

# Barolo Docg Vigna Terlo Costa Grimaldi

*Vintage 2016*

**Denomination:** Barolo Docg

**Variety:** Nebbiolo

**Seasonal trend:** The 2016 harvest has manifested itself as one of the longest in recent years.

The months of January and the first part of February were characterized by mild temperatures and low rainfall. A decent water supply was provided in spring, when temperatures dropped and rainfall was plentiful. The cold has therefore generated a late vegetative growth compared to 2015. The summer started late but continued until the end of September, while the hail events did not cause significant years.

In all cases it has arrived without problems to a complete maturation both from the technological and phenological point of view, as evidenced by the low quantity of malic acid, an indicator of maturation. The developmental delay perceived in the first part of the year was filled in August and September (especially in the second part).

It is expected to expect Baroli characterized by an excellent balance with important aromas and a very fine structure, with often lower alcohol levels than in 2015. An incredible vintage is expected.

**Harvest period:** 11 and 12 October 2016

**Bottling period:** 8 July 2019



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**Tasting notes:** Fruit of a careful selection in the vineyards of Terlo in Barolo. Wine with an intense and expressive aroma with silky tannins.

Alcohol content 14.50% vol.

Acidity 5,45 g / l .

Sugars (glucose + fructose): 1,00 g/l

*“Beautiful garnet red color with orange reflections that reveals a good depth. The nose is expressive with a decisive aroma that recalls oriental spices, ripe cherries, walnut and a beautiful floral note of violet. The result of a long maceration of 20 days, it is a full and voluminous wine that reveals itself with strength and determination. It has a tenacious and solid style, with dense and compact tannins that denote the pleasant astringency expected from the characteristic Baroli. Produced in the Costa Grimaldi vineyard in Terlo a Barolo, it is a wine with a strong personality that will seduce the most refined palates and give gustatory emotions.*

*It can be appreciated in its fullness between 2023 and 2030, taking care to use glasses that allow the right oxygenation. It goes well with traditional truffle cooking and the finest meats, including game”.*

*(Dogliani, June 2017 - Paolo Basso - "Best Sommelier of the World" in 2013)*

**Produced bottles:** 9.333

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91/100 Galloni Vinous

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17+/20 Jancis Robinson

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