



SCHIAVO GRAPPA QUARANTA

Costabissara, Veneto

Headquartered just outside Vicenza in the grappa-rich northeastern Veneto, the historic Schiavo distillery is an artisanal grappa house and, under the direction of 5th-generation proprietor/distiller Marco Schiavo, so much more.

About a half hour from the iconic town of Bassano del Grappa, the village of Costabissara was where entrepreneur Domenico Schiavo began traveling from farm to farm with a mobile still, selling the resulting spirit to inns and wineries in the area. Domenico's son, Giuseppe Schiavo, built the family's first brick-and-mortar distillery in 1887 (about 10 years before Jacopo Poli was founded), and down the family it has continued to Marco, who's equipped with a fleet of antique copper stills to produce a wide range of varietal and aged grappe, crafted from only the most recently pressed grapes.

Style

Fresh, fruity style of grappa distilled to 40% a.b.v. for easier drinking.

Key Ingredients

Pomace of Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot grapes.

ABV

40%

Tasting Notes

Bright, transparent appearance. Aromas of black currant, violet. Smooth, silky mouthfeel followed by a fruity finish.

Producer Website

www.schiavograppa.it

