



PRODUCER PROFILE

Estate owned by: A cooperative of local growers Winemaker: Willi Stürz Total acreage under vine: 575 Estate founded: 1889 Winery production: 95,000 Bottles Region: Trentino Alto-Adige Country: Italy

Tramin Chardonnay 2015

WINE DESCRIPTION

This cool-climate wine is made from 100% Chardonnay and vinified in stainless steel. Its delicate style shows Chardonnay's finer side and is a great addition to the Tramin lineup, all pure expressions of this Alto Adige area.

TASTING NOTES

Fermented and aged in stainless steel to preserve its fresh aromas of citrus, melons, and tropical fruits, this Chardonnay is pale lemon in color with lemon-green hues. On the palate, it offers bright, yellow fruit flavors with mineral notes and a refreshing acidity.

FOOD PAIRING

Pair this wine with shellfish dishes, grilled chicken, browned butter sauces, or pork saltimbocca.

VINEYARD & PRODUCTION INFO

Production area/appellation: Alto Adige DOC

Vineyard size: 25

Soil composition: Calcareous, Pebbly, and Clay-Loam Training method: Pergola/Arbor-trained Guyot

 Elevation:
 792-1,650 feet

 Vines/acre:
 1,400-2,400

 Yield/acre:
 3.2 tons

Exposure: Eastern / Southeastern / Western

Year vineyard planted: 1974-2004
Harvest time: September
First vintage of this wine: 1984
Bottles produced of this wine: 95,000

WINEMAKING & AGING

Varietal composition: 100% Chardonnay Fermentation container: Stainless steel tanks

Length of alcoholic fermentation: 10 days Fermentation temperature: 66 °F Malolactic fermentation: Yes

Type of aging container: Stainless steel tanks

Length of aging before bottling: 5 months
Length of bottle aging: 2 months

ANALYTICAL DATA

 Alcohol:
 13.5%

 pH level:
 3.5

 Residual sugar:
 2 g/L

 Acidity:
 5.1 g/L

 Dry extract:
 22 g/L

