

"I Perazzi" Sangiovese DOC Maremma Toscana

I Perazzi, the foundation of the La Mozza winery, was created to be unlike most typical Sangiovese. The blend, which includes Mediterranean varieties, is more expressive and better demonstrates the potential of Maremma's terroir. I Perazzi is named after the pear-like fruit that grow on our estate and are depicted on the label.

GRAPE VARIETIES 85% Sangiovese 5% Syrah, 5% Alicante 2% Colorino, 3% Ciliegiolo

TASTING NOTES

Juicy dark fruit mingles with spice and licorice on the palate. The bright, ripe cherry and soft texture makes this a natural match with fresh Mediterranean flavors and dishes.

GREAT WITH Tomato-based pastas. Pizza. Roast turkey and pork. Barbecue.

VINIFICATION

Indigenous yeasts and longer than usual maceration period (15 - 20 days).

30% of the wine is aged in used French barriques for 6 months

VINEYARD LOCATION Magliano in Toscana in the Maremma Toscana DOC

SOIL TYPE Rocky, with limestone and rich with minerals "...sexy, juicy... loaded with fruit, underbrush, smoke and licorice nuances... plump frame... an outstanding value."

VINE TRAINING SYSTEM Guyot

VINES PER HECTARE 6000

AVERAGE AGE OF VINES 10 years

PRODUCTION approx. 10,000 twelve bottle cases

WINEMAKERS Gabriele Gadenz, Maurizio Castelli

