

LA GANGHIJA

GIACOSA BARBARESCO DOCG

This Barbaresco comes from the oldest La Ganghija Nebbiolo vineyard, planted in the Giacosa cru in 1952. The soil here is very rich in marl and clay, contributing to very structured wines with thick tannins. A traditional winemaking technique (long maceration on the skins, and manual punching down) is able to develop a classic, balanced and elegant wine, with a long aging potential of at least 20-30 years. Giacosa is also the fraction of the Treiso village where the Rapolino family comes from.

TASTING NOTE



Intense ruby red color with garnet hues.
The nose is very intense and rich, with aromas of ripe red fruits, like cherry and currant, together with sweet spices and light tobacco. Warm, full-bodied on the palate, with great balance, pleasant minerality, and a long, fruity and spicy finish.



FOOD PAIRINGS

Excellent with elaborate first courses, especially with meat sauce, truffles, or porcini mushrooms. Ideal with roasted and braised meat, white meat, game, and aged or strong cheeses.



VINEYARD & PRODUCTION INFO

Vineyard location: Giacosa single vineyard
Vineyard size: 0,6 Ha
Soil composition: calcareous and clayish with sandy streaks
Training method: Guyot
Elevation: 410 m asl
Vines/hectare: 5.000/Ha
Exposure: Southwest
Vine age: 71 y, planted in 1952
Harvest time: beginning of October
First vintage: 2015
Production: 3.300



WINEMAKING & AGING

Varietal composition: 100% Nebbiolo
Fermentation container: stainless steel tanks
Length of fermentation: 10-12 days at 26-28°C
Maceration technique: on the skins for 60 days with manual punching down
Type of aging container: French oak casks of 25 HI
Length of aging: 24 months
Length of bottle aging: 8-10 months



TECHNICAL DATA

Alcohol: 14,5 %
Residual sugar: 5,52 g/L
Acidity: 0,7 g/L
Dry extract: 31 g/L



PRODUCER PROFILE

Estate owned by: Rapolino Family
Winemaker: Enzo Rapolino
Total acreage of wine: 7 Ha
Winery production: 45.000 bottles
Region: Piemonte



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