

**BRUNO GIACOSA**

2020

# BARBARESCO

## ASILI RESERVA

BARBARESCO DOCG, PIEDMONT

GRAPE VARIETY: Nebbiolo

### SENSORY EXPERIENCE:

Intense garnet red colour; On the nose you can perceive delicate aromas of small ripe red fruits. In the mouth it has an excellent balance and good freshness with tannins present and well-integrated which give the wine a good structure and excellent persistence.

### OPTIMAL CONSUMPTION:

2025-2060

### VINTAGE NOTES

The 2020 vintage in Piedmont was characterized by an early budbreak, the result of a mild winter with regular rainfall and above-average temperatures. Adequate water reserves, supported by well-distributed, moderate rainfall and seasonally average temperatures, allowed the vines to progress evenly through all phenological stages. These favorable conditions enabling excellent control of fungal diseases and ensuring healthy fruit at harvest. September experienced below-average temperatures, ideal for the late stages of Nebbiolo development. Harvest began in late September, only to be momentarily paused at the start of October due to a heavy downpour before it was resumed in early October. The wines of this vintage are showing excellent appeal with approachability possessing complexity and structure.



VINEYARD	Asili subarea, Village of Barbaresco		AREA	2.50 ha	EXPOSURE	South/Southwest		
ALTITUDE	250m	SOIL	Clay-calcareous with good percentage of sand			AGE OF VINES	32 years old	
VINEYARD DENSITY	4.2 vines per hectare		YIELD	45 hl/ha	HARVEST	October 1, 2020		
FERMENTATION / MACERATION	20 days in stainless steel vats				MALOLACTIC FERMENTATION	developed		
REFINEMENT	20 months in big French oak barrels, 30 months in bottle				BOTTLING	August 2022	TOTAL EXTRACT	28.0 g/L
ALCOHOL	14.5%	PH	3.49	TA	5.5 g/L	BOTTLES PRODUCED	11,464 (750mL) / 1,160 (1.5L) / 200 (3L)	