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VINEYARD

THE FINEST WINES IN THE CELLAR START WITH
DEDICATION IN THE VINEYARD...

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Our aim is to produce wine that will tell **a story about the soil**. Since we believe that the quality and character of wine comes from the liaison between the vineyard and the winemaker, our most valuable treasures are our vineyards.

We grow three Istrian indigenous varieties - **Malvazia Istriana** (white), **Teran** (red) and **Muscat Momiano** (white), among which Malvasia is the primary variety. We also grow **Sauvignon Blanc, Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot**.

Our vineyards - Valle, Contarini and Santa Lucia - grow on top hillside locations in western Istria, with a south to south-west orientation. The total surface of the vineyards owned by the family covers **25 ha on Santa Lucia** with the

oldest plots dating back to the 1960s and **5 ha in Valle valley**. Harvesting is selective and done manually in several phases with regards to the physiological ripeness of the grapes.

The Santa Lucia single vineyard location harvests our best plots. The vines grow on outstanding soil composed of **flysch, limestone rocks and clay** that were **planted in 1961** at an altitude of 240 meters above sea level. **Santa Lucia Malvasia** and **Santa Lucia Noir** are our premium labels made exclusively from the best harvests. International competition scores (DWWA, IWC, Library Collection) prove that Santa Lucia has an aging potential of up to 15 years.

