



I BALZINI



SANGIOVESE - MERLOT - CABERNET SAUVIGNON

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IGP Toscana



*Pairings:
wild game, roasted meats,
medium-aged and aged
cheeses.*

THE WINE

A wine of great aromatic complexity, with red and blackberry notes followed by minty and spicy notes. Light scents of nutmeg, licorice, and cinnamon. Wonderful in terms of structure, with a thick tannin texture, robust, and elegant. Well balanced with a long aromatic aftertaste.

FERMENTATION

Harvesting when the grapes are mature. Fully destemmed. Vinification with indigenous yeasts in stainless steel vats with no temperature control for 15 days. Six-month- long aging in used, medium-toasted French oak barriques. Longer aging in bottle

WINEMAKER'S NOTE

The dark red and black grapes of Cabernet and Merlot deepen this wine while also rendering it swift. A wine with structure and maturity.

TASTING NOTES

- **Colour**
Ruby red with light purple highlights.
- **Aroma**
Harmonious and wide bouquet. Hints of cranberry, blackberry, cherry and red suits followed by balsamic notes.
- **Taste**
Good structure and direct. Roundly balanced with a fine aftertaste.

SERVING SUGGESTIONS

Elegant blend, great aroma and pleasurable taste.

TERROIR

Pliocenic origin, sedimentary strata with yellow sands and clays. Significant presence of marine fossils.

MICROCLIMATE

Temperate - hot climate. Average to high rainfall, cold winters and warm - hot summers with sunny sunsets.

SUN EXPOSURE

South - West. Vineyards running north-south.

VINEYARD WORK

Soil work alternating with natural grass covering, and cordon pruning with a few spurs and with a low number of buds per plant. We perform crop thinning during the growing season and a final selection during harvesting. Grapes are hand-picked and placed into small cases, moved to the cellar, and further selected with a conveyor belt at pressing.

