## **MANDRIONE**

## TOSCANA

Indicazione Geografica Tipica

VINTAGE: 2010

**GRAPES VARIETIES: 100% Sangiovese** 

VINEYARDS SURFACE: 3 hectares (7.4 acres)

PRODUCTION PLACE: the township of Orbetello in Maremma Southern Tuscany

YEAR OF PLANTING: 2005 EXPOSURE: Southwest

ALTITUDE: 70 meters (230 feet) above sea level

SOIL: sand and clay with a significant presence of stones

MICROCLIMATE: warm, dry and mild climate, with remarkable difference in tem-

perature between night and day in the summer season PLANTING DENSITY: 5600 vines per hectare (2240 per acre)

TRAINING SYSTEM: Cordon de Royat

HARVEST DATE: September - October

HARVESTING: hand picked into slatted packing cases

YIELD PER HECTARE: 5 tons

VINIFICATION AND AGEING: the alcoholic fermentation and grape skin maceration lasted 21 days at a controlled temperature of 28° C (82° F) in stainless steel tanks.

FERMENTATION: in stainless steel tanks

FERMENTATION TEMPERATURE: 28° centigrade (82° Fahrenheit)

**FERMENTATION LENGHT: 7 days** 

SKIN CONTACT: 12 days

AGING: after the malolactic fermentation, the wine aged for 18 months in

Franch oak barrels medium tosted

**BOTTLING: June** 

PRODUCTION: 750 ML bottles

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 13,5%

DESCRIPTION: The rich color is a bright and substantial garnet red. Immediately the scents are reminiscent of wild berries, violets, cherries, with notes of thyme and marjoram, all wrapped in a mix of carob, licorice, sandalwood with a nuanced measure of oak. The intense and complex bouquet does not contradict the soft and fresh taste, which is backed by a touch of light tannic and a mineral finish. Enduring and persistent, the taste goes well with baked lamb with potatoes and rosemary. The wine is fermented in stainless steel and aged in oak barrels for an average of 18 months. 100% Sangiovese grapes.



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