

BARBARESCO 2021

Recensioni e premi - Press and awards

ANTONIO GALLONI – VINOUS 94 pts The 2021 Barbaresco is powerful, dark and full of character. Macerated dark cherry, plum, sage, lavender, menthol and cloves infuse the 2021 with tons of character. This deep, flavorful Barbaresco delivers the goods, big time. In fact 2021 is an especially fine edition of this bottling.

IAN D'AGATA wine – 94 pts Vivid red. Perfumed, multilayered aromas and flavours of red cherry, raspberry, mint, iron shavings and herbs. Suave, focused and energetic, but with plenty of sweet fruit to make this enjoyable already now, but has the stuffing to age very well. This classically austere Barbaresco is excellent. The long aftertaste is joyously mineral and very classy. Drinking window: 2028-2040.

JAMES SUCKLING – 93 pts Gorgeous, bright fruit aromas highlight this generous and super well-balanced wine. A lively feel backed by medium to full tannins gives it an appetizing palate packed with raspberries, tart cherries and citrus accents. Best from 2025

CLUB OENOLOGIQUE- 93 pts. It opens sweet-fruited but a little brothy, with dashi and Parmesan-rind notes from maturing in used Slavonian botti, and dark, dried marasca cherry fruit with a sharp, metallic edge. On the entry, pert acidity tussles with slightly blocky tannins, all embedded in the lovely translucency of the red mulberry fruit. The fruit gains more concentration and vigour on the mid-palate, helping offset the stolidity of the structure. The finish is somewhat tough for now, demanding some time.

MatthewJukes- Piemonte report- 18/20 With a little more intensity than the 2020, this is a stellar 'estate' wine from Cortese, and this means that you will have to be a little more patient than usual to wait for it to release its full array of charms. Bold, spicy, packed with fruit and super-clean on the finish, this is my favourite 'estate' wine to date from this superb producer