

BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO DOCG RISERVA «VIGNA LE MACCHIARELLE»

From the single vineyard "Le Macchiarelle", planted by Filippo Fanti in 1980, comes the Brunello Riserva, produced only in the best vintages. From the oldest vineyard of the estate arises a wine provided with structure, character and complexity, excellent characteristics given to it also by the combination of soil, exposure and age of the vineyard.

2016 BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO DOCG RISERVA «VIGNA LE MACCHIARELLE»

Grape variety: Sangiovese Vineyards: 2.5 hectares Age of the vines: 42 years Soils: medium texture, rich in galestro and well draining Altitude: 250 m a.s.l. Yield: 30 quintal/hectare

Harvest: manual, third week of October
Vinification: after a manual selection on the sorting tables, the grapes undergo alcoholic and malolactic fermentation for 35 days in stainless steel tanks at a controlled temperature.
Barrel ageing: 24 months in French tonneaux of 500 lt.
Bottle ageing: 30 months.

Alcohol content: 15 % Acidity: 5,1 g/l Sugar content: <0,5 g/l

Tasting Notes:

<u>Color</u>: intense and brilliant ruby red with light garnet nuances. <u>Nose</u>: red fruit and citrus fruit stand out, accompanied by floral notes of violet and rose, and balsamic notes of anise and thyme.

<u>Palate</u>: the entrance is fresh and mineral. In the center it is full, enveloping, and the spicy and balsamic notes recall the aromas perceived on the nose. The tannins are fine and well integrated into the structure, inviting to a further taste. The persistent finish leaves a savory and elegant palate.

Available formats: bottles of 0.750 lt., 1.5 lt., 3 lt., 6 lt., 9 lt., 12 lt.. Packaging: wooden case.

Seasonal weather conditions:

The winter was rainy and cold. The average spring rainfall made it possible to create water reserves to overcome the hot summer months. July, August and September were characterized by excellent temperature variations, with sunny days and cool and breezy nights, which favored the production of perfectly ripe grapes, with high acidity and a nice aromatic potential. Number of stars: five.



SCORES:

98/100 Wine Spectator 95+ Luca Gardini 95/100 James Suckling 95/100 Wines Critic 96/100 Wine Align 93/100 Vinous 94/100 Wine Advocate 91/100 Wein Plus 18/20 Vinum 3 Bicchieri Gambero Rosso

