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Fiorenzo Nada 2015 Barbaresco Montaribaldi

Treiso, Piedmont

Red wine from Italy

Drinking window: 2022 - 2035

The 2015 Barbaresco Montaribaldi is fabulous. Bright, fresh and beautifully delineated, the Montaribaldi is endowed with terrific energy that balances the natural richness of the year. Chalk, crushed rocks, orange peel and mint all add to a sensation of brightness that runs through the wine. The long, nuanced finish is nicely supported by beams of salinity. What a gorgeous wine this is.

Antonio Galloni. Tasting date: August 2018

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From Barbaresco – Out of the Shadows: The 2016s & 2015s (Oct 2018)

Fiorenzo Nada

Bruno and Danilo Nada describe 2015 as a warm vintage, but with periodic episodes of rain and no real stress on the vines. The Montaribaldi was picked in September, but all the other Nebbiolos came in during October. The bottled 2015s are every bit as compelling as I hoped they would be, while the 2016s, which I tasted from barrel are quite promising. The Manzola and Montaribaldi are aged entirely in cask, while the flagship Rombone sees one year in barrique and a second in cask. Seifile, Nada's old-vine Barbera/Nebbiolo wine, is aged as a blend for 18 months in French oak.

Grape/Blend

Nebbiolo

Release price

\$55.00

Cases Produced (12 bottles/case)

333

Release Date

January 2019

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Fiorenzo Nada 2015 Barbaresco Rombone

Treiso, Piedmont

Red wine from Italy

Drinking window: 2022 - 2035

The 2015 Barbaresco Rombone is potent and ample in the glass, with serious tannins lurking in the background. The Rombone is the most reticent of the Nada 2015 Barbarescos. Accordingly, it will also require a bit of time to be at its best. Dark red cherry, plum, kirsch, menthol, new leather and exotic spice notes build into the explosive, searing finish.

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Fiorenzo Nada 2015 Barbaresco Manzola

Treiso, Piedmont

Red wine from Italy

Drinking window: 2020 - 2030

The 2015 Barbaresco Manzola is beautifully lifted and gracious in the glass. Rose petal, sweet red cherry, mint, wild flowers and cinnamon are nicely woven together in this very pretty and expressive Barbaresco. As was the case last year, my impression is that the heat of 2015 helped produce a flashy, racy Barbaresco with relatively soft contours that will drink well with minimal cellaring. The 2015 is such an attractive wine.

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Grape/Blend

Nebbiolo

Release price

\$44.00

Cases Produced (12 bottles/case)

555

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Fiorenzo Nada 2015 Seifile

Treiso, Piedmont

Red wine from Italy

Drinking window: 2020 - 2030

Super-expressive today, the 2015 Seifile is wonderfully dense and pliant, yet also retains a mid-weight sense of structure that avoids the super-concentrated style of years past. A move towards more neutral oak lets the fruit really come through nicely. Even so, the 2015 is quite reticent, which is probably a good thing for its long-term prospects. Red cherry jam and pomegranate fruit are front and center, with hints of spice, lavender and menthol that add fragrance.

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Grape/Blend

80% Barbera, 20% Nebbiolo

Release price

\$55.00

Cases Produced (12 bottles/case)

250

Release Date

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