

GAJA

2022 SITO MORESCO LANGHE DOP

WINERY

Located in Piedmont in northwestern Italy, the GAJA winery is widely considered to be one of the greatest estates in the world, producing coveted and collectible labels. The story of the GAJA Winery can be traced to a singular, founding purpose: to produce original wines with a sense of place which reflects the tradition and culture of those who made it. This philosophy has inspired five generations of impeccable winemaking. GAJA is a pioneer and guardian of tradition, a legacy that continues to reshape the standard for excellence in the world of winemaking today. Angelo Gaja was the first to produce single vineyard wines in Piedmont and revolutionized wine making practices in the region, introducing Bordeaux varietals and the use of barriques. GAJA has led Barbaresco to international acclaim and brought about a resurgence of Italian wines more broadly. Today, the GAJA Winery owns 240 acres of vineyards in the Barbaresco DOCG (Barbaresco and Treiso) and the Barolo DOCG (Serralunga d'Alba and La Morra).

WINE

Sito Moresco combines the complexity of Nebbiolo with the roundness of Barbera. The name derives from Moresco, the previous owner of the parcel in Pajorè vineyard which was purchased in 1979.

VINEYARDS

Vineyards are mainly Pajorè in Treiso and in Serralunga.

VINTAGE NOTES

The 2022 Langhe vintage was marked by an unprecedented drought, delaying budding until late March. Despite a dry April, May's rainfall aided bunch formation. A hot June and July were mitigated by green harvesting, promoting grape maturation. Rain in August refreshed the vines. Harvest, commencing August 19th for whites and concluding October 9th for Nebbiolo, was one of the earliest. The vintage, comparable to 2003, shows potential for excellent bottle aging.

WINEMAKING

Fermentation and aging in oak for six-eight months.

TASTING NOTES

The nose is dominated by fruit, but also citrus and floral hints emerge. On the palate it's juicy and the floral notes persist alongside scents of licorice. Subtle hints of cherry and strawberry create a harmonious blend of floral elegance and vibrant fruit flavors.



VINEYARD

Region:	Piedmont
Appellation:	Langhe D.O.P.
Vineyards:	Barbaresco and Serralunga
First Vintage:	1991
Eco-Practices:	Sustainable

WINEMAKING

Varietals:	Nebbiolo and Barbera
Aging:	Aged in oak for 6-8 months

TECHNICAL DETAILS

Alcohol:	14%
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