





# Grillo

2023

SICILIA Denominazione di Origine Controllata

# ALTITUDE

50-300 metres above sea level.

### **GROWING YEAR:**

The autumn of 2022 was not very rainy in Sicily, with a cool spring and a heavy and continuous rainfall that lasted until June of 2023. Mild, spring-like temperatures from June to July 2023. In Sicily, summer actually began at the beginning of July, with temperatures rising steadily until the time of the harvest.

### HARVEST:

The harvest lasted from mid-August to the end of September.

### VINIFICATION AND AGEING:

As soon as the grapes arrive at the winery, the bunches are destemmed and lightly crushed in soft presses to extract the free-run must. The must is vinified in steel tanks at a controlled temperature of 16-18 °C. Once fermented, the wine remains on the fine lees for at least three months to give it a rich texture and longevity.

# **BOTTLE AGEING:**

At least one month before being sold on the market.

# **TASTING NOTES:**

Straw yellow in colour with greenish tinges in the glass. The nose reveals aromas of grapefruit, jasmine and tropical notes of mango and papaya. It is enveloping and direct on the palate, with great freshness and tanginess. The palate is delighted by the perfect balance of freshness and suppleness with a long and persistent finish.

### PAIRINGS:

It is ideal with fish soup, shellfish and raw seafood.

# WINE LONGEVITY:

More than two years.

# FIRST VINTAGE PRODUCED:

2019

## ANALYTICAL DETAILS:

12.5% Alc./Vol., total acidity 5.8 g/l, pH 3.25.