## Ttaly, DOC Barbera del Monferrato | 2021

## MARAIA BARBERA DEL MONFERRATO

## "A tasty Barbera"

Compared to the other red variety in the region, Nebbiolo, the Piedmontese Barbera variety produces, more easily approachable wines, softer, but also generous and tasty wines if produced well. Maraia is made from Barbera grapes, from Monferrato. This is one of the most famous wine regions in Italy, which also includes the regions of Asti and Alessandria.

The aristocratic tale of Marchesi di Barolo begins two centuries ago in the heart of the town of Barolo. Marquis Carlo Falletti, alongside his French noblewoman wife, began producing wine on the estate. Generations later, in 1929, Pietro Abbona acquired the winery. To this day, the Abbona family owns the estate, which includes not only the central cellars but also 200 hectares of vineyards in the Langhe, Roero, and Monferrato regions. Within the cellars lies a wine library boasting 30,000 bottles, including aged Barolos. The aristocratic history demands royal quality, yet modern times bring their own challenges: the requirement for sustainability, modern technology, and today's wine preferences, which do not favor oxidized, woody, or heavy wines. Adding to this is the fact that wines bearing the names Barolo and Barbaresco are never inexpensive. The philosophy of the estate is encapsulated in two words: expertise and respect. Expertise encompasses all knowledge about each vineyard plot, their grapes, growth, and stages. Respect signifies how diligently the quality of the raw material is preserved and elevated during the winemaking process.



SUGAR CONTENT

**AROMA** The scent with succulent berries is reminiscent of currants, sour cherries, cranberries, fresh plums and spices

TASTE Medium-bodied with medium tannins. The taste is true to the aromas on the nose, the acid structure makes the wine very lively, the taste is supple and nuanced. Long finish with lingering cranberry and lingonberry aromas

TIPS FOR USE Quality Barbera pairs well with various meat dishes, for strong cheeses, for pizza and pasta, for savoury snacks and stews.

Red wines 6 bottle(s) **WINE TYPE PACKAGE SIZE** Barbera 100% Natural cork **GRAPES BOTTLE CLOSING** Marchesi di Barolo

0.75 1 **MANUFACTURER BOTTLE SIZE** PRODUCT NUMBER 185002 ALCOHOL CONTENT 14,5% 0,7 g/I

Norex Responsibility Indicator: Marchesi di Barolo

Norex requirements	Good	Very good	Excellent
Environmental friendliness		78 %	
器 Social responsibility	92 %		
Administrative accountability	74	1 %	

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