

IDDA

2022 IDDA BIANCO SICILIA DOP

WINERY

IDDA is a joint venture between Angelo Gaja and Alberto Graci on Mount Etna that started in 2017. The Graci family is a prominent winemaker in the region. The vineyards are located on the southern slope of the volcano, with a wide range of altitudes, exposures and soil types. Today, the winery owns 50 acres of vineyards at 2,000-2,600 feet above sea level, in the villages of Belpasso and Biancavilla

WINE

IDDA means “she” in the Sicilian dialect, which is the term of endearment and awe with which Sicilians refer to Mount Etna.

VINEYARDS

Made from 100% Carricante from vineyards located in Biancavilla, on the south-west slope of the Etna Volcano, between 700-800 m a.s.l. (2296-2624 ft).

VINTAGE NOTES

The 2022 vintage experienced a mild winter with regular rainfall. From the end of May onwards, warm and dry weather pushed towards regular ripening. Late August saw some rain that helped to mitigate the vines from

experiencing water stress. The dry and warm weather of September and October with very little rainfall ensured perfect grape health and sumptuous ripening that has given us complex and generous wines.

WINEMAKING

Cold pressing of the whole bunches. After a static clarification, fermentation took place at a controlled temperature between 18-20°C, partly in 10 hl oak barrels and partly in stainless steel.

TASTING NOTES

The nose shows notes of sugared almond, lemon peel, marzipan, salted butter, jasmine, and mustard flowers, with hints of mint, spice, and flint. There is a distinct marine minerality on the palate; it possesses balanced acidity with a slightly honeyed note on the smooth yet voluptuous finish.



VINEYARD

Region:	Sicily
Appellation:	Sicilia DOP
Vineyard:	Biancavilla
First Vintage:	2018
Eco-Practices:	Sustainable

WINEMAKING

Varietals:	Carricante
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TECHNICAL DETAILS

Alcohol:	12.5%
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