

2019

DOCG Morellino di Scansano



## Wine Description

Intense purple red. To the nose rich with red fruits, ripe black cherry, blackberry and blackcurrant. It opens up and offers ethereal scents after a little while. Tannins are strong. Long, warm and soft finish. Ideal match for local dishes of the Maremma, wild boar and venison meat. It also goes perfectly with Pecorino Toscano DOP.

Wine Type:	Still wine   red   dry
Alcohol:	14 %
Residual Sugar:	0.7 g/l
Acid:	5.6 g/l
Certificates:	vegan, organic, bio-dynamic
Allergens:	sulfites
Drinking Temperature:	15 - 17 °C
Aging Potential:	8 years
Optimum Drinking Year:	2021 - 2029

## Award

Luca Maroni:	91
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## Vineyard

Origin:	Italy, Toscana, Magliano in Toscana
Quality grade:	DOCG Morellino di Scansano
Site:	Maremma
Varietal:	Sangiovese 85 %   21 years 5000 plants/ha   6000 liter/ha Syrah 15 %   20 years

## Harvest and Maturing

Harvest:	handpicked   16 kg cask
Grape Sorting:	manual
Fermentation:	spontaneous with pied de cuve
Malolactic Fermentation:	yes
Fermentation Process:	délestage   1 - 3 x day   Duration: 5 days pump over   1 x day   Duration: 17 days
Maturing:	90 %   stainless steel tank   10000 L   used barrel   12 month(s) 10 %   tonneau   500 L   used barrel   12 month(s) 100 %   steel tank   10000 L   2 month(s)
Bottling:	natural cork natural cork

## Product Codes

EAN:	8032130033049
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## **Curiosity**

The local designation of Morellino dates back to the Middle Ages. According to the etymology the name of Morellino derives either from the horses Morello, which towed the carriages or from the dark coloured berries that are called moro. The uniqueness of the Sangiovese of Scansano grapes is that they had no contact with other vines for over 150 years. There was only once an encounter with the Alicante back in the 1700.

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