



Barbera d'Asti



VINTAGE

2012



APPELLATION

Asti DOCG



AREA

Asti, Piedmont



GRAPES

Barbera



ALCOHOL LEVEL

13,5%



SERVING TEMPERATURE

61°- 64°F



BOTTLE SIZE

750 ml

VINIFICATION

95% of the grapes are machine harvested while the remaining 5% are handpicked due to the slope of the vineyard. It's then aged for 8 months. 80% is aged in 6,000 liter Slavonian botte and 20% is aged in 1st, 2nd and 3rd year tonneaux, stored in stainless steel for 3 months, followed by 6 months in bottle.

COLOR

The wine has a bright ruby-red color with a purple hue.

BOUQUET

The nose shows classic Barbera character with dark fruits, rose petals, subtle earth and exotic spices.

PALATE

The palate is medium bodied revealing juicy red fruit and powdered mocha that leads to substantial but polished tannins. Beautiful mineral notes linger on the long finish.

FOOD PAIRINGS

A perfect match with pappardelle with lamb sauce, fresh lasagna, braised chicken, lentils with chicken sausage and aged cheese.

