

Boutari

Xinomavro Naoussa

VINEYARD & HISTORY

Vineyard: Naoussa, Imathia – 1,750 acres

Founded in 1879, Boutari has pioneered Greek wine from early exports to launching the country's first wine tourism experience. Today, with wineries in Crete and Santorini, it continues to honor its legacy while shaping the future of winemaking.

VINIFICATION

Cold maceration for 24 hours, small percentage bleeding for rosé, controlled alcoholic fermentation with selected yeast strains at 19-23C, gentle extraction with few pumpovers before starting fermentation (7-10 days), no pressings included in the blend at all, malolactic fermentation, French oak barrels for 12 months, mild filtering with large cross section diatomaceous earth, final filtering (polishing) with sheet filtration.

ACCOLADES & SCORES

2024: Mundus Vini – 84 Points
2023: International Wine Competition
Thessaloniki – 88 Points
2020: International Wine Competition
Thessaloniki – 85 Points

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Classification: Red, dry wine

Vintage: 2022

Varietal: Xinomavro

Origin: Naoussa, Greece

Alcohol: 12.5%

Acidity: Medium

Body: Medium

Nose: Strong

Tannins: Strong

Pairing Suggestions: Red meat dishes, Pasta, Semi-hard cheeses

Wine aromas: Red forest fruits, Blackberries, Plum, Cinnamon, Wood

Wholesale Cost: \$9.71

Suggested Retail: \$17.99

TASTING NOTES

Deep red color with an intense personality. It produces a rich bouquet of ripe red fruit, blackberry and plum, together with sun-dried tomato and the aromas derived from ageing, cinnamon and wood. A rich body, good balance and structure, soft tannins in its finish.

