



	APPELLATION	Thracian Valley, Bulgaria
	GRAPES	100% Rubin - an indigenous Bulgarian red grape variety, created in 1944 through cross-breeding of Syrah & Nebbiolo and considered to be one of the country's best local red grapes.
	VINEYARDS	Over 40 years old vineyard near the village of Brestovitza in the region of Plovdiv in southern Bulgaria. Flat terrain situated in a very close proximity of the northern slopes of Rhodopi mountain. The vineyard is 1.7 hectares and was planted in the beginning of the 1980s. The altitude is 300 m above sea level on light brown forest soils.
	WINEMAKING	Manual grape picking and sorting, cold maceration with the skins for 5-7 days. Spontaneous fermentation and after 2-4 % alcohol, adding selected yeast. Spontaneous malolactic fermentation followed with ageing for 10 months in 40% Bulgarian and 60% French oak barrels.
	TECHNICAL FACTS	ABV 13%, Total Acidity: 4.96 g/l, Residual Sugars: 3 g/l
	COLOUR	Deep dark ruby
	NOSE	Pronounced red fruit, raspberry and black cherry aromas
	PALATE	Elegant medium to full bodied red with medium tannins and intense notes of dark chocolate, spices, vanilla, lovely long finish.
	FOOD MATCH	Beef, venison, game, iberico pork
	PRODUCTION	2174 btls
	DRINKING	2021 - 2026