MAXIMA <u>PIEMONTE</u> DENOMINAZIONE DI ORIGINE CONTROLLATA <u>PINOT NERO</u>



Grapes: 100% Pinot Nero. Altitude: 300 m. above s.l. Soil: calcareous - marly. Training system: Guyot. Plant density: 5200 plants per hectare. Production per hectare: 50 quintals. Grape to wine yield: 65%. System of vinification: cold maceration on the skins for 4 - 5 days.

Alcoholic fermentation: in stainless steel at 20 - 22 °C. Malolactic fermentation: completely done in oak. Maturation: 15 - 18 months in tonneaux & big oak casks, then in bottle for at least 15 months. Color: deep ruby red.

Bouquet: complex, very elegant and intense bouquet, with the note of currant, black cherry, fresh red fruits and a floreal violet ,immediate and well perceptible. **Taste:** in the mouth the wine releases all of its elegance, very structured, with fine tannins and well polished, a balanced minerality and a pleasant final freshness. This Pinot Noir shows great complexity suitable for long aging.

Alcoholic degree: 14.5% vol. Total acidity: 5.60 g/l. pH: 3.52. Dry extract: 26.2 g/l.

Serving temperature: 16 - 18 °C. Master winemaker: Riccardo Cotarella. Winemaker: Daniele Carboni.



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