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## PINOT GRIGIO DOC FRIULI ISONZO 2022

Tenuta Villanova, Friuli Venezia Giulia, Italy



eCommerce # 896257 | 13.0% alc./vol. | \$24.95 \*subject to change

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*White wine with a straw yellow colour, intense with a bouquet reminiscent of white and yellow flowers. Soft, full and fragrant taste.*

### Terroir:

Founded in 1499, Tenuta Villanova is the oldest wine estate in Friuli Venezia Giulia. The property extends for about 200 hectares, from the Alte Rive of the Isonzo river to the Collio hills. Half of the property is planted with vineyards with very different terroirs: 80Ha in DOC Isonzo 20 Ha in the DOC Collio.

Friuli Isonzo DOC vineyards are planted on the Isonzo river plain, on permeable soil rich in pebbles gravel and sandstone.



### Vinification:

Aged 6 months on the lees in stainless steel with batonnage.

**Variety:** Pinot Grigio 100%

**Residual sugar:** 1 g/L

**Serving suggestion and food pairing:** Serve at 12°C. Ideal for cold cuts, sweet cheeses and delicate first courses. Excellent with codfish cream crostini.

**David Lawrason, Wine Align'23 90p**

**Luca Maroni 93p**

**Sara d'Amato & Elsa Macdonald, Wine Align'23 89p**



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### CANADIAN ACCOLADES

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<p>Sara d'Amato'23</p>	<p><i>High on charm, this fulsome pinot grigio offers plenty of white pepper spice, notes of dried floral, and lemon and pear on a fleshy palate. An appealing viscosity is juxtaposed by refreshing acidity. A cleanly made solo-sipper or try with panko-battered asparagus or grilled calamari. Tasted September 2023.</i>  <b>Score – 89p. Value Rating - 4 stars.</b></p>
<p>Elsa Macdonald'23</p>	<p><i>Pinot Grigio from Friuli tends to be more aromatic and fuller bodied than its Venetian counterparts as this example from the DOC Friuli Isonzo demonstrates. With notes of lemon, green apple and melon and white florals it is an easy choice as an aperitif with finger foods and charming enough to sip on its own. Tasted September 2023.</i>  <b>Score – 89p. Value Rating - 4 stars.</b></p>