CASTELLO DI BOLGHERI
AZIENDA AGRICOLA



VARVÀRA

DOC BOLGHERI

2017

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*
10% *Cabernet Franc*
10% *Petit Verdot*

From 2016 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

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
90 pts

Wine Advocate
92 pts

Falstaff
91 pts

Wine Enthusiast
90 pts

James Suckling
91 pts