

ERSTE & NEUE

The first wine co-operative created in Kaltern, Alto Adige, established in 1900, Erste e Neue now has some 500 growers contributing grapes from approximately 280 hectares of vineyards. From terraced vineyards that are situated around Lake Kaltern and on the plateau at the foot of the Mendel Mountain, the co-op's members produce premium wines from grapes grown in cru and top quality locations.



At Erste e Neue, the co-op vinifies 13 different grape varieties, including local grapes such as Gewurztraminer, Lagrein and Vernatsch, and international favorites that include Pinot Noir, Cabernet and Merlot. They make a wide variety of wines in both white and red with a touch more emphasis on white wines.

With Gerhard Sanin as the Cellar Master, the winery combines established winemaking traditions with modern cellar technologies, a beautiful combination of the old and new worlds.

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SÜDTIROL ALTO ADIGE
ERSTE+NEUE

Varietal/Blend: Lagrein

Farming: conventional

Trellis System: Guyot

Elevation / Exposure: 250-400m / SE

Soil: glacier deposit soil containing porphyry

Ave Year Vines Planted: 1990

Harvest Technique: by hand

Fermentation: low temperature in stainless steel

Malolactic: full

Aging: in big wooden casks (80-100hl)

Alcohol: 13%

TA: 5.1g/l

RS: 1.5g/l

Yeast: commercial

Fined: bentonite

Filtered: yes

Country: Italy

Region: Alto-Adige

Sub Region: Caldaro

Vineyard Size: 23ha