

Terlano Monticol Pinot Nero Riserva

THE FACTS

COUNTRY: Italy

REGION: Trentino-Alto Adige

APPELLATION: Terlano

CEPAGE: 100% Pinot Noir

WINEMAKING: Temperature-controlled fermentation is carried out in stainless steel tanks

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 13.5%

AGING: 12 months in large oak casks (50%) and small barriques (50%)

ANNUAL PRODUCTION: 3,000 cases

THE STORY

Founded in 1893, Cantina Terlano has grown into one of the leading wine growers' cooperatives in the Alto Adige region of northeastern Italy. Located in the Dolomite Mountains in the foothills of the Alps, Terlano's distinctive location and extraordinary terroir are key to the development of their stunning, world-renowned wines. With a current membership of 143 growers farming a total area of 165 hectares, Terlano insures the highest standards of quality by compensating growers for the quality of their grapes not the quantity. The emphasis in the vineyard is on reducing yield in favor of producing more concentrated fruit.

THE ADJECTIVES

OVERALL: Elegant & Harmonious

AROMAS / FLAVORS: Intense bouquet of wild berries and light toasty notes

MOUTHFEEL: Medium bodied with velvety dark fruits

THE SELLING POINTS

An alluring Pinot Noir from the Monticol hamlet

AWARDS: 91pts Wine Spectator

SUSTAINABILITY: Vegan

PAIRINGS: Barbecue, grilled shrimp, salmon, swordfish and tuna

