## COTARELLA



**GRAPES** CABERNET SAUVIGNON 70%, CABERNET FRANC 30% PRODUCTION ZONE MONTECCHIO SURFACE OF THE VINEYARD 12 HA ALTITUDE OF THE VINEYARD 350 METRES ABOVE THE SEA LEVEL TYPE OF SOIL SEDIMENTARY, RATHER CALCAREOUS TRAINING SYSTEM SPUR CORDON DENSITY OF VINES 7.000 PFR HA PRODUCTION PER HECTARE 4.000 KG YIELD OF GRAPES INTO WINE 50% AVERAGE AGE OF VINES 12 YEARS



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HARVEST TIME FIRST WEEK OF SEPTEMBER CABERNET FRANC, THIRD WEEK OF SEPTEMBER CABERNET SAUVIGNON VINIFICATION MACERATION ON THE SKINS FOR 14 DAYS, WITH LOST OF HAND PRESSINGS. MUST EXTRACTION  $25\,\%$ ALCOHOLIC FERMENTATION IN STAINLESS STEEL MALOLACTIC FERMENTATION TOTALLY CARRIED OUT IN BARRIQUE **AGEING** IN NEVER AND TRONCAIS BARRIQUES FOR **18** MONTHS ALCOHOLIC 14,60% TOTAL ACIDITY 5,00 GR/LT SUGARS 39,00 GR/LT

## THE GRAPES AND THE VINEYARD

In our estate we have singled out end selected a plot having the ideal characteristics as to exposure and composition of the soil for the production of a great unblended Cabernet Sauvignon.

## THE VINIFICATION

The techniques in the vineyard and the green harvest are focused on reducing the production of grapes to 0,57 kilos per vine.

We selected one by one all the grapes that we pick before starting the vinification. During this process 20% of the must is extracted and the rest goes through a long maceration which extends beyond the fermentation itself.

## THE WINE

PH 3,78

The distinctive of Cabernet Sauvignon are clearly expressed especially when every single aspect, soil, climate and technology, helps enhancing them. The wine has a deep colour, a complex and warm bouquet with hints of ripe blackberries.

Its taste is ample and spicy with assertive yet graceful tennins.