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Istiu 2020
Enric Soler - 75 cl.



Istiu is the latest addition in the small range of Eric Soler. It is his vision of the Malvasia de Sitges. Only 2 casks are produced (roughly 750 bottles).

Vinification
The grapes are harvested in small 15kg trays then transferred into 300 litre barrels (3 years old) where they are fermented, with natural yeasts.

Storage potential
Drink as from : 2022
Best moment : 2024-2026
Until : 2029

To serve
At 10°C, in a nice Riesling glass.

Trial analysis
2018 was blessed in terms of weather: good rainfall in the beginning of the year, dry summer. This allowed the berries to keep a good acid backbone. This vintage is this rather original - less alcohol and more acidity than average for such a Mediterranean area.

Description domain

A very small project by Enric Soler, a very enthusiastic professor in Oenology in Barcelona. Old Xarello grapes and biodynamics result here in one of Catalonia's very best whites: NUN.

Assembly
Malvasia de Sitges (50%), Xarel.lo (50%)

Region:
Catalunya

Appellation:
D.O. Penedès

Wine estate:
Enric Soler

Biodynamic