

## **ISOLE E OLENA**

\$132.25

# \* Suggested retail price



# Cepparello IGT Toscana 2015

	Product code	13798349
\$	Licensee price	\$114.98
i ii ii	Format	6x750ml
	Listing type	SAQ Specialty by lot
Ľö	Status	Store Only
•	Type of product	Still wine
	Country	Italy
Ø	Regulated designation	Indicazione geographica tipica (IGT)
9	Region	Tuscany
•	Appellation	Toscana
111	Varietal(s)	Sangiovese 100 %
<b>3</b>	Colour	Red
4	Sugar	Dry
	Sugar content	1.8
T	Closure type	Cork

#### **ABOUT THIS WINERY**

The name "Isole e Olena" was conceived in the 1950's when two adjoining estates, "Isole" and "Olena" were purchased by the De Marchi family and were combined to form one. Located at an altitude of 400 m above sea level and receives an average of 900mm of rainfall annually. The soil is a mixture of limestone, clay slates and sandstone, which allows sufficient drainage in times of heavy rains and the retention of moisture in times of drought.

#### **TASTING NOTES**

Shows an intense and bright ruby colour. Complex bouquet ranging from floral to wild berries with some spice. On the palate red cherries, earthy with a depth of complex savoury acidity and soft tannins.

#### **PRODUCT NOTES**

Each vintage the grapes for Cepparello are hand selected from the best sites on the estate. The vineyards are situated 400 meters above sea level, facing mostly south west. Soils are primarily galestro (clay-slate).

### PRODUCTION NOTES

After crushing, the must is fermented in oak vats on the skins for about three weeks, with delestage and is pumped over twice a day. During fermentation, temperatures reach up to 30-32°C. The maceration tank is emptied of fermenting must, the cap allowed to dry out for two to three hours and then the must is gently poured back over the cap. It is 100% barrel-aged, 1/3 in new, 1/3 in one year old oak and 1/3 into two year old oak.



- 95 Points -

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