

NERO D'AVOLA

Sicilia DOC

Prince of the enological re-birth of Sicily, the Nero d'Avola is a very important native varietal. Initially found in Siracusa, it is now found in all of the wine-making areas of the island.

PRODUCTION AREA

Sambuca di Sicilia, in the province of Agrigento, where rich, mature, and structured Nero d'Avola is obtained. It prefers clay-like terrain and is very sensitive to excessive dryness and too much exposure to sunlight. The type of farming is "Espalier", used with an average density of planting where there are 4500 plants per 2.5 Acres.

VINIFICATION

100% Nero d'Avola. The sustainably grown Nero d'Avola is harvested in the first week of September once the grapes reach ideal polyphenolic maturation. Destemming and alcoholic fermentation occurs in contact with the skins for six to eight days at 22-24°C. Malolactic Fermentation occurs with select yeast. The wine is matured for six months in French oak barriques.

CHARACTERISTICS

Colour:

Deep ruby-red with violet reflections.

Bouquet:

Intense with notes of currant, wild strawberries, and pomegranate.

Flavour:

Soft and velvety texture. Distinct characteristics of freshness and fruitiness come forth.

ALCOHOL CONTENT

13%

PAIRINGS

Pairs

well with pizza, risottos, baked pasta, lamb, BBQ, and savoury cheeses. For its pleasant structure and intense aromaticity, this Nero d'Avola pairs especially well with typical Sicilian dishes such as Pasta alla Norma, roasted vegetables and dishes featuring smoked ricotta cheese.

SERVING TEMPERATURE

16-18°C



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RATINGS

FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 19 - I migliori vini italiani (Luca Maroni) - 2021
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 17 - 92 pts - Ultimate Wine Appraisal - 2020
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 17 - Bronze - International Wine Challenge - 2019
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 17 - Bronze /2 - Sommelier Wine Awards - 2019
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 18 - Silver - Mundus Vini - 2019
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 17 - Silver - Japan Wine Challenge - 2019
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 17 - Gold - Berliner Wein Trophy - 2018
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 17 - Gold /2 - Mundus Vini - 2018
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 16 - silver - Japan Wine Challenge - 2018
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 15 - Gold - Berliner Wein Trophy - 2017
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 15 - Gold - Sommelier Wine Awards - 2017
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 16 - Gold - Berliner Wein Trophy - 2017
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero D'avola 14 - Gold /2 - Gilbert & Gaillard International Competition - 2016
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 15 - Silver - China Wine & Spirits Awards - 2016
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 15 - Silver /2 - Mundus Vini - 2016
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 14 - Gold - Mundus Vini - 2015
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 13 - SILVER - AWC Vienna 2014 - 2014
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 13 - bronze - Decanter Asia Wine Awards - 2014
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero D'Avola 12 - Bronze - International Wine & Spirit Competition - 2014
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero D'Avola 12 - Silver - Concours Mondial de Bruxelles - 2014
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero D'Avola 13 - Bronze/2 - Japan Wine Challenge - 2014
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero D'Avola 13 - Gold - Berliner Wein Trophy - 2014
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero D'avola 13 - Silver/2 - Mundus Vini - 2014
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero d'Avola 11 - Silver - International Wine & Spirit Competition - 2013
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero D'Avola 10 - Gold - Berliner Wein Trophy - 2012
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero D'Avola 10 - Gold/2 - Monde Selection - 2012
FEUDO ARANCIO Nero D'Avola 11 - Gold - Berliner Wein Trophy - 2012