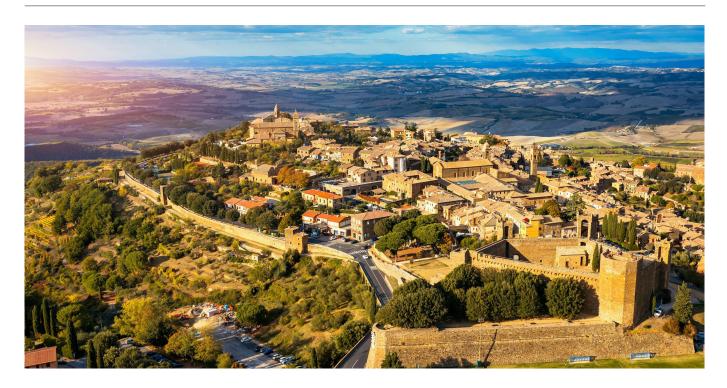
BRU NELLO DIMONTALCINO 2019



Brunello di Montalcino 2019





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Brunello di Montalcino is one of the wine glories of modern Italian oenology. DOCG since 1980, it is produced in Tuscany, in an area located about 40 km south of Siena, precisely in the area of Montalcino, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The so-called 'hill' of Montalcino consists of about 24,000 hectares, of which about 3,500 are dedicated to the cultivation of the vines. The variety of Sangiovese (here renamed 'Grosso'). from which Brunello di Montalcino is obtained. is incredibly sensitive to the soils on which it is cultivated. Montalcino, like the Langhe, has a very rare heterogeneity of soils, exposures and altitudes, the basis of the great quality of its wines. Clay, tuff, limestone and marl, from which Galestro and Alberese derive. The latter two are located at the highest altitudes. The high position of the plants, together with a rich mosaic of variables, have determined the peculiarity of Brunello since its origin. The plants in the territory of Montalcino grow at altitudes ranging from 100 to 661 meters above sea level. The cultivation area, for climatic and

soil homogeneity, can be divided into four subzones (quadrants), oriented according to the cardinal directions, then northeast, northwest, southeast and southwest, which have cusps in the locality of Poggio Civitella, precisely 661 meters above sea level, then descend into the different territories of competence. The most used training system is the spur cordon. The climate tends to be dry, although there are some inflections of the continental climate. The nearby Monte Amiata helps mitigate weather events of great intensity. In the winery, Brunello di Montalcino is typically created through a blend of different parcels located in different zones of the cultivation area to ensure a wine which is not too homogeneous nor too different from a single cru. Recently, however, many wineries have developed a concept of viticulture that privileges wines obtained from a single vineyard, beyond the average geographical location, and they started interpreting in their own way a concept of 'cru' that will surely represent one of the trends for the future.

The 2019 harvest can be described as exceptional, due to the extraordinary quality of the products obtained. The climate has been extremely consistent, with the first half of the year being quite rigid and humid, the spring rains have allowed the creation of important water reserves in the soil, suitable for facing a moderately hot summer, without particular heat peaks prolonged over time and characterized by reduced rainfall. The month of September saw mild temperatures and significant temperature fluctuations between day and night, which allowed the perfect phenolic ripening of the grapes. Each phase of the vine's vegetative phase provided the plant with what it needed: humidity, cool, light, heat, thermal overhang, and ventilation, reaching harvest time with juicy grapes and a richness in tannins. The wines produced from these exceptional grapes displayed balanced analytical data during the initial stages of vinification, with a peak value for both anthocyanins and polyphenols.





Vintage 2019

To be considered without any doubts one of the best ever made, even better than 2016, the 2019 vintage it's able to summarize the best offered by the most favorable vintages of the territory of Montalcino, with memories of acidity typical of the 80s. Very regular climate, phenolic ripening almost perfect, which results in wines with great balance, excellent succulence, drinkability and great potential in terms of longevity. Great balance and freshness to the nose, with hints mainly of small red fruits, such as strawberry and raspberry, touches of yellow plum, an important citrus component, an elegant and fresh tannic structure, excellent drinkability, long and deep finish.





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GARDINI NOTES WINE RANKING

The targets are three: short (5-8 years), medium (10-15 years) and long (more than 15 years), which denote the aging potential of the wine.



SHORT (5-8 years)



MEDIUM (10-15 years)



LONG (more than 15 years)

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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna del Suolo 2019

On the nose precision and extreme cleanliness, hints of wild strawberry and yellow raspberry. With the oxygenation, the tension and the balsamicmentholated part emerge, with a finish wild and of graphite. In the mouth elegance and tension, extremely fine tannins with hints of blood orange and pomegranate. Closure of eucalyptus, extraordinary drinkability.



110



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Giovanni Neri 2019

CASANOVA DI NERI

A Brunello of tension and balance, a stylistic masterpiece. The nose is multifaceted, with evidence of blackberry, then blood orange and mint. A balsamic, full, dense, compact nose, with touches of geranium and clementine peel. The taste combines elegance and texture, with a return of laurel and a strong salty note on the finish.



110 CUM LAUDE



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Tenuta Nuova 2019

CASANOVA DI NERI

Hints of cherry and pepper leaves, with touches of iodine. Opens on the palate juicy and taut, then expands in breadth and depth. Brackish-sapid tannins and an officinal trace mark the finish is deep, great drink and long persistence



110 CUM LAUDE



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

IL MARRONETO

The impeccable quality of the raw material of II Marroneto in a further, extraordinary reading of Brunello. Marasca cherry in jam at the nose, then touches of gardenia, clementine peel and juniper. Palate with spicy tannins, return of notes of cherry and citrus.



110 CUM LAUDE



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Madonna delle Grazie 2019

IL MARRONETO

Alessandro Mori's Brunello, which resembles, in the best possible sense, only himself. Hints of cranberry jam, with touches of marjoram and star anise at the nose. The taste is dense-brackish, with a return of freshness and balsamic. Great persistence, a spicy finish.



110 **CUM LAUDE**



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

LE POTAZZINE

Intense and clean aromas, recalling blackberries, floral touches of peony and wild rose with a finish of eucalyptus and rhubarb. Great balance and finesse on the palate, crisp and fresh drinkability, elegant and saline tannins, with a return of chinotto and basil.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna Marruccheto 2019

BANFI

From three parcels of the vineyard of the same name, a Brunello of freshness and varietal identity. Nose of dogwood, then touches of bergamot and hints of caper fruit. Savory taste, density and persistence, with pleasant juiciness and return of citrus and undergrowth fruit.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna Montosoli 2019

CANALICCHIO DI SOPRA

From one of the most renowned crus of Montalcino and soils with a prevalence of galestro, an interpretation of verticality and sapidity. Notes of red mulberry on the nose, with touches of clementine peel and sage, great freshness-juiciness on the palate and savory tannins, with a finish of persistence.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Colombaio 2019

CAVA D'ONICE

The Brunello produced by the convincing Nannetti family wine project, is now increasingly reliable. We are in the northeast area of the denomination, nose with notes of raspberry, then peony and blood orange peel. The mouthfeel is taut-crisp, with savory tannins, density and length of taste.





Brunello di Montalcino Pianrosso DOCG 2019

CIACCI PICCOLOMINI D'ARAGONA

A cornerstone of the typology, we are in the southeastern region of the denomination, a stone's throw from Castelnuovo dell'Abate. Rich nose, notes of red mulberry, then rosemary and touches of Peranzana olives. The taste is savory, with a return of red mulberry and iodine-officinal shades.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Fuligni 2019

Orthodox in taste and vinification, a Brunello of intensity and tension. The nose shows hints of pomegranate, with touches of eucalyptus and juniper, then citrine thyme in the closing. Sip with salty-sapid tannins, with a return of balsamic notes and pomegranate.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Giodo 2019

GIODO

Taut and clean on the nose, with fine aromas of red plum, touches of peony, brackish nuances, and hints of black olive, with balsamic and officinal herbs finish. The taste is rich and elegant, with tannins well blended with the freshsavory component. Closure is slightly citrus, a great personality.



99+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna Poggiarelli 2019

One of the two fundamental versions of Brunello by Cortonesi, the emblematic freshness of Sangiovese from the north-western area. Nose with notes of cranberry, with touches of cinnamon and ginger. The drink is brackish-iodized, juicy, with a return of notes of ginger and slightly citrus.



99



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

LE CHIUSE

From the beautiful project in sustainable management of Simonetta, Nicolò and Lorenzo, soils rich in clay, galestro, and tuff, nose with notes of red cherry, then fresh sage, touches of clementine peel and lashes of gardenia. The mouthfeel is taut-brackish, the closing officinal.



99



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

CAPANNA

Founded in 1957 on the homonymous hill of Montosoli, the Cencioni family winery continues its work of great concreteness. Nose with notes of cranberry, touches of Valdostan mint, and sweet licorice. Dense-sapid mouth, crunchy, with a return of undergrowth and citrusy hints.



99



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

IL POGGIONE

The great classicism of the Franceschi family in the readings of a Brunello among the staples of the denomination. Nose of freshness, pomegranate, touches of lemongrass and ginger, with citrusy hints. Briny tannins on the palate, recall of pomegranate and notes of ginger.



98+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Poggio alle Mura 2019

Great complexity and great temperament for one of the top points of zonation work in Montalcino. Notes of red plum on the nose, touches of rosemary, then clementine zest. Salty taste, mentholated return and notes of plum. Great persistence.



98+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

BELPOGGIO

A solid Brunello, a product of calcareous soils, elegant and of great finesse. Red raspberry, touches of wild mint, hints of Mediterranean maquis on the nose, dense mouth, spicy, sapid tannin and finish with balsamic notes.



98+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Sensis 2019

CAVA D'ONICE

Location of great prestige, the northeast quadrant of the denomination, a Brunello of great sharpness, notes of dogwood, touches of marjoram, caper fruit and pepper leaf. The mouthfeel is brackish-iodized, with a return of dogwood and officinal notes. Persistent.



98+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna Loreto 2019 MASTROJANNI

Soil with tufa prevalence, with considerable presence of skeleton, which gives great tension to an emblematic Brunello. Red mulberry, officinal touches of citrine thyme and notes of peony. Briny tannins on the mouth close on hints of thyme and floral notes.



98+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

RIDOLFI

One of the main points of the appellation, is Ridolfi's 'vintage' Brunello, with balance and elegant taste on the shields. Nose of dogwood, floral touches of gardenia and lemongrass, close with sensations of chinotto. Sapid tannins on the palate, juicy, close not citrusy and floral notes.



98+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

SAN LORENZO

Northwest of the denomination, a project of impeccable craftsmanship. Opens to the nose with notes of cranberry, chinotto and ginger, with touches of blood-orange peel. Savory tannins on the palate, return of citrusy sensations and ginger.



98+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Giuseppe Tassi 2019

TASS

From the homonymous vineyard planted in 1999 in Castelnuovo dell'Abate, another piece of the impeccable work done by Tassi Winery. Nose with notes of raspberry, touches of lemongrass and peony, mentholated finish. Sapid mouthfeel, with a return of raspberry and peony notes.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

ARGIANO

The great work, of precision and finesse, carried out between the countryside and the cellar also in this Brunello "vintage" of the winery guided by Bernardino Sani. Red cherry, then notes of wild mint, with a finish on hints of blood-orange peel. Dense-citrusy drinkability, iodized tannins.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna la Casaccia 2019

CANALICCHIO DI SOPRA

A single vineyard of great thickness and inimitable balance, nose with notes of cranberry, then touches of eucalyptus and gardenia, with hints of juniper. Brackish palate, thick, with a return of cranberry and spicy notes.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna del Fiore 2019 FATTORIA DEI BARBI

From a single plot, the southernmost of the estate, a place where the vine has been cultivated since the 1500s, is a Brunello of intensity. Nose of red currant, touches of marjoram and rhubarb, sip with a return of currant notes, sapid



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Gorelli 2019

GORELLI GIUSEPPE

tannins, great persistence.

A small, proud craftsman of the denomination, from the northeast area of the "hill". The raw material is of great flavor, nose with notes of red plum, peppercorns, orange peel and dried herbs. The sip is brackish-crunchy, with density and tension, with citrus return.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

POGGIO DI SOTTO

The Ilchinese gem of Collemassari Wine Estates in an impeccable version of Brunello. Nose with notes of red currant jam, hints of powder licorice, myrtle and close of wild sage. Crunchy-dense mouthfeel, briny-iodized tannins, closes with a return of small fruit notes and myrtle.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Ugolforte 2019

SAN GIORGIO

A great symbol of the typology and cellar, the bishop of the project by Guido Folonari. Southeast quadrant of the denomination, nose with notes of wild strawberry, then hints of pepper leaf and clementine peel. On the palate, iodized tannins. Closes with a reminder of citrusy sensations.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

TALENTI

The project is due to the visions of Pierluigi, which Riccardo is bringing to be the full expression of the southwest quadrant of the DOCG. Nose with notes of red plum, star anise and hints of wild rosemary. Juicy mouthfeel, with perfectly integrated tannins and reminders of sweet spices.



97+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

CASANOVA DI NERI

A great classic of the house, works of impeccable finesse between the countryside and the cellar for an emblematic product. Raspberry on the nose, hints of white pepper, touches of laurel and peony, then nuances of sweet licorice. Brackish-sapid on the mouth, with raspberry and floral notes.



97+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

CIACCI PICCOLOMINI D'ARAGONA

A compact Brunello from Ciacci Piccolomini. The olfaction opens on notes of cranberry, then marjoram and hints of eucalyptus. Juicy and taut drinkability, sapid tannins, closes with a return of small fruits and balsamic sensations.



97+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

COL D'ORCIA

The quality of Count Francesco Marone Cinzano's cellar is very constant, accompanied by important numbers. Nose with hints of marasca, geranium and eucalyptus. Sapid tannins on the palate, balsamic and floral touches, gustatory compactness and crunchiness.



97+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG La Mannella 2019

CORTONESI

From the historic farm, the product of an excellent work between the countryside and the cellar, an emblematic Brunello: raspberry on the nose, touches of nutmeg, then caper fruit and ginger. Slightly salty on the palate, finish with notes of raspberry and sweet spices. Great length.



97



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

CANALICCHIO DI SOPRA

A Brunello 'vintage' of balance and great tension of family Ripaccioli. All the varietal wealth of the northeast quadrant of the 'hill', black cherry, notes of clementine peel and laurel. Balsamic attack on the palate, with density and citrusy return. Closes on floral notes.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Castelgiocondo 2019

CASTELGIOCONDO - MARCHESI FRESCOBALDI

South-west quadrant of the denomination, a Brunello of spicy and balsamic elegance. Refined nose, black cherry, touches of juniper, closes on cinnamon sensations. Density and drinkability on the palate, with iodized tannins and a return of black cherry hints, with citrusy touches.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

CASTELLO ROMITORIO

The result of thirty years of research and selection of the most suitable plots, is a compact Brunello, notes of marasca on the nose, with touches of wild mint and hints of soy. Briny-taut mouthfeel, tannins perfectly integrated into the body and long persistence.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

FATTORIA DEI BARBI

The Brunello 'vintage' of Fattoria dei Barbi, a staple of the typology, in a balanced version, olfaction that opens on pomegranate notes, then wild rosemary, juniper and clementine peel. Brackish sip, with a return of pomegranate and officinal notes.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna Schiena d'Asino 2019

MASTROJANNI

From one of the most historic vineyards of the appellation, with plants even fifty years old, a Brunello of personality, nose with notes of red plum, touches of eucalyptus and grapefruit peel. Brackish-sapid tannins on the mouth, close with balsamic hints and citrusy notes.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

SAN GUGLIELMO

North-west quadrant of Montalcino, 400 meters above sea level, the Brunello from the Martini family in a project with clear ideas. Nose of pomegranate, with hints of wild sage and the tension of nutmeg, the mouth is saline-taut, with a return of pomegranate notes on the finish.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

SASSETTI LIVIO PERTIMALI

One of the most emblematic labels of the denomination, from the northwest quadrant of the appellation. Nose with notes of Marasca, hints of gillyflower and lashings of ginger, touches of bergamot. Brackish drinkability, close with citrusy and floral reminders.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna Colombaiolo Brun 2019

Vigna Colombaiolo in Castelnuovo dell'Abate, one of the staples of the house Tassi. Nose with tones of freshness, yellow melon, hints of eucalyptus and gillyflower. A sapid palate, with a balsamic return of floral notes. Closes with hints of yellow fruits, showing great taste persistence.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna La Casa 2019

Cru Montosoli is one of the staples of the typology. Great freshness on the nose in this 2019, notes of red dogwood on the nose, touches of wild sage and hints of rose. Taut drinkability, with sapid tannins and citrusy hints. Very persistent.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

CASTIGLION DEL BOSCO

A Brunello from Capanna Vineyard, an intense label of personality. Red currant on the nose, notes of peony and rhubarb, then sensations of clementine zest. Sapid drinkability, recalls of red currant notes and floral. Good persistence and a citrusy finish.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG CampoNovo 2019

AISNA - ALESSANDRO ROSSI

Two steps from Montalcino, 320 meters above sea level, a Brunello of great concreteness. Notes of dogwood, nutmeg and citrine thyme, with hints of peony. A palate of tension and sapidity, with a return of small fruits, closes on floral nuances.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG La Pieve 2019

Again, the raw material on the shields for a compact and intense Brunello. Nose with notes of red blackberry, touches of cinnamon and Valdostan mint, closing on notes of wild iris. Juicy and taut sip, brackish tannins, closes with a return of mentholated notes.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vignavecchia 2019

South-east of the appellation, a Brunello of great freshness. Yellow melon on the nose, with touches of eucalyptus and ginger, with hints of clementine peel. Crunchiness on the palate, with slightly salty tannins and citrusy return.



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Pelagrilli 2<u>019</u>

SIRO PACENTI

The northeast quadrant of the 'hill', the beautiful sustainable project by Siro Pacenti, labels of rare reliability as confirmed by this reference, the product of the youngest vines. Black cherry on the nose, nuances of wild mint and white pepper. Intense sip, iodized, with a return of sweet spices.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna del Lago 2019 VAL DI SUGA

Northeast of the appellation, a selection of great freshness that of the winery now part of Bertani Domains. Notes of dogwood on the nose, with touches of citrine thyme and hints of gardenia. Brackish on the mouth, with a return of officinal and floral notes.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

The beautiful label of a sustainable project, the one of the Ghezzi family, focused on the manic care of country work. Nose with notes of wild strawberry, hints of rosehip and ginger, then lemon sage. lodized briny tannins on the mouth, with officinal-floral return.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Filo di Seta 2019

CASTELLO ROMITORIO

Historic vineyards located in the northwest quadrant of Montalcino, nose of red cherry, hints of peony, then grapefruit. Mouthfeel with brackish-sapid tannins. Closes with a return of red cherry and citrus, very persistent.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019 LA FIORITA

From 7 hectares in the area of Bellavista farm, Castelnuovo dell'Abate, southeast quadrant. Very fresh nose, with notes of watermelon, nutmeg and lemongrass, with a mentholated finish. Saline-taut on the mouth, closes with





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

LA GERLA

a return of wild mint and citrus.

One of the company's pièce de résistance, a Brunello of rare reliability. Opens to the nose on notes of red mulberry, then hints of eucalyptus and cinnamon, with nuances of gardenia. The sip is sapid, with a return of balsamic sensations and red mulberry. Closes on floral notes.



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Fiore di No 2019

LA FIORITA

From a selection of two vineyards, Pian Bossolino and Collesorbo, a Brunello of finesse and elegance. Nose with touches of mango, then hints of star anise, juniper and balsamic notes. Brackish-taut on the mouth, with the return of sweet spice sensations.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

MASTROJANNI

From vineyards between 180 and 400 meters, an impeccable processing in the cellar for a wine of important freshness. Notes of wild strawberry on the nose, touches of rose and star anise, with mentholated hints. Savory tannins on the palate, mentholated and a return of small fruits.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

PIAN DELLE VIGNE - ANTINORI

Prestige, elegance and tradition, a label symbol of the denomination. Olfaction refined, notes of dogwood, eucalyptus and touches of bergamot. Crunchy-dense palate, with briny tannins, returns with balsamic and citrusy notes.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna Poggio al Granchio 2019

VAL DI SUGA

A winery that, with its presence on three different sides of the denomination, has the fortune to tell the richness of color of Sangiovese di Montalcino. This, one of the finest, nose of red currant, touches of rosemary and star anise, with hints of ginger. Brackish sip, lovely persistence.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Castello Banfi 2019

A great classic of the house and the appellation, from a selection of vineyards with variegated soils. Nose of freshness, pomegranate on top, notes of savage, grapefruit and licorice powder. Intense palate, recall of officinal notes. Closes with nuances of licorice.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna Vallocchio 2019

A selection from the five most historic vineyards, a mosaic of excellence. Black cherry on the nose, with touches of chinotto and citrine thyme. The mouthfeel recalls citrusy touches and black cherry, hints of toasted nuts and finishes with official notes.



95+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Ofelio 2019

PATRIZIA CENCIONI

9 hectares close to Montalcino, a wine project of undoubted perspective, this is a Brunello of compactness and elegance. Notes of red cherries, Valdostan mint, with hints of orange zest. Nice tension on the palate, with a return of mentholated notes and red cherries. Close citrusy.



95+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

PODERE SCOPETONE - LAMELINA

The sustainable project of Podere Scopetone is always characterized by raw materials of impressive crunchiness. Notes of red currant on the nose, then wild mint and hints of clementine zest. The mouthfeel is slightly salty, with reminders of pomegranate notes and citrus. Closes with a return of red currant.



95+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Piero 2019

TALENT

Brunello dedicated to the memory of the founder, from the vineyard of the same name, located a few steps from the winery. Notes of red cherry on the nose, hints of black pepper in grains, touches of juniper and bergamot. The sip has citrusy sensations and a recall of red cherry, return of sweet spices and balsamic nuances.



95+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Luce 2019

TENUTA LUCE

Another intense year for Brunello of Tenuta Luce, now one of the most awaited releases of the typology. Elegance and sharpness starting from the nose, notes of cranberry, shades of peony and hints of chinotto, closes on touches of cinnamon. Salty mouthfeel, with recalls of blueberry and floral sensations.



95+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Casale del Bosco 2019

TENUTE SILVIO NARDI

A new entry for the winery, from a plot already identified as extremely suitable, a graceful and consistent Brunello. Nose with notes of marasca and yellow melon, touches of nutmeg and eucalyptus on the closing. Brackishiodized on the palate, with a return of balsamic notes and hints of marasca.



95+



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna Poggio Cervino 2019

TIEZZ

From one of the most traditional production areas of the entire appellation, a Brunello of elegance and thickness. Notes of black cherry on the nose, hints of marjoram, with nuances of rose and hints of rhubarb. Excellent sapidity on the palate, with reminders of citrus and black cherry sensations. Persistent.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna Campo del Drago 2019

CASTIGLION DEL BOSCO

Coming from the top of the vineyard Capanna, soil with a lot of skeleton, rich in shale and gallester. Nose that opens on notes of raspberry, with hints of Valdostan mint, juniper and touches of grapefruit. Sip with sapid-briny tannins, close with a memory of red fruit and citrus.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

SAN POLO

Podernovi, the south-eastern quadrant of the appellation, from a selection of two vineyards located at 450 meters. Notes of black cherry under spirit on the nose, touches of cinnamon and grapefruit. The sip is salty, with a reminder of citrusy notes and nuances of sweet spices.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Podernovi 2019

SAN POLO

The home cru, in its fifth release, is already an established landmark of the typology. Red currant on the nose, hints of white pepper and nuances of wild sage. lodized-brackish on the mouth, with a recall of red spices and sensations of small red fruits. Close on officinal notes.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

SASSODISOLE

The full expression of the Terzuoli family's wine project, a consistent Brunello. Strawberry on the nose, touches of nutmeg and gardenia, with giants of fresh thyme. The sip is iodized, with a return of small fruits and officinal notes. Floral closing.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

SESTI

A beautiful sustainable project, a privileged location, in search of the elegance and compactness of Brunello's interpretations. Very fresh nose, watermelon, ginger, and touches of wild mint. Density, tension and brackish tannins on the palate, with a reminder of ginger and mentholated sensations.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

TASS

Another confirmation of the goodness of the work of Tassi winery in this 'vintage' Brunello. Southeast quadrant of the 'hill', freshness on the nose, orange peel, red currant, notes of lemongrass and caper fruit. The sip is salty, with a citrus return and officinal notes. Close on iodized notes.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigna Soccorso 2019

A mythological plot, with a spectacular view a few meters from the medieval walls of the village. Very intense on the nose, red blackberry, hints of wild iris and sage, with touches of bergamot. Brackish sip, with a recall of floral and officinal sensations.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG A Diletta 2019

COL DI LAMO

The refined Brunello, son of the visions of Giovanna Neri, dedicated to her daughter Diletta. Complex nose, that opens on notes of black strawberry, then touches of laurel and white pepper. The mouthfeel is sapid, taut, very persistent, with a fruity return and sweet spices.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

PATRIZIA CENCIONI

The search for balance in a refined project on Sangiovese di Montalcino, the one of Patrizia. The nose opens with notes of Marsasca, touches of eucalyptus and juniper. Brackish tannins on the palate, with a return of officinal notes and undergrowth. Nice persistence.





(+) Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

ROBERTO CIPRESSO

The project ilcinese Roberto, consultant and winemaker, but now an impeccable producer. Remarkable the olfactory profile, notes of red currant, star anise and touches of sage and licorice powder. Brackish-iodized drinkability, with a return on sweet spices. Close balanced, on officinal notes.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Costa di Monte 2019

TENUTA DI SESTA

We are in Castelnuovo dell'Abate, south-west of Montalcino, at the 'home' of Giovanni Ciacci. This is his interpretation of Brunello "vintage": freshness on the nose, pomegranate, then citrine thyme and gillyflower. The sip is also juicy, with iodized tannins, officinal and spicy recalls, persistent.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vigneto Poggio Doria (1) Brun 2019

TENUTE SILVIO NARDI

From a cru located on the northwest side of the appellation, a Brunello of beautiful personality. Notes of red mulberry on the nose, with hints of rhubarb and notes of peony, with nuances of blood-orange zest. lodized mouthfeel, with a memory of sensations of small fruits and floral hints. Good persistence.



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

VILLA POGGIO SALVI

The Brunello of the Tagliabue family project is an elegant version of the typology. Nose that opens on notes of wild sage, then black cherries under alcool and hints of Valdostan mint. The sip is briny-sapid, with a fruity and balsamic return. Close with mentholated sensations.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

COL DI LAMO

Great concreteness also for Neri's 'vintage' Brunello, a clear photograph of the Sangiovese of the northeast quadrant of the denomination. Red blackberry, touches of grapefruit and hints of gillyflower. The palate is brackish-iodized, with a balsamic return of sweet spices. Persistent.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

FANTI

An essential part of the history of Fanti winery, a Brunello produced by the selection of the 10 farm hectares. located in the Castelnuovo dell'Abate area. Red mulberry on the nose, touches of star anise, wild rosemary and chinotto. Saline tannins on the mouth, reminders of small fruits and spicy hints.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

LA FORTUNA

A historical territorial heritage, since 1907, a temperament Brunello, which is the result of the combination of the north-east and south-east sides of the denomination. Red blackberry on the nose, touches of nutmeg and caper fruit. Saline-iodized on the palate, with the return of spices and small fruit.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Giobi 2019

LA FORTUNA

A family present in Montalcino for more than 100 years, six generations of work on Sangiovese that land in this top label. Shows the nose of Marasca and red plum, with notes of rose and hints of licorice powder, together with sensations of iris. lodized-salty sip, floral recalls.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG La Torre 2019

We are in the southeast quadrant of Montalcino, the area of Sant'Angelo in Colle, land of the Sangiovese of finesse and balance. The nose opens with notes of dogwood, then hints of toasted nutmeg and laurel, with notes of wild sage. The mouthfeel is sapid, the final is played on smoked and menthol notes.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

PIETRA

Family Ferretti, a recent debut in the world of Brunello, but a classic plant of the declination of the southwest slope of the DOCG. Nose that opens on notes of dogwood, then clementine peel and hints of gardenia. The mouthfeel is iodized, with a fruity and citrusy return.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

RABISSI

South-east quadrant of the appellation, a refined wine project that leads to this label. Nose with notes of red currant, then touches of marjoram and caper fruit. Brackish-sapid on the palate, close with recalls of notes of small fruits and officinal notes.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Vecchie Vigne 2019

SIRO PACENTI

Vines over 35 years of age, a Brunello of pleasing finesse. Notes of cranberry on the nose, rhubarb and peony, with nuances of cinnamon. The palates show brackish tannins, a return of small fruit notes and undergrowth. Close on hints of sweet spices.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

VAL DI SUGA

A blend of the three vineyards belonging to three different sides of the appellation. Nose of Durone of Vignola, touches of citrine thyme, zest of a clementine and balsamic closing. Sapid mouthfeel, close with hints of officinal and balsamic notes. Persistent.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

VILLA I CIPRESSI

A beautiful family history, a barycentric production between honey and wine, a vocation for the research of quality discovered year after year. Raspberry jam on the nose, with nuances of wild rosemary, bergamot and shades of ginger. Brackish-iodized on the palate, with a memory of citrusy and officinal notes.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Pomona 2019

VILLA POGGIO SALVI

21 hectares of Sangiovese in Montalcino, all located between 300 and 500 meters, a company with a beautiful tradition the one of the Tagliabue family. Nose with notes of black cherry under alcool, then marjoram and hints of licorice powder. The sip has briny tannins, with an officinal-balsamic return.



Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

CARPINETO

A magnificent estate, located in the southwest quadrant of the denomination. one of the apex points of the DOCG. Scents of Marasca on the nose, with hints of wild rosemary, gillyflower and sensations of white pepper. The mouthfeel reminds red fruit, a return of floral nuances and an appreciable gustatory persistence.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

CELESTINO PECCI

A winery of proud craftsmanship, a project that dates back to the late 60s, the one now led by Tiziana Pecci. A Brunello of lovely intensity, scents of red mulberry, with touches of clementine zest and mentholated notes. The sapid-brackish palate, with a return of citrus and mulberry.





(+) Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

A small vineyard planted in 1982, with the first vintage produced in 1997, which is due to the visions of Silverio and Ophelia. Red plum on the nose, with sensations of gillyflower, wild mint, with hints of gardenia. Brackish tannins on the palate, perfectly integrated in the body, with reminders of sweet spices.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

ELIA PALAZZESI

A company with a solid tradition in a sustainable project, embodied in a Brunello of personality. Aromas of dogwood, with notes of lavender and rhubarb, then citrus shades. Slightly salty on the mouth, deep, velvety tannins, and a fruity return.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Persante 2019

LA RASINA

A garage winery of quality, the one of the family Mantengoli, capable of converting to exclusive wine production, once the potential. Red currant on the nose, in this case, hints of cinnamon, orange peel and wild iris. Sapid sip, return of the notes of sweet spices.





Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

MADONNA NERA

The character of the area around the Abbey of Sant'Antimo in a young wine project but with sharp ideas. A Brunello of identity, with notes of pomegranate, linden, and touches of gardenia. The sip is brackish, with a fruity-floral return.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

One of the labels of the longest tradition in the denomination. Nose of yellow melon, touches of lemongrass and cinnamon, with sensations of Roman mint. The mouthfeel has density and tension, sapid tannins and a recall of yellow fruit. Close on mentholated hints.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

Pinti family, four generations in the world of viticulture, paladins of the northwest quadrant of the denomination. A Brunello that shows a nose of pomegranate and nectarine, with notes of rosehip and white pepper. Brackish tannins on the palate, with a recall of pomegranate and floral notes.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Campogiovanni 2019

A wine project of undoubted consistency, owned by Allianz Group, now guided by Carlo De Biasi. A line of labels of historical reliability, on which this Brunello has always stood out: nose of raspberry jam and pepper leaf, juniper, touches of chinotto. Sapid-dense drinkability, persistent.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG Sasso di Luna 2019

One of the 'must have' of Terzuoli, a Brunello of great taste impact. Nose with notes of red plums, touches of citrine thyme and notes of rose. Sapidbriny mouth, recalls of red plums and officinal notes. Citrusy close.



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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG 2019

The second ilcinese project by Andrea Cortonesi, patròn of Uccelliera, a decidedly identity Brunello. Nose that opens on notes of cranberry, then reminders of caper fruit and powder licorice. Briny on the palate, with a memory of licorice hints, with delightful persistence.





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