



# Cum Laude

Toscana IGT

2019

## VARIETIES

Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Sangiovese, and Syrah from Estate vineyards.

## DESCRIPTION

A captivating Supertuscan that joins the four red varieties, selected as the best in the history of Banfi for our vineyards in Montalcino.

The growing season of the 2019 vintage was characterized by an extraordinary cold in the months of April and May which delay the vegetative development, which was subsequently recovered, thanks to a hot and dry period. The sunny months of August and September allowed an optimal ripening of the grapes. 2019 is a harvest characterized by a high quality and intense territorial personality that gave us very structured and flavor wines.

Intense mauve red color. On the nose the scent is characterized by hints of red fruits and cherry, accompanied by spicy notes of licorice and pepper. In the mouth, the structure is broad, with sweet and powerful tannins. Balanced with a persistent finish. The wine has a great aging potential.

Perfect pairing with soups, as well as red and white meats.

## TECHNICAL NOTES



*Soil:* various types, from sandy clay sediments with abundant pebbles and well-draining to calcareous clay soils that tend to retain humidity.



*Trellising System:* spurred cordon – Banfi alberello  
*Planting Density:* 4200 vines/ha.  
*Yield:* 60 q/ha.



*Fermentation:* in temperature-controlled (25-30°C) in *Horizon* hybrid French oak and stainless-steel tanks  
*Aging:* a brief wood passage – the Sangiovese in barrels (60 hl. and 90 hl.) and the other varieties in barriques of 350 lt.



*Alcohol:* 14,5%



*Suggested serving temperature:* 16-18°C



*First vintage produced:* 1999



AVAILABLE FORMATS:  
0.75 l. - 1.5 l