BARBERA D'ALBA DOC 2021 SUPERIORE Armujan

PODERE RUGGERI CORSINI

TYPE: DRY RED WINE

AREA: LANGHE - MONFORTE D'ALBA (CN)

VARIETY: BARBERA 100%

Wine obtained from our estate Barbera grapes.

Alcohol: 15.11 % by vol.

Total acidity: 6.73 grams per liter Net dry extract: 32.4 grams per liter Total sulphurs dioxide: 73 mg/L

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE VINEYARD

SITE: Monforte d'Alba SURFACE: 1.5 hectares

ALTITUDE: about 420/480 meter

EXPOSURE: South-West SOIL: clayey calcareous

CANOPY SYSTEM: Guyot VSP DENSITY: 5000 plants/hectare

AGE OF THE VINEYARD: 75 – 65 years

HAND PICKED

2021 PRODUCTION:

13.534 bottles 0.75 L 163 bottles 1.5 L

ENOLOGY

Vinification starts after a manual harvest in crates with immediate stalk removal, followed by four pump overs a day for the first week. Maceration lasts twelve days.

After the racking, decantering and the malolactic fermentation have occurred, the wine is then put to stand in wood including both different aged French barriques and large Slavonian oak barrels for eighteen months. Bottled in April 2023. Bottle aged 3 months prior to release.

TASTING NOTE

Armujan is our pride and joy: alongside the Barolo Bussia Corsini DOCG, this wine is highly appreciated and recognized by international oenology journals. It's a wine that can be drunk young or be put to age for eight – ten years. It's ruby-red in color. His nose is fresh, with soft scents of ripe plum.

FOOD PAIRINGS

It should be served at a temperature between sixteen and eighteen degrees and is ideally paired with pasta dishes with rich meat sauces, meat, game, cheese and cold meats.