Duca di Salaparuta

COUNTRY
Italy

REGION
Sicily

APPELLATION
Etna DOC



Lavico Etna Bianco 2025

VARIETALS
100% Carricante

VINEYARD PHILOSOPHY
Traditional farming philosophy

VINEYARD NAME
Vajasindi Estate (Northern Slope of Etna)

SIZE	ALTITUDE	TERRAIN	SOIL TYPE
5 hectares	640 meters	Mountains	Volcanic soil

YIELD	DENSITY	CULTIVATION	VINE AGE
6,000 kg per hectare	4,800 vines per hectare	Spurred cordon	3 years

CLIMATE
In 2025, the climate of Etna was typical, characterized by a moderately rainy autumn and winter, followed by a dry spring. The summer was hot, with rare but intense rainfall events.

HARVEST PERIOD
Mid-October with manual selection of the grapes in crates.

VINIFICATION
Upon arrival at the winery, the grapes are unloaded by hand and destemmed. After macerating on the skins for at least 4 hours, they undergo gentle pressing. The resulting must, separated from solid parts through static sedimentation, ferments in stainless steel at a controlled temperature.

AGING
The wine ages on its lees for at least 3 months in stainless steel. 0.45 micron filtration. Followed by one month in bottle.

NO.OF BOTTLES PRODUCED
32134

ANALYTICAL DATA

ABV	TOTAL ACIDITY	NET DRY EXTRACT	RES. SUGAR
13% Alc./Vol.	6.2 g/l, pH 3.25	22.5 g/l	1 g/l

TASTING & PAIRINGS
Appearance: Pale straw yellow in color with marked greenish tinges.
Nose: Notes of tropical fruits, white peach and Mediterranean scrub.
Palate: Great freshness and tanginess with a long and elegant persistence.
Pairings: It is ideal with fresh seafood, grilled chicken, and vegetables.
Serving Temperature: 42-46°F

VOLIO'S QUICK TAKE
Born on the harsh, windy slope of active volcano Mt. Etna, where vines fight for water, this Etna Bianco is ripe with minerality and salinity, offering a great balance of fruit-forward and savory depth. Vajasindi is one of the three estates on the island for Duca di Salaparuta - the Sicilian winemaking pioneers.

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AVAILABLE FORMATS
750 ml

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