



# 2019 CASCINA NUOVA BAROLO DOCG

## THE STORY

Cascina Nuova is the historical name of the Elvio Cigno estate and of the area where it is located within the Ravera cru.

## 2019 VINTAGE NOTES

In 2019, the weather was normal with a balanced growing season. Spring had enough rain to make up for the lack of winter rain, allowing water to accumulate in the soil. The average temperature in May was low, causing a slight delay in plant growth, but it was consistent with traditional years. Two heat waves occurred in July, but the rest of the summer was mild with sporadic rain. The Nebbiolo grapes for Barolo had good sugar levels and optimal polyphenolic structure during the harvest. The 2019 vintage produced Barolos with good structure, robustness, finesse, and acidity. These Barolos are complex and austere expressions of a traditional vintage, with the right character for long aging.



## VINEYARDS

<b>Varietal Composition:</b>	100% Nebbiolo da Barolo
<b>Sources:</b>	100% estate vineyards located in the mid-hill region; Novello village; Ravera area
<b>Area:</b>	1.5 hectares (3.71 acres)
<b>Exposure:</b>	South and southeast
<b>Altitude:</b>	380 meters (1,246 feet) above sea level
<b>Soil Composition:</b>	Limestone and clay
<b>Vine Age:</b>	Younger vines at a maximum of 10 years old
<b>Vine Density:</b>	4,000 vines/hectare (1,618 vines/acre)
<b>Cultivation:</b>	Vertical trellising, Guyot pruning, 100% organic (not yet certified)
<b>Harvest Dates:</b>	October

## VINIFICATION

<b>Fermentation:</b>	In stainless-steel, temperature controlled, automatic pump-over; 100% indigenous yeast		
<b>Malolactic Fermentation:</b>	100% in steel fermentors		
<b>Aging:</b>	2 years in large oak barrels, followed by 6 months in bottle. Bottled without filtration		
<b>Cases Produced:</b>	1,917 (12/750ml)	<b>Cases Imported:</b>	600 (12/750ml)
<b>Alcohol:</b>	14.5%		
<b>TA:</b>	5.46 g/L		
<b>RS:</b>	.50 g/L		

## TASTING NOTES

With a luminous garnet red color, the Barolo Cascina Nuova 2019 is the result of the vinification of the grapes coming from the youngest vines in MGA Ravera. Clear and representative, in this youthful phase it fully expresses hints of juicy red fruit, red orange, nectarine, alternating with spicy notes and balsamic hints. Of great softness and silkiness, thanks to a well-integrated tannins and good freshness, it proves to find the right balance among complexity, intensity, and excellent drinkability.