



CASTELLO DI BOLGHERI®

— AZIENDA AGRICOLA —



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DOC BOLGHERI SUPERIORE

2011

Castello di Bolgheri is made with a selection of grapes from our 20-year old vineyards located in the surrounding areas of Bolgheri and facing the Tyrrhenian sea.

BLEND

55% Cabernet Sauvignon

20% Merlot

18% Cabernet Franc

7% Petit Verdot

HARVEST

Iniziata con la raccolta del Merlot, nella seconda metà di settembre raccolto il Syrah e Cabernet Franc, a fine mese Cabernet Sauvignon e Petit Verdot. Uve provenienti dalle parcelle più ricche di scheletro ed argilla, che sono anche quelle più prossime al paese.

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VINIFICATION

Very long maceration by the Cabernet Sauvignon, and high peak temperatures (30 degrees). Just after the fermentation we've put the wines in barrel, about 30% new oak (Rhone and Burgundy barrels)

AGING

Aging took place in barriques the first 12 months and 500 liters for the next 12 months.

CLIMATE

The 2011 summer was very constant, dry climate and temperature raised till 33 degrees, condition that allowed a good ripeness process, high concentration in sugar, but as well tannins, acidity and color.

TERROIR

SOIL

Calcareous with pH 8, mix of Clay-sand-limestone. Dark brown color

PRODUCTION AREA

Vineyards are placed on a hill at 70m over the sea level. Oriented to the sea full sun from the morning towards the evening

DENSITY PLANTATION

6.500 plants/hectare

YIELD

6500 kg/hectare

AWARDS

Gambero Rosso
2 bicchieri rossi

Wine Spectator
92 pts

Wine Advocate
91 pts

Falstaff
93 pts

I vini di Veronelli
93 pts

Decanter
96 pts

Wine Enthusiast
91 pts

James Suckling
92 pts

Le guide de l'Espresso
17 pts

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