

2012 Etna Rosso

Pietradolce, Sicily, Italy

Product details

Vintage:2012Producer:PietradolceRegion:SicilyCountry:Italy

Drinking: Now 2020 Alcohol: Variety:

Tasting notes

Elegant and refined, this wine has a sweet strawberry and redcurrant bouquet reminiscent of a fine Burgundy. The palate is succulent and refreshing with a lively mineral quality and a hint of exotic spice which balances the bright raspberry and redcurrant fruit notes. This wine is delicious now but will age well for five years.

About the producer

One of the rising stars in our portfolio, since its founding in 2005 Pietradolce has come to own one of the largest collections of pre-phylloxera vines on the active volcano Mt Etna – which are up to 120 years old. This ancient mountain commands the winery's devotion and respect, the energy and nuance of the volcanic soils producing truly phenomenal wines. Owner Michele Faro and winemaker Giuseppe Parlavecchio focus exclusively on local varieties Nerello Mascalese and Carricante, producing a range of pure, terroir-driven wines roughly structured as Village, Premier Cru, and Grand Cru. While the do offer an elegance and depth reminiscent of great Burgundy, they offer incredible value compared to the Cote d'Or.

