



VINI DEL TERRITORIO

# MENDOLA

IGP SALENTO FIANO

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**GRAPE VARIETALS:** Fiano

**VINEYARD:** Felicetta, 1,50 ha – Leverano (LE).

**SOIL TYPE:** medium texture soil, some parts with red soil for the presence of iron oxides.

**GROWING SYSTEM:** Guyot.

**DENSITY:** 5.700 plants per ha.

Mendola is a dialectal term meaning “almond”. Indeed, it was usual to find trees among the rows of the vineyards, like the almond tree, so that the farmers could rest under the shade of their fronds.

## PRODUCTION PROCESS

The grapes, harvested by hand, are cooled in cold storage rooms and selected on a sorting table. Stems removal and soft pressing. Fermentation in stainless steel tanks at controlled temperature and refinement in cement tanks.