



## Sustainability Report 2022

OUR IMPACT ASSESSMENT

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We live off the produce of the land and are coming to realise that climate change is jeopardising Italy's vast range of traditional food and biodiversity. Consequently, Perlage and other businesses have committed to achieving carbon neutrality. This far-sighted decision has inspired the third generation of the Nardi family to join the winery's management. The arrival of young faces and fresh ideas reassures us that our traditional values will live on into the future.

Dr. Ivo Nardi Perlage Managing Director and Vineyard Manager

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## INTRODUCTION

### IN 2022

Perlage successfully implemented initiatives to bring about **environmental and social benefits**. Our winery launched new projects along with the previous ones, strengthening our partnerships.

The **new generation** of the Nardi family took over the winery's management, confirming their commitment to the community's benefit.

### THIS SIXTH SUSTAINABILITY REPORT

contains a detailed overview of Perlage's **impact assessment**, written in line with national policy (see Law no. 208 of 2015) regulating **Benefit Companies**.

The Sustainability Report shows the environmental, social and economic results achieved and the improvements made in 2022.

It has 4 focus areas: **GOVERNANCE**, which is concerned with business management, corporate transparency and value creation; **PEOPLE**, which describes our commitment to our employees; **COMMUNITY**, which shows the benefits provided to the local community; and **PLANET**, which presents the winery's environmental impact.

**Bimpact Assessment** is the environmental and social assessment tool used by our winery.

As we do every year, we have associated the **Sustainable Development Goals** (SDGs) of the **UN Agenda 2030** to all impact areas. The 2022 SDGs section of the report compares Perlage's performance with that of similarly sized Italian and international manufacturing businesses, including wineries.

Our sustainability initiatives can be further explored at the end of each section.



Learn more in these sections about the initiatives we are adopting to REDUCE carbon emissions and achieve climate neutrality.



Don't forget to look for this logo to find out more on our CIRCULAR ECONOMY action plan!



Share with us your sustainability ideas or plans at info@perlagewines.com.

We are looking forward to future opportunities and/or projects that reflect our mission!



### GOVERNANCE

### CERTIFICATIONS

Each certification is an opportunity to grow and improve. Consequently, Perlage has implemented strict standards in its various business fields.

Each certification, from the organic one up to the most recent sustainability certification, aims to make changes that are then reflected in the day-to-day running of winery. In this section we have differentiated our certifications into those assessing our overall business management (organisation certifications) and those applied to our wine and wine-making process (product certifications).



### **BIO Certification**

Perlage wines are made from **organically grown grapes** in conformity with European Regulation CE 848/18, therefore no pesticides or chemical fertilisers are used. They are also **CODEX** certified. All Perlage wines contain over 95% bio-products and meet similarly strict conditions for the remaining 5%.

The BIO certification covers the **whole wine supply chain**, from the vineyard to the sale of the wine itself. Ministry-authorised inspection authorities are in turn supervised by the Regions and the relevant Public Authorities, e.g. Italy's Anti-Fraud directorate, Anti-sophistication and Health Unit (NAS).

### **VEGAN** Certification

Perlage wines are produced without animal-derived products. The Vegan certification covers the wine-making process, particularly the clarification phase. When necessary, clarification is carried out using bentonite (clay) and pea protein (plant-based), substituting the more common albumin or gelatine (animal proteins). Fermentation is carried out using yeast without emulsifier 491, an animal by-product.

Perlage's wines are CSQA certified as vegan.

## CERTIFICATIONS



## International Food Standard e Brand Reputation through Compliance (BRC)

**IFS** and **BRC** are **global standards for winery quality and hygiene** which promote the safety, legality and quality of food.

They constitute a systemic inspection on raw materials, finished products, production areas and process resources.

They are certifications generally required by Large Scale Retail Distribution (GDO) with the goal of **guaranteeing customers product safety**.

Agri-Food Safety Certifications (CSQA) is the certification body.



IFS Higher Level Requirements satisfied



**BRC Certification level** On a scale from D (Minimum) to AA (Maximum)

### B CORP<sup>™</sup> Certification

B Corp<sup>™</sup> is issued by the international organisation B Lab and assesses the social and environmental impact of a business with a strict standard: the B Impact Assessment (BIA).
It focuses on 5 impact categories: environment, community, workers, customers and governance.
Being B Corp<sup>™</sup> -approved means joining a global movement of businesses committed to a fairer, regenerative and inclusive economic

model.



Score received On a scale from 0 to 200

## **OBJECTIVES 2022**



### GOVERNANCE

Launch joint projects with other businesses to achieve carbon neutralitye

### **COMMUNITY 1**

"Corporate sustainability in the classroom" project in collaboration with business association Assindustria Veneto Centro

COMMUNITY 2

Complete final stages of 1st Plastic-free Vineyard Project 2019 and continue

### **COMMUNITY 3**

Create a video promoting local poet Andrea Zanzotto, from nearby Soligo

### PLANET

Update carbon and water footprint calculation



Perlage joined Italy's CO2alition, a group of 80 Italian companies collaborating to achieve carbon neutrality.

7 classes from 5 Veneto high schools, involving 147 students and 8 companies in a project to raise awareness of sustainability. The presentation of students' work concluded the project.



Round-up webinar held by environmental services company Contarina Spa, covering the Circular Economy and composting, which the pupils are studying in class.

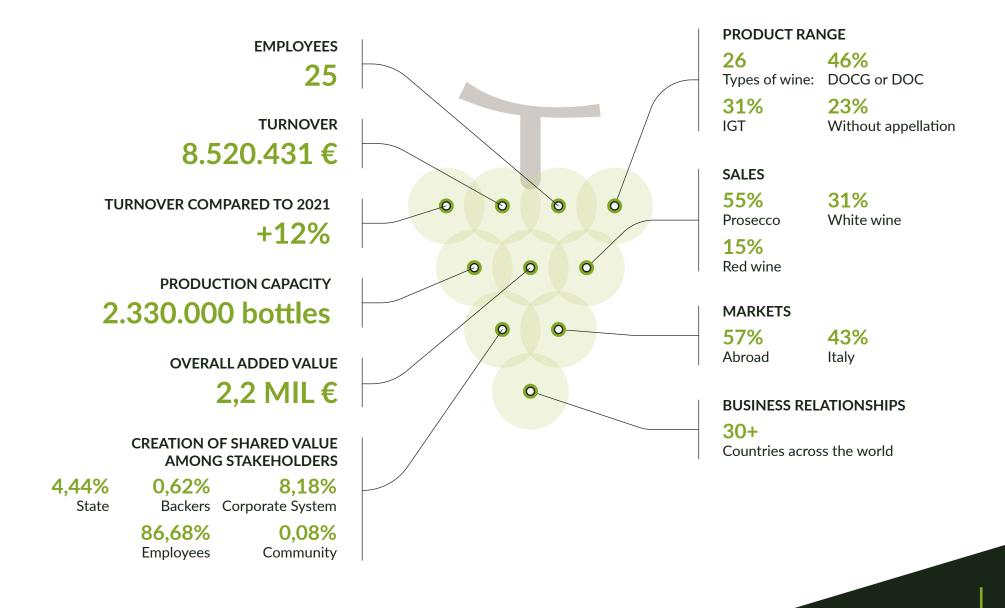


The video showcases his verses on sustainability celebrating the Prosecco hills, listed as a UNESCO World Heritage site.



Perlage joined the Italian Ministry of the Environment's VIVA programme and started collecting data for indicators including 'AIR', which measures Perlage's CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent emissions.

## FIGURES FOR 2022



## AWARDS

In 2022, Perlage wines received several **awards** for their sensory properties, confirming their **excellent quality**. Receiving external feedback helps us improve and rewards our **team**'s daily efforts. Here are some of the international awards we received:



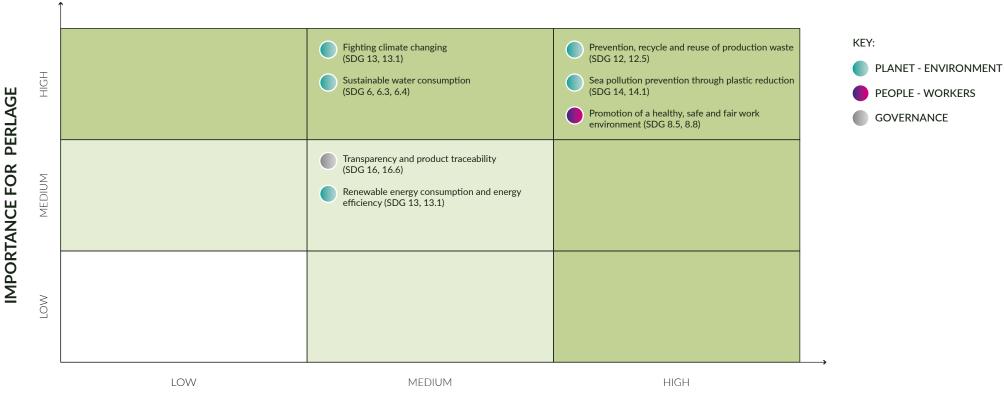
## MATERIALITY ASSESSMENT

Materiality assessment is conducted with periodic surveys, considering both the winery's sustainability needs as well as its stakeholders'.

This enables us to identify intervention areas to prioritise in sustainability action plans.

Each intervention area was then ranked according to LOW, MEDIUM or HIGH relevance.

The assessment published here is currently being updated but can still serve as a reference for business decisions.



IMPORTANCE FOR THE STAKEHOLDER

## **RECOGNITION FOR OUR SUSTAINABILITY PLAN**

### HONOURABLE MENTION "SUSTAINABILITY REPORT AWARD"

Perlage took part in the first edition of the **"Sustainability Report Award"**, created jointly by the Italian newspaper Corriere della Sera, Bologna Business School, and the Italian Association for the Promotion of Culture, Cooperation and Non-Profit (AICCON).

The award evaluates and rewards businesses that can best tell the story of their non-financial commitments and performance.

Food, Fashion and Energy were the sectors examined. A scientific committee judged how the report was drawn up and how transparent, clear and effective it was in communicating the sustainability strategy to all stakeholders.

Bologna Business School researchers developed an evaluation method for non-financial reports based on international accounting frameworks. They selected 15 of the main **Environmental-Society-Governance** (ESG) themes included in the **UN Agenda 2030**.

Each report was evaluated according to their presence, the goals to achieve them, and the metrics used to measure them.

The Honourable Mention said:

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The report is well-structured and clear for the reader. It also presents efficient metrics such as the number of suppliers with environmental or social certifications. Moreover, there are many metrics related to resource recovery by composting and recycling.

## **RECOGNITION FOR OUR SUSTAINABILITY PLAN**

#### AWARD IV NATIONAL FORUM ON CIRCULAR AGROECOLOGY

Perlage brand ambassador Anna Nardi received an award at the National Circular Agroecology Forum organised by the Italian non-profit environmentalist association Legambiente.

The award rewarded the winery's commitment to revolutionising agriculture and promoting good practices.

Held in Rome, the Fourth National Forum focused on organic farming, Italy's supply chains, and environmental, energy and social transition of agricultural models. At the end of the Forum, 10 virtuous companies received awards.

Perlage was rewarded for its commitment to the constant **pursuit of positive economic models** based on innovation using in-vineyard sensors and meteorological control units.

These control units aim to prevent adversities and fungal diseases, now increasingly difficult to manage also due to climate change.

Furthermore, they also highlighted Perlage's sensitivity in proposing vegan and sulphite-free wines, as they best suit the heterogeneous public that is more and more health and environment conscious.



# **INSIGHTS**



COMMITMENT TO OUR EMPLOYEES



## COMMITMENT TO OUR EMPLOYEES

Perlage has always been committed to building a safe and inclusive workplace by paying close attention to employee well-being and team value. Each of us has their own role and is united by a common mission.

Our goal has constantly evolved in accordance with social and cultural changes and group dynamics.



## COST-CONTROLLING TRAINING COURSES

"How to plan economic and financial aspects of a business project" was the central theme of a **training course** taken by a number of employees with the guidance of Sean Wilkinson, financial consultant at Eduforma.

The course focused on laying out a **business plan**, an official document accompanied by metrics designed to measure the success and achievement of a project's milestones, i.e. the main goals on an **objectives map**.

It analysed a range of Perlage projects, including **e-commerce** and **digital customer care**, thus strengthening finance-management skills and access to new alternative and digital forms of financing and/or subsidised finance.

The project was carried out with resources from the Regional Operational Programme (POR) and co-financed by the European Social Fund 2014-2020 of the Veneto Region. Code 2749-0002-497-2021

## "OLISTICANTINA" 2nd edition

This year, employees were once again offered the opportunity to take part in Dynamic Yoga sessions organised and coordinated by Alessandra Marton, Perlage administrative manager and certified shiatsu professional.

"Olisticantina" is a grassroots initiative, as it stemmed from some Perlage employees' interest in starting to take "Dynamic Yoga" classes in 2021. A group of the winery's employees then participated in the course's second edition that took place in the wine cellar. It consisted in challenging, yet relaxing classes designed to promote confidence in oneself and in others, thus benefiting workplace harmony.





Alessandra Marton and Sean Wilkinson - Training course in "Cost controlling' with Eduforma





Winery event "Prosecco fusion"



Winery event "Wines and botanicals"



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## Planet



COMMITMENT TO THE ENVIRONMENT

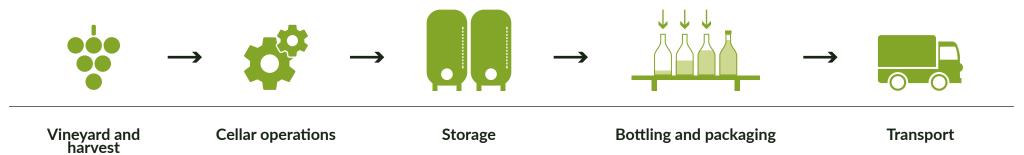
## COMMITMENT TO THE ENVIRONMENT

In 2019, Perlage accepted an invitation from the international **B** Corp<sup>™</sup> movement to pursue carbon neutrality by joining the NETZERO2030 project, after which it aligned with European Union targets.

We are also well-aware that natural resources are limited and that they need to be preserved for future generations.

Therefore, we have adopted sustainable practices throughout our production chain.

Perlage is particularly committed to the Circular Economy, receiving an award in 2020 for its services.





Use of renewable energies: photovoltaic panels



Energy efficiency: new press



Reuse production waste: dregs



Reuse production waste: marc



## COMMITMENT TO THE ENVIRONMENT



TONNES OF WASTE WERE PRODUCED

53% (plastic, paper, glass) was recycled, while the remaining 47% was either incinerated, disposed of in a landfill or treated biochemically.



### <u>aaat</u> TONNES OF SILICONE PAPER WERE OBTAINED from our label spools. Once harvested, the

silicone was employed to produce more paper (e.g. our bottles' back labels) and silicone-based objects (e.g. wine coolers).





+6%

### 42 KG OF CORKS

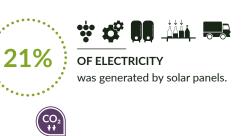
were recycled and delivered to the non-profit organisation "I Sogni" to be turned into design objects ("Divine Cork" project).



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KG OF CONVENTIONAL PACKAGING PLASTIC FILM were saved by using a stretch fibre material.



MORE WATER was used this year, compared to 2021.

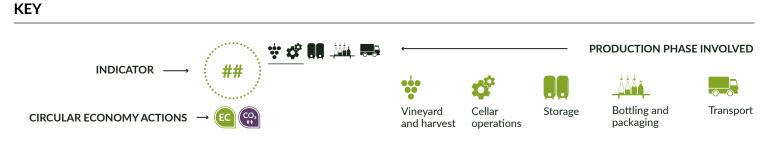


### TONNES OF WINE LEES AND POMACE

were distilled to produce ethanol, natural tartaric acid and grappa.



were composted for the vineyard's soil.



### PLANET

## CARBON NEUTRALITY AT WORK

In 2019 Perlage decided to pursue **carbon neutrality** to face the urgent issue of climate change.

Along with 800 international B Corp enterprises, it joined NETZERO2030, an initiative which raised awareness on the matter.

However, the project was slowed down by the COVID-19 pandemic.

The year 2022 was a turning point for more tangible, structured actions in our pursuit of carbon neutrality.



The **NETZERO2030** project promoted by the B Corp Movement evolved into the **SME CLIMATE HUB**.

This global initiative involves thousands of small- and medium-sized enterprises from more than 100 countries who have committed to halving their emissions by 2030.

The progress of each enterprise is **monitored with a shared tool** that reports the actions implemented.

**SME CLIMATE HUB** is counted in the UN's Race to Zero campaign.



## CARBON NEUTRALITY AT WORK

In 2022, Perlage joined <u>CO2alizione</u>, a project that involves 80 Italian businesses motivated by a common goal: to act concretely against the climate emergency and limit the global temperature increase to within 1.5°C.

Ivo Nardi attended the CO2alizione launching event in Rome and committed Perlage to:

- integrating the **climate neutrality objective** into Perlage's Charter within twelve months of the coalition's launch date.

- signalling its participation by **promoting** the coalition's goals and **taking part** in communication events.
- reporting every year on and publishing the **achieved goals** and the ones to be completed to reach carbon neutrality.
- promoting the coalition and **creating synergy** to reach its goal.

We have contributed on multiple occasions to promoting the coalition both at the winery and during meetings with businesses and stakeholders (e.g. schools and universities).

Since November 2022, CO2alizione Italia has <u>partnered Italy's</u> <u>Sustainable Development Foundation</u>, an influential and historic reference point for strategic and scientific issues in the green economy. By participating in the Foundation's first webinar, "Adding Carbon Neutrality to the Charter", Perlage was able to find out more about changing its charter and the growth of benefit companies.





## "FOR PLANET": OUR WINE FROM RESISTANT VINES

### Organic wine-production focuses on the fungicides and pesticides used.

Unfortunately, they cannot be removed completely, as otherwise we would not be able to grow enough grapes.

Perlage produces its **"For Planet"** wine from the **Bronner** variety, which is a resistant white grape. The wine is mineral, sapid, grassy and persistent.

These varieties (PIWI) are considered resistant since they do not require fungicides and adapt better to climate change.

### **PIWI WINE INDICATOR**

2022			
PIWI vines	0,41 ectars		
Bronner grapes	10.250 kg		
Bronner wine	8.200 liters		



## RECREATING WITH THE ECORETE PROJECT ©

The **circular economy** can be developed for both industrial and artistic aims.

Thanks to the collaboration between **Studio Ricrearti** and **Assindustria Veneto Centro**, a partnership was created with the goal to identify some waste materials.

They are then given a new life creatively, and furniture and design items are made.

This initiative is part of the **Ecorete project**, in which various businesses affiliated with the Confindustria of Treviso sustainability group took part.

As an example, Debora Basei of Studio Ricrearti designed a 73 cm diameter lampshade with about 3000 discarded Perlage muselet caps. The lampshade, together with other creations from the partner businesses, was displayed during the Sustainability Week in Treviso and also in a traveling exhibition which stopped off at local institutions and businesses.



## M'ILLUMINO DI MENO 2022

"M'Illumino di meno" is a national Italian project promoted by Rai Radio 2 and the Caterpillar programme. It has been spreading the culture of sustainability and resource-saving since 2005 with a National Day for Energy Saving and Sustainable Living.

A new theme is presented every year, and in 2022 the invitation was "cycle, **revive and improve your way of life** by wasting fewer resources and increasing your home's **energy efficiency**".

Perlage planted **6 trees** in its historical vineyards in Riva Moretta, namely 1 mulberry tree, 1 cherry tree, 2 ancient apple trees and 2 plum trees.





"I Sogni"

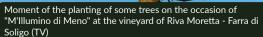




Moment of the planting of some trees on the occasion of "M'Illumino di Meno" at the vineyard of Riva Moretta - Farra di Soligo (TV)









Exhibition of objects regenerated with waste from participating companies during the "Sustainability Week" in Treviso



Official launch event of the "CO2alignment" project in Rome

## Community

### COMMITMENT TO THE LOCAL AREA



## OUR COMMITMENT TO THE LOCAL AREA

In 2022 Perlage distinguished itself for its active role in the local community.

It collaborated with schools and associations by initiating many projects and ventures.

Moreover, our winery is committed to continuously strengthening its business relations with its new and long-standing suppliers and clients.

Following the end of the pandemic, the winery is once again open to the public for events and visits.



ONLINE EVENTS

### "Benefit Companies and B Corp in the Food and Agricultural Industry" webinar

in partnership with the International Chamber of Commerce, Duration 1h30. With special guest Ivo Nardi as speaker.

### "B Corps, sustainable business models and firm strategies for meeting the NetZero goals" webinar

with the participation of Perlage winery, in partnership with the University of Padova, as part of the **European Academy of Management (EURAM) Conference** held at Zurich University – duration 1h30.



## "Wines&Botanicals: when wine meets gin"50 attendees enjoyed DJ Paolo Fornasier's background music while sipping new fresh gin-based beverages.

### "Prosecco Fusion"

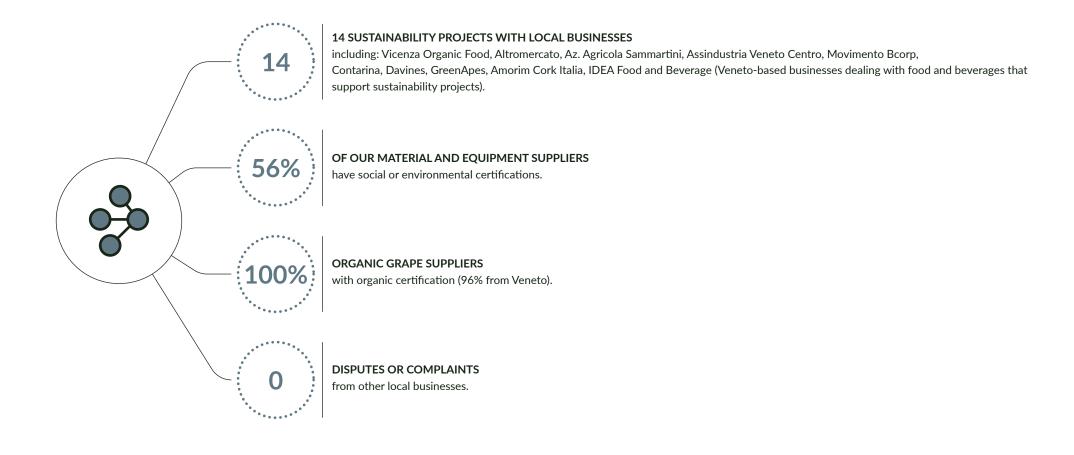
80 participants, a night devoted to Perlage's organic sparkling wines, Japanese Street Food from the Ukiyo restaurant, and the first sake made from 100% Italian rice.



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Facebook	Instagram	Linkedin	YouTube	Website	
11.450 followers	2.714 followers	619 followers	313 subscribers	78.679 Users	

## NETWORKING TO CREATE SUSTAINABILITY

Perlage aims to create networks with other businesses, associations, non-profit organisations and individuals that share the same values to create shared benefits.



## SUSTAINABILITY TRAINING

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Cultivating knowledge has always been one of Perlage's priorities.

Every training opportunity allows growth and the acquisition of new skills as well as the opening of new perspectives and unthinkable contacts.

Training activities are carried out both internally among employees and externally with educational institutions and the citizenry.

For many years now we have been spending ourselves on this area and in particular in the dissemination of topics dear to us such as **sustainability** and **organic farming**, addressing in particular the younger generation.

### STUDENTS

participated in "Business Sustainability at School", a project sponsored and coordinated by Assindustria Veneto Centro. This project is targeted at high schools in order to raise pupils' awareness about a business's social responsibility through the development of sustainability projects, based on a matter suggested by the companies involved.

Total participants: 7 classes from 5 Veneto high schools and 8 companies.

1 class from the "Da Collo" high school in Conegliano, which worked alongside the Perlage winery.

Achievements: 1 presentation webinar about the winery, 2 follow-up webinars with the class to give feedback and follow project-work progress, evaluation of the final projects, and participation in the prize-giving event.

### CLASSES JOINED

the 3-year "Plastic-free Vineyard" project in collaboration with Legambiente and "Cerletti" Wine school, Conegliano. The aim is to find plastic-free alternatives to use in the vineyard. Forty students have now concluded the first edition of the project, with a webinar hosted by Contarina about recycling and composting facilities.

### INTERNSHIPS

totalling 1110 hours and resulting in the reinforcement of business, marketing and wine-making skills.



ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL PROJECTS AND INITIATIVES

brought on in conjunction with public corporations, schools and associations.



BACHELOR'S AND MASTER DEGREE DISSERTATIONS BY STUDENTS AT VARIOUS UNIVERSITIES interested in our sustainable business plan.

### COMMUNITY

### **#UNLOCKTHECHANGE 2022**

Since 2021, Perlage has been supporting the Italian B Corp Movement's **#UNLOCKTHECHANGE** campaign to describe an innovative business model and tell the **positive impact** stories that distinguish these companies.

This new form of brand communication addresses citizens, businesses and institutions. In 2022, the B Corp campaign's initiatives gathered more than 18,000 visitors on the Movement's social networks and <u>website</u>. Themed podcasts were launched, and the B Corp model was promoted online by industry and current affairs experts. In February 2022, the first Italian B Corp Sustainability Report was published.

One of the highlights of the campaign, which was supported by 60 companies, was the painting of an **eco-mural** at the "Silio Italico" middle school in the Fuorigrotta district in Naples.

This district was damaged by the 20th century's industrial pollution. Thus, the artist Zed1 used <u>Airlite eco-paints</u>, a patented technology capable of **neutralising the daily emissions** produced by 79 cars. A combination of art and sustainability was therefore chosen to promote more sustainable cultural and socio-economic models.

The campaign was completed in March 2022 with the launch of **#UnlockEducation**, which is a learning process consisting of 10 video clips on sustainability issues. The project is sponsored by Italy's Ministry of Education and aims to speed up the sustainability process and provide knowledge, skills and tools that will enable new generations to **build a more inclusive**, **sustainable and regenerative economy and future**.





### COMMUNITY

## "SCUOLA MEDIA MANUALITÀ" PROJECT

The project was launched by Confartigianato-Marca Trevigiana, Italy's Ministry of Education, and the schools from the Municipality of Treviso.

Twenty-one pupils from the "A. Martini" middle school were taken on a tour of Perlage where they learnt about **seasonality**, production and the processing of Conegliano-Valdobbiadene DOCG grapes.

The pupils **visited the wine laboratory**, getting to know professionals - such as the winemaker - up close.

The project was then documented in a **photobook** "Essere e fare Veneto – the history of Treviso told through our local food and products", which included photographs of the tour and captions written by the pupils.



# **INSIGHTS**

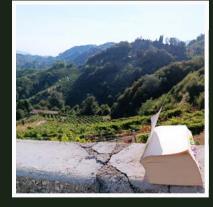
## CONEGLIANO-VALDOBIADDENE IN THE POEMS OF ANDREA ZANZOTTO

As in 2021, a number of Perlage's staff were involved in a project to **promote the local area and Conegliano-Valdobbiadene DOCG** wine through the poetry of Andrea Zanzotto from Pieve di Soligo.

Thanks to some **students from the Brera Academy of Fine Arts**, coordinated by Fabio Zanzotto, a number of **videos** were shot at beautiful characteristic local sites, such as Colle San Gallo, the Collagù sanctuary, and some Refrontolo vineyards from which the Perlage grapes come.

The **beauty** of the backdrop of the hills combined with Zanzotto's verses enriched the participants' experience.









## VISIT TO THE OFFICINA DELLE API (ACTIVATING INNOVATICE PRACTICES)

Officina delle Api is a tailoring, regenerative cuisine and a Plastic-mon-ami<sup>\*</sup> workshop at the Domus Nostra women's shelter in Treviso. The workshop, run by the Congregation of Our Lady of Charity of the Good Shepherd and some employees, hosts women in need with difficult family situations. The Api project involves vulnerable women in empowerment practices, solidarity, promotion and reconciliation, providing worthier life prospects at a personal, working, social, cultural and spiritual level.

Perlage supported this workshop by purchasing 24 rolls (132 m) of Wax fabric used for the production of tailored items. Wax fabric connects hundreds of people from all over Africa and other parts of the world, and it can be easily recognised by its variety of colours and inexhaustible repertoire of motifs. As the project's website states: "Wax speaks: each colour reflects a feeling which, combined with the shapes printed on the fabric, conveys a specific content that evolves according to the moment and is chosen by the wearer to communicate a message".

On 14 March 2022 some representatives of Perlage were taken on a tour of Officina delle Api by its sisters and employees, during which they shared projects and future goals.

\*a Plastic Recycling Machine that turns broken plastic (e.g. caps and bags) into useful items.













Award ceremony for the "Da Collo" Institute class as part of the "Business Sustainability in the Classroom" project



Final moment of presentation of the project-work of the classes participating in the project "Business Sustainability in the Classroom" in Treviso





Formative meeting held by Ivo Nardi to the students of the middle school "A.Martini" of Treviso



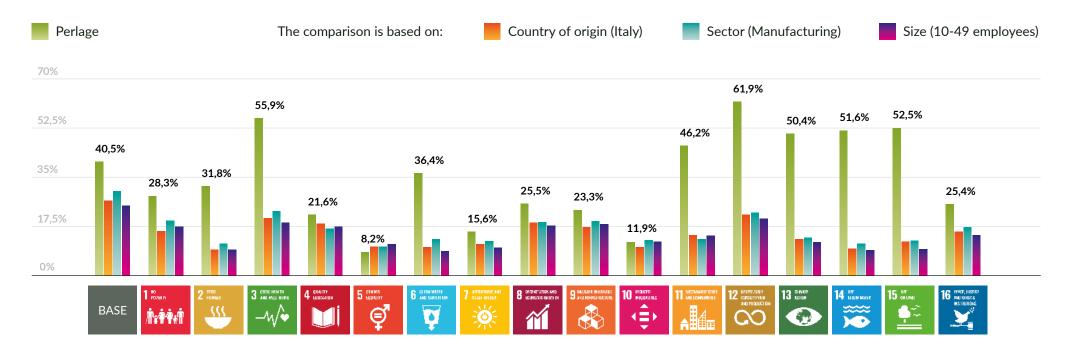
## Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) were stated in September 2015 by the United Nations, and they include 169 wide-ranging targets. They cover many correlated aspects in the 3 areas of economic, social and environmental sustainability.

How does Perlage compare with other businesses, including wineries? In order to answer the question, we carried out a **benchmarking report**, i.e. a comparison of Perlage's SDG performance with other similarly sized Italian and international manufacturing businesses.

The analysis was conducted by using the SDG Action Manager platform, a self-evaluation tool that highlights areas of improvement and strengths in terms of Sustainable Development Goals.

The chart and the table below **compare** Perlage's SDG results **to the performance of other self-evaluated businesses** with SDG Action Manager.



Graph of the performance of Perlage and other companies in terms of SDGs. Each SDG has a maximum score of 100 points.

## Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

The table shows the scores achieved by Perlage and other businesses for SDGs calculated by the SDG Action Manager platform.

SDGs	Perlage	Country	Sector	Employees
Basic module	40.5	26.7	30	24.8
SDG1	28.3	15.7	19.5	17.3
SDG2	31.8	9.2	11.4	9.1
SDG3	55.9	20.3	22.8	18.7
SDG4	21.6	18.4	16.7	17.4
SDG5	8.2	10.2	10.3	11.2
SDG6	36.4	10.0	12.9	8.7
SDG7	15.6	11.1	12.2	9.8
SDG8	25.5	18.8	18.9	17.7
SDG9	23.3	17.2	19.3	18.3
SDG10	11.9	10.1	12.5	12.0
SDG11	46.2	14.4	13.0	14.1
SDG12	61.9	21.7	22.3	20.2
SDG13	50.4	13.0	13.5	11.9
SDG14	51.6	9.5	11.4	9.0
SDG15	52.5	12.0	12.4	9.3
SDG16	25.4	15.5	17.2	14.4

Perlage stands out in its commitment to:

### SDG3

Good Health and Well-Being 🦂 a safe and healthy work environment

### SDG12

Responsible Consumption  $\rightarrow$  promotion of circular economy

### SDG13

Climate Action - lowering carbon footprint

### SDG14

Life Below Water  $\rightarrow$  use of products with no impact on water

### SDG15

Life on Land  $\rightarrow$  adoption of sustainable practices

If you would like to test your business's performance, click here!

## **OBJECTIVES 2023**



**GOVERNANCE 1** Acquire VIVA and B Corp certifications



GOVERNANCE 2 + PLANET 1

Launch plans for reaching carbon neutrality



### **COMMUNITY 1 + PLANET 2**

Participate in awareness and education projects about sustainability in primary and secondary schools



### **COMMUNITY 2**

Foster joint projects with local institutions, associations and companies, with a focus on young generations.



### PEOPLE

Organise and promote more discussions on sustainability and social events for the Perlage team.

## IN LOVING MEMORY OF CLAUDIO NARDI

Claudio was kind, humble and helpful.

He spent his life devoting his efforts to his family, the vineyard, and the winery in partnership with his brothers.

Courteous in his dealings with colleagues, clients and friends, he knew how to create that conviviality of regenerative, pleasurable togetherness which has now sadly come to an end. Thanks to his patience, curiosity and ambition, he knew every last detail about his work. Moreover, he always contributed to Perlage's progress, foreseeing organic farming, as well as technology innovation and environmental sustainability. His was a vision that gave a sense of security to the winery's decisions. This was possible thanks to his essential, thorough and sharp analysis that helped resolve any potential uncertainties. His presence fills every corner of the winery. He personally selected all of its structural and technological investments, and they are still in place today. Every member of the Perlage staff bears in their hearts his training, memory, and a huge void that will be hard to fill. We are immensely grateful for all his hard work, as he leaves behind a thriving hi-tech winery that the third generation of the Nardi family and the entire staff can continue to nurture and grow.

Claudio Nardi (1961 - 2022)

The Perlage Team

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