



Fondazione

VILLA RUSSIZ

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## 2018 PINOT GRIGIO COLLIO DOC

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### ESTATE VINEYARDS

Appellation:	Collio DOC
Grape variety:	100% Pinot Grigio
Vineyard location:	Terraced hillside estate vineyards between 230-600 feet above sea level facing southeast and southwest
Vine age:	20-60 years old
Soil composition:	Sandstone and marl locally known as "ponca"
Density:	1,820-2,025 vines/acre
Training:	Single-arched cane
Viticulture:	Sustainable
Harvest:	August 20

### WINEMAKING

Perfectly ripened grapes are hand harvested during the chilly early hours of the day. The bunches are then quickly carried to the cellar where they are gently pressed. The first must is pumped into temperature controlled stainless steel vats. The wine is kept on its lees for 6-7 months before bottling.

Alcohol:	13.0%
Total acidity:	5.1 g/L

### TASTING NOTES

Straw yellow, elegant and refined on the nose with complex fruit aromas. Mature wines have a bouquet of toasted almonds and straw.

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