



# **Negroamaro**



# VINTAGE

2011



# APPELLATION

Salento IGT



## AREA

Salento, Puglia



#### **GRAPES**

Negroamaro



## ALCOHOL LEVEL

13%



## SERVING TEMPERATURE

64°F



## **BOTTLE SIZE**

750 ml

#### VINIFICATION

The grapes are machine harvested, pressed and de-stemmed. Skin contact lasts about eight days and, during this time, the wine acquires depths and color. Following fermentation, 90% of the wine is aged for 12 months in 6,000 liter Slavonian botte and 10% in 350 lt Tonneaux, followed by 3 months of aging in the bottle.

#### **COLOR**

Ruby-red in color.

#### BOUQUET

Bright strawberry and cherry with notes of violet, pepper and cocoa powder.

### PALATE

Robust and medium bodied revealing vibrant fruit, fresh cracked pepper and exotic spice that leads to chewy tannins and a mineral rich finish.

#### **FOOD PAIRINGS**

A variety of antipasti, rich pasta dishes, grilled meats and spicy sauces.

