CASTELLO DI BOLGHERI®

AZIENDA AGRICOLA



VARVÀRA

DOC BOLGHERI

2016

The name Varvàra is in honor of Baroness Varvàra Wrangler, wife of Count Ugolino della Gherardesca and great-grandmother of Count Federico Zileri Dal Verme, the current owner. This wine was born from the desire to develop a more immediate product while continuing to give importance to the fruit.

BLEND

60% *Cabernet Sauvignon*

20% *Merlot*

15% *Cabernet Franc*

5% *Petit Verdot*

From this vintage we have introduced the Cabernet Franc that seams the ideal partner in marriage Cabernet Sauvignon-Merlot. The bouquet turn to more spicy-refreshing notes, on same full-bodied exciting taste.

HARVEST

Handpicked grapes, selected again before the destemming.

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VINIFICATION

Delicate process mainly trough pump over of the juice. The maceration in 2016 was quite long.

AGING

12 months in 500 liters Barrels.

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 towards the sea, full sun from the morning to the evening

DENSITY PLANTATION
6500 plants/hectare

YIELD
7500 kg/hectare

AWARDS

Wine Spectator
94 pts

Wine Advocate
92 pts

Falstaff
90 pts

James Suckling
94 pts

Wine Enthusiast
90 pts