



### Sicilian culture and identity.

"Baglio" in Sicilian slang refers to "ancient building in the countryside" and "Diar" comes from the surname Di Girolamo.

Therefore the two words celebrate the deep relationship between this family and the countryside of Marsala that has existed for seventy years.

In fact, in the early '50s Mr Biagio Di Girolamo began growing vines on the family land. A poor soil made of sand, clay and slit that benefits by the warmth of the sun all year round and is attenuated by a cooling sea breeze: perfect for viticulture!

The Di Girolamo's family passion and care for the vineyards have consolidated over the years and today can count on 120 hectares managed by Nicola, Biagio's great-grandson.

To the quantity and the quality, by the time, has been added a good variety range thus, nowadays, the wines are made both by native grapes like Grillo, Inzolia, Catarratto, Nero D'avola, Perricone, Zibibbo and also international one such as Syrah.

The mission of Baglio Diar is to represent organic wines and enhance those with characteristic labels related to the Sicilian culture.

The increase in production has not affected the deep respect for the environment because Baglio Diar has been practising **organic viticulture** for at least 20 years.

In order to strengthen this commitment, all the wines have received the **Vegan** certification too.

The company is certified VIVA - The Program promoted by the Italian Ministry of the Environment and Energy Security for the sustainability in the Italian viticulture market.











### Sea, sun, organic.

Our 120 hectares of vineyards are located in the southwest of Sicily, between Trapani and Mazara del Vallo where the soil is composed mainly of loam.

The vineyards are placed at different altitudes above sea level and benefit from a Mediterranean climate. Their positions allow the

best expressions of our grape varieties.

The meticulous process of **organic production** starts from the peculiar choice of land free from any form of contamination, organic fertilization, the absence of herbicides, and the exclusive use of copper and sulfur.

The **sun** is present all year round giving hot summers with mild, short winters and allowing ideal conditions for viticulture.

The favourable temperature along with the absence of frost prevents the vine from diseases and facilitates a perfect maturation of the crop.

The sea, thanks to the lovely breeze, has a cooling effect, keeps the crop healthier and adds saltiness to the vines.

# From the ground to the wine.

### Sicily in the glass.

Our most straightforward wines the first ones to be produced.

As for all the Baglio Diar wines, the relation with the terroir is expressed also on the label.

THE DIAR

DIORNU

The entry level line, called *Terroir*, displays on the front the sun during the sunrise (Diornu) and the moon during the evening (Disira).



#### DIORNU INZOLIA

Grape variety Alcohol content

12%

Appellation

Area of production IGP Terre Siciliane

Inzolia 100%

Terroir

South-west Sicily; vineyards between Trapani and Marsala.

Altitude 100mt a.s.l.; Loam soil; The climate is mediterranean with mild winters and hot summers within a cooling sea breeze all year around.

Vineyards

Harvest

Guyot training system; Yield per hectare: Inzolia 100 q/h.

It takes place on the third week of august.

Winemaking

After a soft press, the grapes undertake the fermentation at 15°C of temperature for 15 days.

Aging

Then the wine stay into stainless steel tanks for 3 months. Aging in the bottle: at least a month.

Sensory analysis

Pale yellow colour with a green tinge, Diornu on the nose gives aromas of white fruits like mature apple and notes of fennel, mint and jasmine.

On the palate, the wine is light-bodied, with crisp acidity, a lovely salinity and hint of lime.

Food matching

It goes well with seafood recipe without tomato and is perfect to enhance white meats and fresh or medium seasoned cheese.

Best to enjoy

In a tulip shape glass at 8°C temperature.

**Do you know that:** Diornu in sicilian slang means "in the daytime"?

### Focus.

DIORNU

INZOLIA

extreme saltiness. We can find the best expressions

#### DISIRA SYRAH



Grape variety Alcohol content

Appellation

of production

Terroir

Vineyards

Harvest

Winemaking

Aging

Sensory analysis

Food matching

Best to enjoy

Syrah 100%

12.5%

IGP Terre Siciliane

South-west Sicily; vineyards between Trapani and Salemi.

Altitude 250 a.s.l; Mainly clay soil; The climate is mediterranean with mild wintersand hot summers within a refreshing sea breeze all year around.

Guyot training system Yield per hectare: Syrah 70 q/h.

It takes place between the second and the third week of august at night time.

After the maceration, the grapes undertake the fermentation into stainless steel tanks at 24°C of temperature from 7 to 10 days.

Following the fermentation the grapes are soft pressed and then the wine stay into stainless steel tanks for 3 months. Aging in the bottle: at least a month.

Pale ruby colour with a violet rim, Disira on the nose gives aromas of red flowers like rose and violet with pleasant notes of raspberry and blackcurrant. On the palate it is medium bodied, with silky tannins and really good acidity. Moreover, there are flavours of strawberry and blackberry with notes of thyme and black pepper which leave a lovely fresh aftertaste.

It goes well with white meats and game cooked with aromatic herbs. It is a must to try with tomato fish sauce medium spicy.

In a tulip shape glass at 14-16°C temperature.

**Do you know that:** Disira in sicilian slang means "in the evening"?

## Curiosity.

- If drunk in a blind tasting rarely could be identified as a Sicilian wine







Grape variety Grillo 100% Alcohol content 13%

> **Appellation** D.O.C. Sicilia

> > Terroir

Winemaking

Sensory analysis

Food matching

Best to enjoy

Aging

Area of production South-west Sicily; vineyards at Mazara del Vallo.

Altitude at sea level; Mainly sandy soil; The climate is mediterranean with mild winters and hot summers within a cooling sea breeze all year around.

Guyot training system; Yield per hectare: 100 q/h. Vineyards Harvest It takes place at the beginning of august at night time.

After a soft press, the grapes undertake the fermentation at  $13^{\circ}\text{C}$  of temperature for 15 days.

Then the wine stay into stainless steel tanks for 3 months. Aging in the bottle: at least a month.

Pale yellow colour, Selene on the nose gives aromas of tropical fruits like yellow melon and mature along with aromatic smells of dill and rosemary. On the palate, the wine is light-bodied, with crisp acidity, a lovely flinty taste and notes of apricot and orange zest.

It goes well with whole fish cooked in the oven, stuffed squid, sea food sauce without tomato. It is amazing also if paired with fat, savoury meats and medium seasoned cheese.

In a tulip shape glass at 8-10°C temperature.

**Do you know that:** Selene is a character from Giovanni Verga's romance where she is a ballet dancer who has a secret relation with the marquis Alberto Alberti.

### Focus.

selection of Baglio Diar. Grillo 100%, is great

Mazara Del Vallo.





Grape variety | Zibibb

Zibibbo 100%

Alcohol content

13%

Appellation

IGP Terre Siciliane

Area of production

South-west Sicily; vineyards between Marsala and Salemi.

Terroir

Altitude 300m a.s.l; Loam soil; The climate is mediterranean with mild winters and hot summers within a favourable difference between day and night due to the altitude.

Vineyards

Guyot training system; Yield per hectare: 100 q/h.

Harvest

It takes place at the third and fourth week of august at night time.

Winemaking

After a Cryo-maceration at 4°C for 10-12 hours the grapes are soft pressed. The fermentation takes place at 15°C of temperature for 14 days.

Aging

Then the wine stay into stainless steel tanks for 3 months. Aging in the bottle: at least a month.

Sensory analysis

Pale yellow colour, Fantasia on the nose gives intense aromas of orange blossom and grapefruit along with a delicate smell of eucalyptus. On the palate, the wine is light-bodied, with a pleasant acidity, a lovely note of litchi, banana within the hint of oregano and sage which last on a long finish.

Food matching

Best to enjoy

It goes well with spicy white meats and savoury shell fish soup. It can be also very nice if paired with hot dishes without tomato or cheeses within herbs.

In a tulip shape glass at 8-10°C temperature.

**Do you know that:** Zibibbo comes from the Arabic Zabīb which means raisin and it was related to the sweet and aromatic taste of the famous zibibbo made in Pantelleria.

### Curiosity.

Could be interesting to know that Fantasia

- It is the most distinctive wine produced by Baglio Dia
- It is a dry Zibibbo typical of the Trapani area different from the most popular one grown in Pantelleria to make Passito
- On the nose can be distinguished for typical notes of grapefruit
- Can be a good alternative to Sauvignon Blanc or Gewürztraminer
- It is amazing to pair with aromatic, spicy or hot dishe.

### DIDA CATARRATTO



Grape variety Catarratto 100%
Alcohol content 13.5%

Appellation IGP Terre Siciliane

Terroir

Harvest

Aging

Winemaking

Sensory analysis

Food matching

Area of production South-west Sicily; vineyards in Salemi.

Altitude 350 mt a.s.l; Loam soil; The climate is mediterranean with mild winters and hot summers within a favourable difference between day and night due to the altitude.

**Vineyards**Guyot training system; Yield per hectare: 110 q/h.

It takes place at night between the third and the fourth week of September.

After a soft press, the grapes undertake the fermentation at 15°C of temperature for 15 days.

Following a soft press, the wine ages first in small oak barrels for 4 months and then in stainless steel tank for other 3 months. Aging in the bottle: at least a month.

Pale yellow colour with a golden tinge, Dida on the nose gives aromas of dry figs within notes of anise and vanilla. On the palate the wine is full-bodied, mineral, with a nice acidity and long aftertaste. There are hints of lemon jam, ripe apricot and truffle.

It goes well with roasted white meats, grilled shellfish and sautéed vegetables. Try it with smoked meat carpaccio and blue cheeses.

**Best to enjoy** In a globe glass at 10°C temperature.

**Do you know that:** Catarratto is one of the oldest Italian grape and the most planted native one in Sicily?



### LIA NERO D'AVOLA ROSÈ



Grape variety Alcohol content

Nero d'Avola 100%

12%

Appellation

D.O.C. Sicilia

Area of production

South-west Sicily; vineyards at Mazara del Vallo

Terroir

Altitude at sea level; Mainly sandy soil; The climate is mediterranean with mild winters and hot summers within a refreshing sea breeze all year around.

Vineyards

Guyot training system; Yield per hectare: 80 q/h

Harvest

It takes place at the beginning of september at night time.

Winemaking

After a soft press, the grapes undertake the fermentation at  $15\,^{\circ}\text{C}$  of temperature for 12 days.

Aging

Then the wine stays into stainless steel tanks for 3 months.

Aging in the bottle: at least a month.

Sensory analysis Light rose colour. Lia on the nose gives intense aromas of fresh fruit like strawberry and mango with delicate smells of mint and pink pepper. Lia is light-bodied with silky tannins and it has a high acidity. On the palate, there are flavours of black cherry, pomegranate and an aromatic note of fennel.

Food matching
Best to enjoy

It goes well with spicy food and dishes with tomato sauce. It is amazing also if paired with raw prawns and exotic fruit salads.

In a tulip shape glass at 8° C temperature.

**Do you know that:** Lia is a character from Giovanni Verga's novel (Malavoglia). She was the youngest of 5 siblings, but she stood out because she was very beautiful and sensitive, unlike the rest of her family.







Grape variety Nero d'Avola 100%

Alcohol content 13,5%

**Appellation** D.O.C. Sicilia

Area of production

Winemaking

Sensory analysis

Food matching

Best to enjoy

Aging

South-west Sicily; vineyards between Marsala and Salemi.

Altitude 200m a.s.l.; Mainly clay soil;
The climate is mediterranean with mild winters and hot summers within a refreshing sea breeze all year around.

**Vineyards**Guyot training system;
Yield per hectare: 75 q/h

**Harvest** It takes place at the beginning of september at night time

After the maceration, the grapes undertake the fermentation into stainless steel tanks at 24°C of temperature from 7 to 10 days.

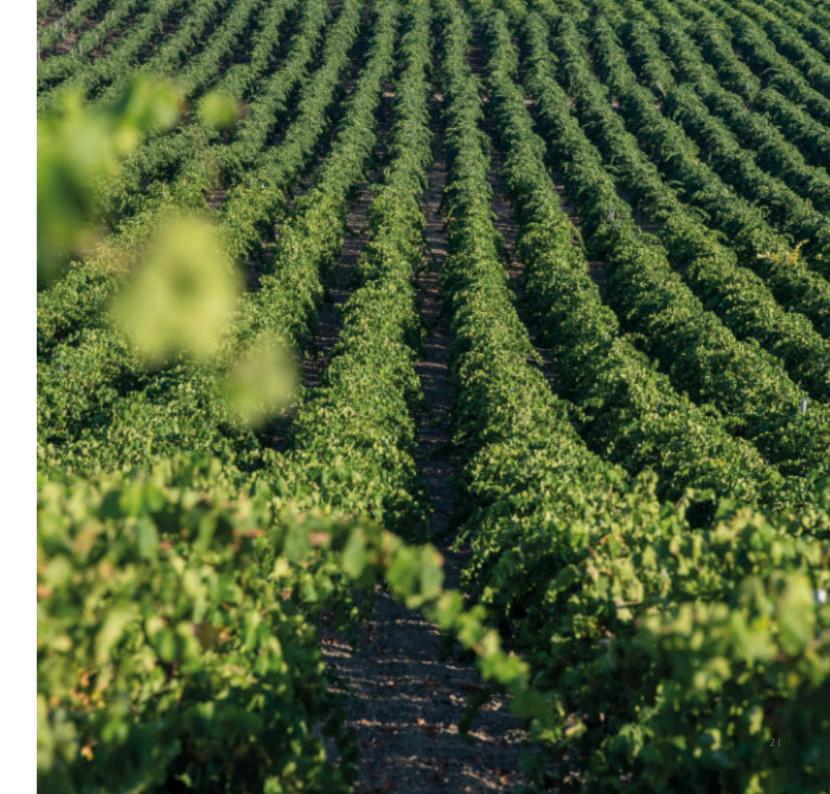
Following a soft press, the wine ages first in small oak barrels for 5 months and then in stainless steel tank for other 3 months. Aging in the bottle: at least 2 months.

Medium deep ruby colour, Nedda on the nose gives aromas of red fruits like blackberry and dry plum with flavours of vanilla and cloves. On the palate it is full bodied, with rounded tannins and really good acidity. Moreover, there are notes of black cherry and blueberry with hint of hazelnut and cedar.

It goes well with spicy game and grilled red meats. It is also perfect to pair with grilled shell fish and refilled vegetables cooked in the oven.

In a tulip shape glass at 15-16°C temperature.

**Do you know that:** Nero d'Avola is also known in Sicily as "calabrese" which is the Italian expression from the Sicilian slang Calaulisi. Cala is synonym of the Sicilian word rracina (Uva). Aulisi instead comes from the Sicilian Aula (Avola).







Grape variety Alcohol content Perricone 100%

13,5%

Appellation | IG

IGP Terre Siciliane

Altitude 250m a.s.l.;

Area of production

South-west Sicily; vineyards at Trapani.

Terroir

Mainly clay soil; The climate is mediterranean with mild winters and hot summers within a refreshing sea breeze all year around.

Vineyards

Guyot training system; Yield per hectare: 60 q/h

Harvest

It takes place between the second and the third week of august at night time.

Winemaking

The maceration is managed for 15 days in stainless steel tanks at 25°C and after takes place the malolactic conversion.

Aging

Afterwards, the wine stays for 6 months in small barrels of French oak and ends up in stainless steel tanks until bottling time. Ageing in the bottle at least 3 months.

Sensory analysis Deep ruby colour, Velata on the nose gives aromas of blackberry and licorice with fragrance of black tea, cacao powder and toasted hazelnut. On the palate the wine has got full body, vivacious tannins and an enveloping taste balanced by vibrant acidity. Moreover, on the palate there are flavours of black cherry, cinnamon, peanuts and coffee which give a long aftertaste.

Food matching

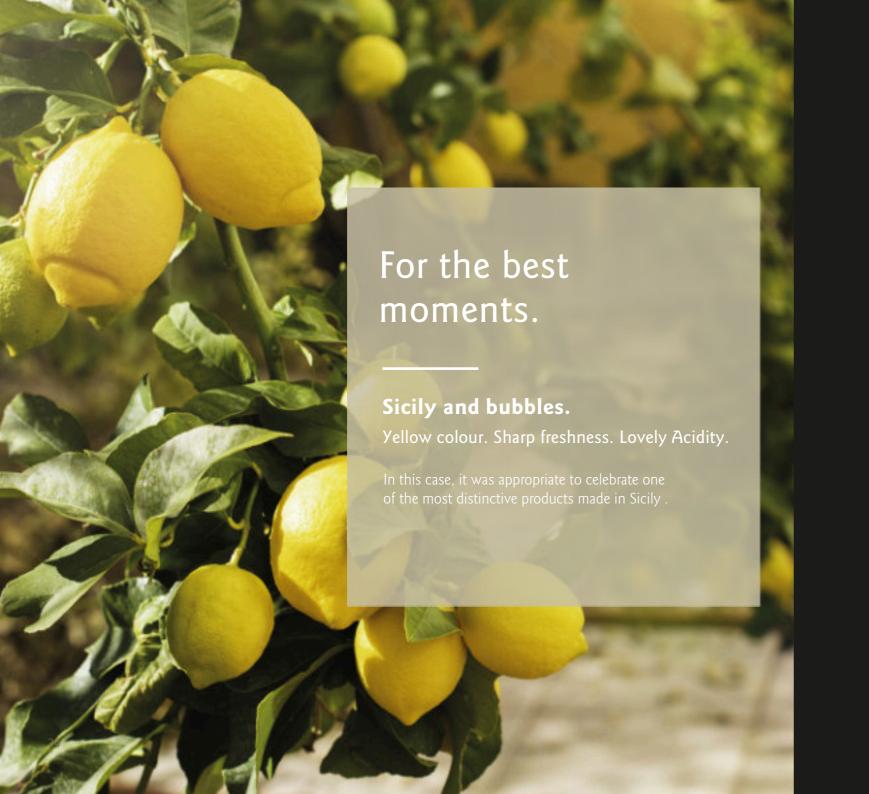
It goes well with grilled meat, lamb in the oven and cured cheeses. It is great to try with game stewed in the pan with black olives and aromatic herbs.

Best to enjoy

In a tulip shape glass at 16°C temperature.

**Do you know that:** Perricone up to the end of XVII century was the most planted red grape among the province of Palermo and Trapany where is still called Pignatello?











Grape variety		Catarratto	and	а	small	percentage	of	othe
		native gra	pes.					

Brut	Charmat	method
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Annellation	IGP Terre Sicilian

Type

**Alcohol content** 

Vineyards

Winemaking

Sensory analysis

Food matching

Best to enjoy

Aging

Area of production	South-west Sicily; vineyards in Salemi.
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Yield pe	er hecta	re: Cat	arratto	110	q/h.

Harvest It takes place the last week of	of July at night time.
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After a soft press,	the grape	s undertake	the	fermentation
at 15°C of tempe	rature for	15 days.		

Afterwards, the wine undergoes for a second fermentation
in pressurized stainless steel tanks for at least 90 days.
Aging in the bottle: At least a month.

Pale yellow colour with a silver tinge, Lumie on the
nose gives perfume of white rose within aromas of fresh
bread and hint of tangerine zest. On the palate there are
flavours of citrus fruits like lemon, pleasant aromas of
white peach and a long lasting acidity. A lovely Brut with
a fine and regular perlage.

It goes well by itself as an aperitif, it is amazing with a fish or meat tartar seasoned by lemon juice and is a must to try along with a citrus fruits cheesecake.

In a flute glass at 4 °C temperature.

### Focus.

The name *Lumìe* refers to Lumia, a kind of lemor ree, typically grown in Sicily.

The label has a lemon shape set both inside and outside by a glossy ivory colour.

To make more real the idea of this Sicilian icon on the label you can see dry reliefs that recall the characteristic lemon peel. The inspiration fo lemon comes from the profile of this wine with high acidity, citrus fruits and freshness that is made by early harvested Catarratto grapes and vinified by the Charmat method.

Lumie is perfect for those who desire a sparkling wine easy to drink and to be enjoyed on its own or with delicate dishes with good acidity.

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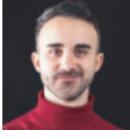
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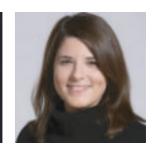
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