



## THYMIPOULOS VINEYARDS TRILOFOS –NAOUSSA-GREECE

### URANOS

Name: **URANOS**  
Type: Red dry wine  
Category: P.D.O. Naoussa  
Variety: Xinomavro 100%  
Vintage: 2008  
Producer: **THYMIPOULOS VINEYARDS**

**Vineyards:** The vineyards are located at Trilofos and Fytia, at southern tip of the appellation of Naoussa. The altitude of vineyards is between 180-450m, with a soil, where there are slivers of limestone bedrock and volcanic soils which contribute to making wines of real class. The density of plantation is 3300vines\hectare in the oldest vineyards and 8600vines\hectare in the younger vineyards. The production \ hectare is 8000kg of grapes.

**Microclimate:** It is characterized by cooling winds that blow down from Mount Vermio in the warm summers and by dispersed rainfalls that are marked at all the duration of time.

**Harvest:** Manual harvesting in small picking boxes, on 26 September.

**Vinification Method:** The grapes are handpicked and sorted on a conveyor belt, in order to they are not broken in the tank of vinification. The alcoholic fermentation starts with wild yeast and always with checked conditions. In the end of alcoholic fermentation and the completion of malolactic fermentation, the wine is transported in the oak barrels (225lt ,300lt & 500lt). Bottled unfiltered.

**Ageing:** Fourteen-eighteen months in the oak barrels and six months in the bottle.

**Analytical Data:** Alcohol: 14,0% vol., Total acidity: 6,7 g/l., Residual sugar: 3,4g/l., pH: 3,34

**Tasting Characteristics:** Splendid, purple red colour. Complex, typical bouquet of red small fruits, cherry, blackberry, plum, sun-dried tomato, black olive, vanilla. Full mouth, rounded tannins, balanced acidity. Long and pleasant aftertaste.

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