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Gamaret × Bronner
Released in 2013

Early ripening variety, Divico is adapted to cool to temperate climates. Prolonged maturation is made possible by its excellent resistance to grey rot. Currently the most planted disease-resistant grape variety in Switzerland.

Wines are structured, rich in tannins with little astringency, with fruity and spicy notes.

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Bronner × Gamaret
Released in 2018

Early ripening variety (like Müller Thurgau), Divona is particularly well suited to cool vineyard situations. High yielding potential.

Wines are full-bodied, generous, with an expressive floral bouquet.

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Swiss resistant varieties

Since 1996, Agroscope's breeding program aimed at obtaining, by classical interspecific hybridization, grape varieties resistant to fungi *Plasmopara viticola* and *Erysiphe necator*. Two resistant varieties came out of this program.

Divico and Divona both inherited the following quantitative trait loci for fungus resistance:

- Downy mildew Rpv10, Rpv 3.3
 - Powdery mildew Ren3, Ren9
 - Black rot Rgb1
- + High tolerance to *Botrytis cinerea* (especially Divico)

These varieties are suitable for the production of high quality wines and open new perspectives for an environmentally friendly viticulture with very little phytosanitary treatments.

Agroscope's breeding program continues with a collaboration with the French institute INRAE since 2009 (program ResDur 3).

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