

## Ricotta forte pugliese



## Source

• Puglia

Type of milk

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This is ricotta mixed with a small amount of cream, churned at length and then left to ferment until the cream is smooth and very compact. The production methods are similar to some kinds of Piedmenot 'Bruss'. It is excellent on bread as a snack or an hors d'oeuvre, particularly when accompanied by an equally 'strong' wine.

## **Organoleptic characteristics**

Aspect and texture: rather dense, ivory coloured cream

**Taste:** piquant, strong and intense, slightly acidic with traces of sheep **Serving suggestions:** full bodied, aged, red wines. Apulia round salt

biscuits, pasta without tomato sauces.

## **Technical characteristics**

Milk: sheep and cow's milk curd Production method: artisan Paste: ricotta' cottage cheese

Salting: dry

Ripening: at least sixty days

**Production period:** autumn-spring

Fats: 20% F-Dm Weight: 125 gr

**Dimensions:** glass jars

**Producers:** dairies in Lecce (Apulia)



Allevatore di Formaggi

Whole cheese code: n.d. Cutted cheese code: n.d.