



ARNALDO • CAPRAI

*Viticoltore in Montefalco*

## 2019 MONTEFALCO ROSSO DOC

**BACKGROUND** Montefalco Rosso embodies a great bond between the wine and the area of Montefalco. It is produced from Sangiovese, Sagrantino and Merlot, which epitomizes the character and identity championed by the Arnaldo Caprai winery.

**APPELLATION** Montefalco Rosso DOC

**VARIETAL COMPOSITION** 70% Sangiovese, 15% Sagrantino, 15% Merlot

**FIRST VINTAGE PRODUCED** 1971

**SIZE** 25 hectares

**VINE AGE** 25 years

**SOIL** Limestone, clay

**ELEVATION** Rolling hills, 650-985 feet above sea level with eastern exposure

**DENSITY** 5,500 vines/hectare (2,227 vines/acre)

**TRAINING** Spurred cordon

**CULTIVATION** 100% sustainable

**HARVEST DATES** Sangiovese: End of September; Sagrantino: First week of October

**HARVEST NOTES** Summer was well balanced in temperature average. Standard temperature conditions and brief storms ensure an excellent ripening of the grapes, obtaining particularly interesting wines

**FERMENTATION** 15 days in stainless-steel; indigenous yeast;  
100% malolactic fermentation

**AGING** 12 months in French oak barriques;  
Minimum 6 months aging in bottle

**AGING POTENTIAL** 6-8 years

**ALCOHOL / TA / pH** 14.5% / 4.93 g/L / 3.64

**TASTING NOTES** Sensationally intense, with notes of wild flowers, violet and red berry jam. Full bodied, rich, dry with a long finish and delicate hint of spice.



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