

# Istrski rubini Merlot 2013

An inky dark wine with aromas of vanilla and dark berry fruit, overlaid with sandalwood, pencil shavings and chocolate. The palate is remarkably fresh and precise, bright and surprisingly vibrant. There are generous bramble and blueberry notes and grainy but still youthful tannins. This is a very focussed Merlot that carries its alcohol well and still needs time to develop to its full potential, but it could be enjoyed with rich meat and cheese dishes already



## Wine description:

- Variety : 100% Merlot
- Color : Intense ruby color with gentle brick shades.
- Aroma : The extremely complex aromas are dominated by the smell of dark berries, prunes, smoke, vanilla, roasted hazelnuts, tobacco, liquorice and violets.
- Taste : The rich taste takes us from the silky softness with its elegance to the ripe, fruity juiciness of cherries and blackberries, which transitions into pleasant flavors of liquorice, prunes, precious wood and sweet tannins.

Vintage: 2013  
Quantity / Packaging: 0,75 l  
Alcohol level: 14.5 %  
Sugar level: Sec (dry)