



PRODUCER PROFILE

Estate owned by: A cooperative of local growers Winemaker: Willi Stürz Total acreage under vine: 575 Estate founded: 1889 Winery production: 70,000 Bottles Region: Trentino Alto-Adige Country: Italy

Tramin Nussbaumer 2013

WINE DESCRIPTION

This Alto Adige classic is made from 100% single-vineyard Gewürztraminer, grown in the highly esteemed Nussbaumer plot. This privileged vineyard site is bathed in maritime breezes from Lago di Garda and sits at a higher elevation which results in a longer growing season. After harvesting in multiple passes to capture the optimal ripeness of each bunch, the grapes are fermented in stainless steel tanks to preserve their freshness and purity.

TASTING NOTES

This Gewürztraminer embodies all the characteristics of the varietal: an intense, bright lemonyellow color, aromas of stone fruits, fragrant rose petals, exotic spices, ripe tropical fruits, and lychee, as well as flavors of stone and tropical fruits with honeyed, floral, and spicy notes. Above all, the wine's layers are particularly evident on the rich, long finish.

FOOD PAIRING

Ideal as an aperitif, the wine is perfect with seafood, particularly Asian-influenced fish dishes. On its own, Nussbaumer is a wine of meditation, to accompany an unforgettable moment with good friends.

VINEYARD & PRODUCTION INFO

Production area/appellation: Alto Adige DOC

Vineyard name: The Nussbaumer vineyard

Vineyard size: 33

Soil composition: Calcareous Clay and Pebbles Training method: Pergola and Single-Guyot

Elevation: 1,155-1,815 feet Vines/acre: 1,400-2,400 Yield/acre: 1.8 tons

Exposure: Eastern / Southeastern / Southern

Harvest time: September-October

First vintage of this wine: 1990 Bottles produced of this wine: 70,000

WINEMAKING & AGING

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

Length of alcoholic fermentation: 15 days Fermentation temperature: 64-66 °F

Type of aging container: Stainless steel tanks

Size of aging container: 15-50 HL
Length of aging before bottling: 7-8 months
Length of bottle aging: 1 month

ANALYTICAL DATA

Alcohol: 15% pH level: 7.1 Residual sugar: 4.7 g/L

