

CANALICCHIO DI SOPRA®

MONTALCINO



Rosso di Montalcino

DENOMINAZIONE DI ORIGINE CONTROLLATA

2018

Produced mostly from our youngest vineyards, it represents our calling card for Canalicchio di Sopra wines: a young, fruity, and versatile expression of our Sangiovese. The first vintage was produced in 1975 when it was still called Red Wine from Brunello vines.

Wine type

DOC

Altitude

Average altitude of 300 meters above sea level

Training System

Cordon trained and spur pruned

Grape variety

100% Sangiovese

Soil type

The Rosso di Montalcino "Canalicchio di Sopra" mainly comes from the vineyards located in the **Canalicchio Cru**, in a soil with marked clay component, very rich in intermediate elements such as magnesium, iron and Manganese. In some vintages a small percentage of the grapes can come from **Montosoli Cru**, where the presence of marl guarantees sapidity and minerality.

Vinification

In steel vats by controlling the temperature and with daily soft pumping over. Maceration on the skins for 15-20 days

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Vineyards

Youngest vineyards located in Canalicchio Cru

First year of production

1975

Alcohol content

14,00%

Winemaker Notes

FRESHNESS

The Rosso di Montalcino Doc 2018 "Canalicchio di Sopra" is the result of a cool and slightly rainy vintage that saw the arrival of winds from the north in the final part of the season which guaranteed excellent ripening and helped to concentrate the fruit while leaving the identity of a vintage of extreme elegance and length on the wines. From a vintage like this comes an extremely territorial wine characterized by a marked floreality. Acidity and minerality are the balancing pivots of this wine which due to its characteristics is an extremely gastronomic wine, and with great aging potential, especially in large formats.

Freshness, versatility, vibration, silkiness, length: these are the words to describe this wine

Aging

12 months in Slavonian Oak Barrels (50 hl and 25 hl), and French oak barrels (750 liters)

Production

37745 Bottles by 750 ML

1016 Bottles by 1500 ML

36 Bottles by 3000 ML