



# SORDO

## BAROLO

### DENOMINAZIONE DI ORIGINE CONTROLLATA E GARANTITA VILLERO



Villero is one of the mentions divided up into the largest number of different vineyards in the municipality of Castiglione Falletto and one of the most important.

#### **Municipality of production**

Castiglione Falletto

#### **Grape Variety**

100% Nebbiolo

#### **Aspect**

South-west

#### **Altitude (a.s.l.)**

230-350 m

#### **Soil**

Clayey, calcareous, composed of bluish grey marl and compact gray sand deep down from the Langhian Stage of the Miocene Epoch.

#### **Training system**

Upwards-trained vertical-trellised with traditional Guyot pruning.

#### **Age of the vineyard (years)**

30

#### **Plant density**

4,000 plants

#### **Cropping level per hectare**

75/80 ql grapes

#### **Processing**

Crushing/destemming, vinification with fermentation in stainless steel temperature controlled vats with long submerged-cap maceration for 4 to 7 weeks, depending on the vintage. Natural malolactic fermentation at temperature 20°C. Storage in stainless steel for 2/4 months.

#### **Ageing**

24 months in Slavonian oak barrels

#### **Refinement**

4/6 months in stainless steel and minimum six months in the bottle

#### **Alcohol by volume**

14.5% Vol (based on the vintage)

#### **Acidity**

5.4 g/l

#### **Sugars (Reducers)**

0.3-0.5 g/l

#### **Organoleptic characteristics**

Wine with a nice bright color and captivating nuances that endure over time, perfectly bright. An ever intense bouquet, rich and lingering with hints of licorice, mint, and sensations of ripe fruit. Floral nuances and tobacco exalt the bottle-aging aromas. On the palate it is warm and caressing. This said, it is certainly a generous, prestigious, and ageable wine.

#### **Serving temperature**

16°-18°C

#### **Recommended pairing**

Excellent with roasts, game

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