

ARNIONE

Bolgheri Doc Superiore

A circle enclosing perfection

A wine with an unmistakable, elegant, refined identity, synthesis and summa of the perfection of each plot at Campo alla Sughera, from which we harvest and vinify the best grapes. A blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Petit Verdot and Cabernet Franc that reveals the pleasant complexity of Bolgheri with each sip, the freshness of the sea and the structure of its mighty hills. It ages for 18 months in oak barriques and tonneaux and then continues with a further refinement in the bottle for at least 24 months

PRODUCTION AREA Campo alla Sughera, Bolgheri	HARVEST Manual in 15kg crates	AWARDS 2003 93/100 Wine Advocate 93/100 Vinum	2014 94/100 James Suckling 97/100 Decanter
BLEND Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Merlot, Petit Verdot	VINIFICATION 20 - 25 days in stainless steel at a controlled temperature of 28 - 30 °C	2008 94/100 Wine Enthusiast	2015 96/100 I Vini di Veronelli 94/100 Robert Parker Wine Advocate
SOIL Sandy-clayey, alluvial	AGING 18 months in barriques and 24 months in the bottle	2008 93/100 Wine Spectator	2015 93/100 James Suckling
VINE TRAINING Spurred cordon	SERVING TEMPERATURE 20 °C		
PLANT DENSITY 9500 vines/ha			

SENSORY NOTES

Dense ruby red, the nose expresses a great and deep aromatic complexity, with balsamic notes of eucalyptus, bitter orange, black cherry, ripe strawberry, complemented by a whiff of Mediterranean scrub and spices. In the mouth it is extremely elegant, fine, structured and soft, pleasantly savory, with a surprising finish of ripe red fruit.

PAIRING

It goes well with long and slow cooking red meat main courses such as salmì, peposi, braised meat. But also grilled fine cuts. It perfectly pairs with wild game like wild boar stew or baked duck. It prefers long and very long matured cheeses.



THE NAME

Arnione refers to the oval-shaped alabaster that the soils of the Etruscan coast offer as magnificent underground specimens. A «geological poem» that contains the secret of perfection in its circular form and gives life to the symbol that characterizes all the labels of Campo alla Sughera.