

BELPAESE[®]

MONTEPULCIANO d' ABRUZZO DOC

Ora Winery produces our Belpaese line from both the Veneto and Abruzzo regions in Italy. While their main winery specializes in sparkling wines from the Prosecco region, they also own vineyards in Piedmonte and Abruzzo. The Belpaese line is designed for casual meals and fun, lively, social enjoyment. The Image on the label is a modern twist on the Italian Flag and the name Belpaese comes from the two root words Bel meaning Beautiful and Paese meaning Place.

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Origin : Abruzzo, Italy

Varietal/s : Montepulciano

Production Region : The generous hilly plateau terrain of the province of Chieti

Vinification : Montepulciano is harvested between late September and early October. Carefully-selected grapes are destemmed, crushed and subjected to alcoholic maceration for a period of 20-12 days, during which alcoholic fermentation is completed. The wine is then separated from the skins and conserved in steel containers, where malolactic fermentation occurs. Prior to bottling, the Montepulciano is clarified, filtered, and then bottled.

ABV : 12% **Closure :** Cork

ASSESSMENT

Aromas & Flavors : Ripe sour Cherry, Pomegranate, Wild Herbs, Potpourri, and mocha

Structure : Medium body, Medium Acidity, Soft Tannins

Food Pairing : Red Meeat, Beef stew, cured meats, and pasta with meatballs

