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# **MEZZO** Cabernet-Sauvignon

## SOIL AND METHOD OF CULTIVATION

Vineyard Location	Tollo, Casacanditella, Ortona, Bucchianico
Grape Type	Cabernet 100%
Altitude	130 - 150 metres above sea level
Soil Type	Clay – limestone / Clay – calcareous
Sun Exposition	Southeast
Vine Age	15 – 20 Years
Vine Density per Hectare	1600 vines canopy style; 4000 vines cordon rows
Product Yield per Hectare	10.000 Kg. (100 q.li)
Cultivation Method	Canopy and cordon rows
Harvest Period	3rd – 4th week of September



# **VINIFICATION**

Maceration Type	Maceration of the skins at controlled temperature for 1/8 days.
Fermentation Temp. in °F	77°
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Malolactic Fermentation | No

Refinement | In stainless steel tanks for 6 months.

### PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Alcohol Degree	11.80 % by volume
Total Dry Extract	47 gr./L
Total Acidity	5,30 gr./L
рН	3,56

Residual Sugar | 17 gr./L

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Color	Ruby red with light violet reflexes.	
Fragrance	Small red berry fruits, violets, delicately spicy and balsamic.	
Taste	Full bodied, well structured with soft and well integrated tannins.	

### Serve at 65°F

Pairs well with first courses with tomato sauce, roast and seasoned meats, and most semi-mature cheeses.