant top layer of lemon balm, white roses and linden. Very long on the palate with focus and a delicious chalky grip that makes it linger on the palate. Lingering notes of grapefruit pith, preserved lemon and pear peel." - Ines Salpico - Decanter, Oct/2024

2022 ~ 92 Points. "The nose is smoky and spicy, like lemon drizzled over grilled chicken, with bright herbal notes of saffron and tarragon providing levity. A citrusy saltiness defines the palate, while a continued herbaceousness provides warmth without sacrificing the freshness." - Wine Enthusiast, Dec/2023

OTHER INFO

Carricante 100%, grown as alberello (free standing bush). This indigenous vine is cultivated only on Etna. Its name seems to be attributed by the vine-growers of Viagrande because of its characteristics of allowing a good, constant production over the years. The bunches, at ripeness are of average length, usually scattered; the grape is medium-sized with very pruinose skin and a green-yellowish colour.



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