

## 2011 Rosso di Montalcino

Sesti, Tuscany, Italy

### Product details

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| <b>Vintage:</b>  | 2011    | <b>Drinking:</b> | 2017 |
| <b>Producer:</b> | Sesti   | <b>Alcohol:</b>  |      |
| <b>Region:</b>   | Tuscany | <b>Variety:</b>  |      |
| <b>Country:</b>  | Italy   |                  |      |

### Tasting notes

2011 is a brilliant vintage in Montalcino as this Rosso ably indicates. Simply released at a younger age than its older brother, the 2011 Rosso di Montalcino from Sesti displays rich, dark fruit with a delicious plush purity. There is a serious texture here with crunchy, spicy fruit, squashed strawberries and cherries leading to a mineral-inflected finish which is both focused and poised.

### About the producer

Sesti are one of the most delightfully individual producers in Armit's portfolio. Giuseppe Maria Sesti and his daughter Elisa hold just 13 hectares of vines in a unique micro-climate in southern Montalcino, Sesti produces elegant Sangiovese with a distinct floral note. Self-described as "eclectic by nature", Giuseppe ran a Baroque Opera festival for thirty years while restoring the medieval the Castello di Argiano, which features on their labels, and developing the vineyards. Having written no fewer than five books on astronomy, Giuseppe considers the influence of the moon indispensable to viticulture and Sesti makes wine according to biodynamic practices.

