

# ALOIS LAGEDER SCHIAVA ALTO ADIGE DOC



#### **PRODUCER PROFILE**

Winery Owner(s): The Lageder Family Winemaker: Jo Pfisterer & Paola Tenaglia & Marion Pedron Winery Founded: 1823 Region: Trentino-alto adige

#### WINE STORY

Schiava is a grape variety native to Alto Adige that, until the 1970s, was central to winemaking in the region. For this reason, the region was more well-known for its red wines than white wines for decades. Historically known for producing light-bodied and lighter-colored wines, in recent years Lageder has started experimenting with Schiava to push the boundaries of the varietal's potential, creating wines with increased levels of concentration, weight and structure, while maintaining balance, elegance and freshness.

### **VINEYARDS & VINIFICATION**

VINEYARD LOCATION:	Communes of Caldaro and Cortaccia (province of Bolzano)	
ELEVATION:	300-400 meters	
SOILS:	Gravelly soil with a high content of limestone	
TRAINING SYSTEM:	Pergola	
FARMING PRACTICES:	Organic	
AGE OF VINES:	36-76 years (planted 1946-1986)	
YIELD:		
GRAPES:	100% Schiava (aka Vernatsch)	
TYPE OF YEAST:	Both native and selected	
FERMENTATION:		
SECOND FERMENTATION:	N/A	
MALOLACTIC FERMENTATION:	Yes	
FILTRATION:	Yes; if possible, only coarse filtration	
AGING CONTAINER:	Concrete tanks	
AGING TIME:	7 months	
BOTTLE AGING TIME:	1 month	
PRODUCTION:	10,000 bottles	
VEGAN:	Yes	

## **TECHNICAL DATA**

ALCOHOL:	10.5%	TOTAL ACIDITY:	5 g/l
RESIDUAL SUGAR:	1 g/l	EXTRACT:	24 g/l

