



ALOIS LAGEDER

## ALOIS LAGEDER "ROMIGBERG" SCHIAVA VIGNETI DELLE DOLOMITI IGT



### PRODUCER PROFILE

Winery Owner(s):

The Lageder Family

Winemaker:

Jo Pfisterer & Paola Tenaglia &

Marion Pedron

Winery Founded:

1823

Region:

Trentino-alto adige

### WINE STORY

The northwest shore of Lake Caldaro lies at the foot of a spectacular steep slope that is one of the best sites in the region. Here, Alois Lageder's Römigberg vineyard is a 20-acre monopole that comes very close to the winery's ideal of a farm as a self-contained living organism, with great importance attached to coexistence for human beings, animals, and plants. At Römigberg, cows, donkeys, and sheep graze between the vines and the olive and loquat trees. Bees, chickens, geese, and peacocks are among the other denizens of this very special habitat. The Schiava vines are trained using the traditional pergola trellis system, which in view of climate change and the accompanying increased alcohol content in the wines, offers better protection for the thin-skinned berries and retains the freshness and lightness of the Römigberg Schiava.

### VINEYARDS & VINIFICATION

<b>VINEYARD LOCATION:</b>	Northwest of Lake Caldaro (province of Bolzano)
<b>ELEVATION:</b>	250-330 meters
<b>SOILS:</b>	Dolomitic limestone under a loamy morainic deposit
<b>TRAINING SYSTEM:</b>	Pergola
<b>FARMING PRACTICES:</b>	Demeter-certified biodynamic
<b>AGE OF VINES:</b>	7-73 years (planted 1945-2011)
<b>YIELD:</b>	
<b>GRAPES:</b>	100% Schiava
<b>TYPE OF YEAST:</b>	Ambient
<b>FERMENTATION:</b>	
<b>SECOND FERMENTATION:</b>	N/A
<b>MALOLACTIC FERMENTATION:</b>	Yes
<b>FILTRATION:</b>	Filtered gently through pure cellulose
<b>AGING CONTAINER:</b>	2,500- to 6,000-liter wooden casks
<b>AGING TIME:</b>	9 months
<b>BOTTLE AGING TIME:</b>	3-6 months
<b>PRODUCTION:</b>	16,700 bottles in 2016
<b>VEGAN:</b>	Yes

## TECHNICAL DATA

ALCOHOL:	12.5% (2016)	TOTAL ACIDITY:	5 g/l (2016)
RESIDUAL SUGAR:		EXTRACT:	