



# 2021 RAVERA BAROLO DOCG

#### **WINERY**

The Cogno family has been making wine in the Langhe area of Piedmont for four generations. The values of history and traditions handed down by father Elvio are enhanced by the freshness and innovation introduced by his daughter Nadia and her husband Valter Fissore.

### WINE

Barolo Ravera comes from the historic cru in Novello, known for its refined aromas, savory depth, and complexity. The calcareous soils of these old vineyards lend the wine elegance, structure, and excellent aging potential. Though austere in youth, it evolves beautifully over time, remaining true to its origin and standing as a benchmark for the Langhe's exceptional terroir.

# **VINEYARDS**

The vineyards for Barolo Ravera extend for about two hectares and a half inside the zone of the same name. They are planted at 380 m above sea level with south and southeastern exposure. The soil is very compact calcareous clay, rich in minerals that give the wine a particular savoriness. The microclimate is affected by Alpine currents and is mitigated by the nearby Tanaro River.

#### VINTAGE NOTES

The 2021 vintage began with a mild winter and early bud break, supported by abundant rain and snow that helped sustain vines through a dry, but not overly hot, summer. A brief cold spell slowed growth, followed by windy spring days. The season saw no frost or hail, and September's ideal day-night temperature swings, along with late summer rains, ensured full grape ripening. The result was an excellent harvest, with wines showing vibrant color, depth, and strong character.

#### WINEMAKING

Fermented in stainless steel, temperature-controlled, automatic pumping-over, post-fermentation maceration for 30 days with submerged cap. Aged for 24 months in large Slavonian oak barrels and for 6 months in bottle.

#### TASTING NOTES

The Barolo Ravera 2021 showcases its usual depth and complexity, thanks to old Nebbiolo Lampia and Michet vines surrounding the cellar. Elegant on the nose, it offers balsamic notes of eucalyptus, dark fruit like blackberry, spices, and dried herbs. On the palate, it's full yet refined, with silky tannins and vibrant freshness. A true expression of both the grape and the Ravera terroir.

## **VINEYARD**

Region: Piedmont

Appellation: Barolo DOCG

Soil: Calcareous-clay

Age/Exposure: 60-80 years old

South & Southeast exposure

Vine Density: 4,000 vines/hectare (1,600 vines/acre)

Eco-Practices: Sustainable

#### WINEMAKING

Varietals: 100% Nebbiolo

Aging: In large Slavonian oak barrels for 24 months

## TECHNICAL DETAILS

Yeast: Indigenous Alcohol: 14.5% Residual Sugar: 1.31 g/L Total Acidity: 5.58 g/L

