



## VINI DEL TERRITORIO

## RIFUGIO

## IGP SALENTO PRIMITIVO ROSSO

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**GRAPE VARIETALS: Primitivo** 

VINEYARD: Saraceni, 4 ha - Veglie (LE).

**SOIL TYPE:** silty loam soil, with good drainage capacity.

**GROWING SYSTEM:** cordon spur and Guyot.

**DENSITY:** 5.000/5.700 plants per ha.

This wine takes its name from an underground shelter where the local inhabitants took refuge during dangerous situations across the centuries. The entire area was called Rifugio which is today particularly suitable for the cultivation of Primitivo grapes.

## PRODUCTION PROCESS

manual harvesting and further selection of the grapes on a sorting table. Stems removal and soft pressing. Maceration for 12 days at 25-28°C. Fermentation in stainless steel tanks at controlled temperature. Maturation in 30 hl oak barrels and refinement in cement tanks.