

# Vino Lauria

## GRILLO GIARDINELLO TERRE SICILIANE - 2017



REGION: ITALY - SICILY



### VINO LAURIA

With wine making in his family blood, Vito Lauria decided to attend the University of Udine in Friuli where he obtained a degree in Enology in 2003. After stepping off the campus he worked at a number wineries in northern Italy for a few years before returning to Sicily in 2005. Vito came home to open the old family winery in Alcamo, 30 miles west of Palermo.

### THE WINE

#### Vineyard Profile

The Grillo vineyard, whom gave birth to the famous Marsala, has always grown on flat, warm and placid lands around Trapani. Its recent “migration” towards Alcamo and its happy arrival to the hills marks a pleasing evolution of its fragrance.

- Production Area: Alcamo
- Vineyard: Giardinello di Rapitala
- Yield: 6 tons
- Training system: Espalier

#### Harvest Notes

- Harvest: End of August
- Vinification: Maceration at a cold temperature for 24 hours, fermentation at 55°F for 15 days
- Ageing: 6 months in stainless steel

#### Winemaker's Notes

- More citrusy and fresh, both on the nose and on the palate.
- Golden with curious greenish reflections intriguing to the sight.
- Grillo perfectly expresses the meeting with these new lands and Sicily bringing with it the tropical aromas of pineapple, the slightly sour zest of grapefruit, and the aromatic herb of sage and mint.

#### Technical Information

- Varietal: 100% Grillo
- Alcohol: 12.5%
- pH level: 3.1
- Acidity: 6.4 g/L

### REVIEWS

#### Grillo Giardinello Terre Siciliane – 2017

#### 90 Points - Vinous - Ian D'Agata, August, 2019

Bright golden-tinged yellow. Fresh aromas of grapefruit, sage, and mint soar high on the perfumed nose. Juicy and lively with similar flavors to the aromas. Features a nicely lingering zingy finish.

## GENERAL INFO

Country	Italy
Region	Sicily
Appellation(s)	Terre Siciliane
Proprietors	Vito Lauria
Founded	2005
Winemaker	Vito Lauria
Annual Production	7,000 9L cases
Farming (Sustainable, organic, biodynamic)	Organic