

PIEMONTE DOC BARBERA 2018

Vine

Barbera 100%

Winemaker's notes

The Barbera grapes have been cultivated in Piedmont since medieval times. Grapes are sound and perfectly ripe, enjoying a high sugar rate and a good acidity which is typical of the Barbera vine. The vintage happens between the end of September and the beginning of October. Grapes are handpicked and put in crates to be brought into the cellar. The destemmer-pressing follows, then the must begins its fermentation with natural lees and on the skin. The following day pumpovers start to extract colour and aroma. The alcoholic fermentation continues slowly for 15 days. Then racking, i.e. the separation of the liquid from the skins, takes place. The wine is kept at a temperature of 20° C for about one month, to favour the malolactic fermentation. After some decanting necessary to make the product clearer, the wine is refined in stainless steel tanks.

Tasting notes

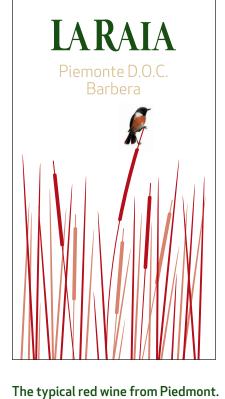
Colour ruby garnet-red, with purplish hints. Intense flower **aroma**, suggesting rose and small brushwood fruits. **Mouthfeel** full, harmonic and warm, with a pleasant, savoury finish. **Alcohol content:** 14,5%

Perfect pairing

Its simplicity and immediacy make it the perfect match for every meal. It is excellent with meat sauces, roasts and medium aged cheese. **Best served:** between 18° and 20° C.

Perfect storage

If stored in a cool dry place, and in the dark, at 10°/18° C, bottles keep unaltered for 4/5 years.



AWARDS

2016 vintage

- Slow Wine 2018, Easy-to-drink wine
- Bibenda 2018, Four Grapes

freshness and acidity.

• Gambero Rosso 2018, Two Black Glasses

It has the right balance between

• Go Wine. Cantine d'Italia 2018, Worth to taste

2015 vintage

- Bibenda 2017, Three Grapes
- I vini di Veronelli 2017, Two Stars
- Vinibuoni d'Italia 2017, 2 Stars

2014 vintage

- Slow Wine 2016, A good red of the vintage
- I vini di Veronelli 2016, One Star
- Gambero Rosso 2016, Two Glasses
- Annuario dei migliori vini italiani, 87/100

2012 vintage

• I vini di Veronelli 2015, Excellent wine



