

crabilis vermentino di sardegna DOC

pala
sardegna

Crabilis, which means “ancient goat shelter” in Sardinian dialect, is the name of a vine-covered limestone-sandy hill not far from the Pala winery. Crabilis lends its name to Pala’s Vermentino, as this is the most widely planted grape in this 25-hectare vineyard area. After harvest and gentle pressing, the wine is fermented in stainless steel tanks where it rests for a few months before bottling.

grape varieties:

Vermentino

exposure:

Northeast/Southeast

altitude:

150–180m A.S.L.

soil:

Limestone and clay soils at the base and middle of the hill and sandy soil with a higher gravel content towards the top.

alcohol:

13.00%

tasting notes:

Straw-colored with greenish reflections. Persistent floral and herbaceous aromas with notes of thyme. Medium to full-bodied on the palate with good balance and a long, slightly briny finish makes it a perfect companion to any shellfish. Also served with seafood dishes and lightly seasoned soups.



The Wine Advocate

2007, 2006 Crabilis 88 points

Wine Spectator

2005 Crabilis 87 points

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