

MDM
MAI DIRE MAI



VALPOLICELLA

DENOMINAZIONE DI ORIGINE CONTROLLATA

SUPERIORE

2015

VINIFICATION

The grapes are hand picked with careful selection. Following gentle pressing, fermentation takes place at controlled temperatures between 20-22°C. The next step is ageing in French oak 500-litre casks and 225-litre barrels (mainly new or second-use) for 18 months.

TASTING NOTES

This is a wine to be discovered that reveals itself gradually; austere on the first sip but then all its power and personality comes to the fore. Intense and complex, elegant and ethereal. On the nose, it offers overtones of tobacco, cedar wood, underbrush and balsamic notes. On the palate, it is warm and intense with morello cherry, clove and coffee aromas, very fine and rounded tannins. Decisive, with high acidity and a long, enduring finish with spicy notes.

HARVEST / 2015

A year characterized by a winter with abundant snowfalls which allowed an excellent water supply of the soil, favouring a regular and early development of the vegetative cycle. From the second half of June low rainfalls and temperatures above the average have contributed to the ripening of the grapes, occurring earlier than usual. As for the health of the grapes, we can define this vintage as one of the best in recent years where it was not necessary to undertake particular interventions.

MAI DIRE MAI is born out of the coming together of the time-honoured experience of the Pasqua family and the exceptional terroir of the Montevegro vineyard: the 23-hectare vineyard is situated on the top of a hill at an altitude of 350 metres between Val d'Illasi and Val di Mezzane, the soil of which is basalt and calcareous in origin, ensuring an optimal mineral content. An iconic line characterised by its elegance, complexity and unique palate.



Origin

Montevegro
vineyard
Val d'Illasi

Grapes/Blend

Corvina 50%
Corvinone 30%
Rondinella 10%
Oseleta 10%

Ageing

18 months

Alcohol by Volume

15%

PH

3.44

Total acidity

5.70 g/l

Residual sugar

2.52 g/l

Awards

2015

Falstaff Wein Guide Italien 2023 – **90 points**

Annuario dei Migliori Vini Italiani 2021 Luca Maroni – **91 points**

2013

Robert Parker – **91 points**

Jancis Robinson – **17 points**