

LE MURATE

COLLINE TERAMANE MONTEPULCIANO D'ABRUZZO DOCG

DESIGNATION Colline Teramane Montepulciano d'Abruzzo DOCG

AREA Abruzzo – Teramo hills

VARIETY Montepulciano

ALTITUDE 250-300 metres

SOILS Medium-textured limestone and clay

TRAINING SYSTEM Guyot, Abruzzo pergola

DENSITY 5,000–1,600 plants/hectare

VINEYARD AGE 20-40 years

AVERAGE YIELD 90 quintals/hectare

HARVEST First and second ten days in October

WINEMAKING METHOD Maceration for 6–7 days. Alcoholic fermentation in steel vats.

AGEING The wine ages in steel vats

BOTTLE AGEING 3 months

PRODUCTION 100,000 750ml bottles 200 1.5l magnum bottles

SENSORY PROFILE

Intense ruby hues segue into a nose of sour cherry, blackberry and blackcurrant followed by rose petals and a touch of black pepper. The velvety tannins accompany a plush palate. The rich flavour partners perfectly with the acid backbone to bring freshness and length.

PAIRINGS

Recommended with mature cheese and with first courses with savoury meat-based, amatriciana or carbonara sauces. Also with mains of roast or barbecued meat.

SERVING TEMPERATURE 16°-18°C



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