

TENUTA BELGUARDO 2015

Made with Cabernet Sauvignon and a small percentage of Cabernet Franc grapes, this powerful and elegant wine is the most important "Cru" of the Estate, the maximum expression of its native "terroir".

Appellation: Maremma Toscana Rosso DOC

Winery: Belguardo

Winery location: Loc. Montebottigli - Commune of Grosseto

Grape varieties: 85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 15% Cabernet Franc

Alcohol: 14,65% vol. **Total acidity:** 6,14%

Vineyards location: 70-130 m (230-426 ft) a.s.l.; S-SW exp.

Soil: Mainly Sandstone

Vineyards age: 18 years

Training system: Spur cordon-training and Guyot

Nr. of vines per hectare: 6,600

Harvest: Hand picked from Sept. 17th (Cabernet Franc),

September 22nd (Cabernet Sauvignon)

Fermentation temperature: 28 - 30° C **Period of maceration:** 16 days

Ageing: 18 months in small french oak barrels

(225 lt / 70% new)

Bottling: June 2017

Available on the market:

Production:

January 2018
25,000 bottles

Formats: 750 ml - 1,5 lt - 3 lt - 6 lt - 12 lt

First vintage: 2000

Ageing potential: Over 20 years

Key descriptors: Full and seductive body, dark spice flavors,

enveloping and long taste

Food pairing: Aged cold cuts, steaks, mildly spicy foods,

middle aged cheeses



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