

# Rosso di Montepulciano Crociani 2022



## Region

In the heart of central Italy, Tuscany is one of the most prestigious and celebrated wine growing regions in the world. These gentle rolling hills are not only home to Italy's culture and language, but also to the grand wine estates of Chianti to the north and the more modest yet superb estates of Montalcino and Montepulciano in the south. Sangiovese is the red grape variety that unites Tuscany's wine producing districts in its various distinct clones. However, planting of international grape varieties, such as Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon, have given rise to the world renowned 'Super Tuscan' wines.

## Producer

Susanna Crociani's 14th century cellars are situated in the heart of Tuscany in the town of Montepulciano. The vineyards, covering about 10 hectares, are on medium-textured soils well-suited to the growth of the vine and giving excellent results. They are planted with Prugnolo Gentile, Canaiolo Nero and with Mammolo and white varieties.

## Tasting Notes

The vineyards of Montepulciano in southern Tuscany are planted with Sangiovese grapes (known locally as Prugnolo) used to produce one of Italy's noblest red wines. Bright ruby red in colour and typically full flavoured, Rosso di Montepulciano displays rich flavours of cherry and red berries, a soft gamey character combined with subtle oak. Supple tannins and a firm structure lead into a long, full flavoured finish.

## Food

This is an ideal accompaniment to red meat, rich pasta dishes, game and strong cheeses.

### Technical Information

Country	Italy	Dry/Sweet Style	Not applicable	
Region	Tuscany	Alcohol Content	13.5%	
Grape(s)	Sangiovese (80%) Canaiolo (10%) Mammolo (10%)	Closure Style	Cork	
Type	Red	Organic/Biodynamic	No	
Style	Smooth	Allergens	Milk:	No
Oaked Style	Lightly oaked		Egg:	No
Body Style	Medium bodied	Vegetarian/Vegan	Vegetarian:	Yes
Sustainable	No		Vegan:	Yes



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