



GIOVANNI ROSSO



VINTAGE 2023

ETNA BIANCO DOP

The Wine Hunter Award
RED

Vinous Antonio Galloni
93/100

Widly fresh and focused, the 2023 Etna Bianco wafts up with a lovely blend of peach sorbet, mint leaf and white smoke. This is both juicy and refined, with crisp orchard fruits and hints of candied citrus that enliven the palate. Crisp minerality combines with lime and nectarine; the 2023 finishes long and leaves the mouth watering.

Kerin O'Keefe
92/100

Spanish broom, stone fruit, hay and citrus aromas form the delicate but enticing nose on the radiant 2023 Etna Bianco from Giovanni Rosso. Bright and tangy, the racy, savory palate features yellow apple, Bartlett pear, Myer lemon and saline notes alongside vibrant acidity. Showing its Etna roots, it has great energy and mineral tension.

DECANTER
91/100

Etna's north slope, or 'versante nord' is better known for its reds, but there are some really impressive Carricantes being made there too. This example from Davide Rosso is whole-bunch pressed then vinified and aged in steel. It has a distinct richness of lees which gives it a soft and round feel in the mouth, while

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the fresh acidity adds tension and energy. Spicy notes mingle with pineapple, tangerine, peach and white flowers.

The Wine Journal Eros Teboni
90/100

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95/100

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Fresh and clean on the nose, thick and wide, but with such clarity and juiciness - really lovely pink grapefruit, lemon and apple with crushed stone minerality and a touch of spice around the edges. Feels accessible and friendly, almost with a butteriness that gives a slightly thick texture. Round and forward, lots of life to this with gorgeous juicy acidity that really lifts the expression. Great stuff, have chilled with seafood! Ageing in stainless steel tanks for five months on the lees with regular batonnages every week. From 5.5 hectares planted in 1975 in Solicchiata - Montedolce. Davide Rosso direction, Andrea Delpiano winemaker.
Giorgina Hindle

Kerin O'Keefe
92/100

Made mostly with Carricante and a small amount of other local Etna grapes, the lovely 2022 Etna Bianco from Giovanni Rosso opens with delicate aromas of white stone fruit, flint and Mediterranean herb. It's delicious and polished, delivering both ripe apricot, juicy Myer lemon and salty mineral notes while bright acidity lends great tension and freshness. Drink or hold through 2029.

The Wine Journal
92/100

VINTAGE 2021

Wine Advocate
93/100

The Giovanni Rosso 2021 Etna Bianco is a lovely wine with the energy and mineral saltiness to underline its volcanic character. The bouquet starts off elegantly with Sicilian aromas of orange blossom and sweet almond, but the wine's final sensations revert to fresh lemon and crushed stone. Its medium concentration and freshness will serve it well as it continues its bottle evolution.
Monica Lerner

Wine Spectator
90/100

A subtle white, round, creamy and backed by tangy blood orange peel acidity, this offers well-knit notes of nectarine, lemon thyme, fleur de sel and melon that expand slowly on the palate. Drink now through 2025. Bruce Sanderson

Golosaria Paolo Massobrio

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VINTAGE 2019

Wine Enthusiast

93/100

Lightly fragrant and loaded with finesse, this focused white opens with delicate aromas of white spring flower, rosemary, thyme and Mediterranean brush. Smooth and fresh, the palate boasts a weightless, understated elegance that seamlessly offsets ripe yellow pear, juicy Meyer lemon and savory saline notes.
Kerin O'Keefe

James Suckling

91/100

Aromas of chamomile and pears with a stony and chalky edge, as well as dried flowers. The palate has bright, vivid texture with pear, melon and apple flavors.

VINTAGE 2018

Tom Cannavan's Wine Pages

92/100

From a vineyard planted in 1975, this is mainly Carricante with small percentages of other local varieties. Though unoaked, five months sur lie with regular batonnage builds texture and aroma, focused on lemon and crunchy red apples, but with a hint of ozone and of something more ripe and peachy too. Any suggestion of peach is soon blown away on the palate, which streaks with vivid lemon and salts, and although there is very good texture adding mouthfeel and creaminess, its that energising thrust of citrus and salinity that drives the long, focused finish. Tom Cannavan

The Vinepair

97/100, the 50 best wines of 2020

A new-new for Chardonnay lovers. This wine has such a nice kiss of oak while, staying refreshing from the bracing, and I mean bracing, acidity. The refreshment factor here goes to eleven. It's so damn balanced, you may only dole out a few sips to others and save the rest of the bottle for yourself. It's from Sicily, and somehow they captured the sun in this bottle. It's outstanding. Keith Beavers

VINTAGE 2017

Wine Enthusiast

94/100

Top 100 Enthusiast Wines for 2019

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Spanish broom, lemon drop and ripe orchard fruit are just some of the aromas you'll find on this stunning white. The aromas carry to the linear, elegant palate, with additional tones of Meyer lemon, apricot, Mediterranean herbs and salt. Tangy acidity provides balance throughout. Kerin O'Keefe

Wine Spectator

92/100

A ripe, bright, medium-bodied version, with mouthwatering acidity providing fine cut for the baked pineapple, candied ginger, mandarin orange blossom and saline-tinged mineral notes that gain momentum and echo on the finish. A

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VINTAGE 2016

richer approach to young Carricante, but well-balanced and vibrant throughout. Drink now through 2027. AN

Wine Advocate

91/100

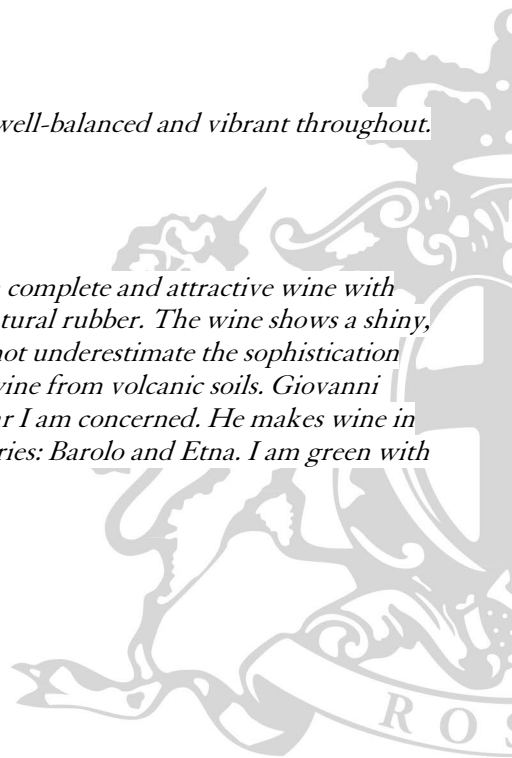
The Giovanni Rosso 2017 Etna Bianco is a complete and attractive wine with bright aromas of peach, lemon zest and natural rubber. The wine shows a shiny, glossy quality that works very nicely. Do not underestimate the sophistication and mild complexity of this pretty white wine from volcanic soils. Giovanni Rosso has hit the Italian wine jackpot as far I am concerned. He makes wine in two of the country's most beautiful territories: Barolo and Etna. I am green with envy. Monica Larner

I Vini di Veronelli

90/100

James Suckling

91/100



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