



Tiziano Tommasi in the cellar

Trentino

SANTA MARGHERITA DI ALA (Province of Trento)

The winter was mild. There were snowfalls in March. From the 20th of May throughout June it was rainy. The weather was then well balanced and good in July, August and September. In August it was cooler with a good day/night temperature range.

Tiziano Tommasi - Azienda La Cadalora (Vallagarina IGT – Rosso, Chardonnay, Gewürztraminer, Pinot Grigio, Pinot Nero, Sauvignon Blanc):
”...2016 is a very important vintage for red and white wines. The sugar content and the acidity of the grapes were good. It is an excellent vintage: the wines are very rich, fragrant and very sapid. The white wines have a good alcohol strength and very good acidity and aroma. The red wines have an intense colour, very fine polyphenols, supple tannins. 2016 can be counted among the great vintages of the last ten years. The grape yield was lower in comparison to the previous vintages, but this favoured the structure and the flavour of the wines. The harvest was later this year, as the flowering phase started later (due to the cool weather in August). We picked the white varieties and Pinot Noir from the 10th till the 20th of

September and we picked the red varieties from the 24th-25th of September till the first week of October. The harvest was very good as there was very little rain from August throughout the month of September, so that the vines continued to “work” well. The grapes were all healthy. I am very happy with the wines...”