

2017 Barolo Falletto

Vintage: The 2017 vintage will be a year to remember for the challenges that growers faced from Mother Nature, namely hot weather and very little rain. Surprisingly, the wines produced do not show any notes of over-ripeness commonly found in a hot year. This balance in the wines is attributed to the stark temperature swings with cool summer nights tempering the hot days. The Barbaresco is fruit-driven with good acidity, and the Barolo is rich and austere.



Grape variety	Nebbiolo
Subarea	Falletto (village of Serralunga d'Alba)
Vineyard exposure	Southwest
Age of vines	23-27 years old
Yield	45 hL/ha
Harvest date	September 25, 2017
Fermentation and maceration	20 days in stainless steel vats
Malolactic fermentation	completely developed
Refinement	30 months in Botti cask of French oak, 6 months in bottle
Bottling	July 2020
Alcohol	14.5% vol.
Total acidity	5.40 g/L
pH	3.53
Total extract	28.7 g/L
Optimal period for consumption	2021-2045

Sensory analysis

Red garnet in color. Showcasing elegant and fine aromas of fresh plum, cherry and spice notes, the wine is dense and structured with great freshness on the palate and well-balanced tannins.