

## ALTEREGO MONFERRATO D.O.C ROSSO

Blending Cabernet with Barbera seemed like a betrayal of our family. But we knew we weren't betraying anyone. In the end, we all have an Alterego



Appellation: Monferrato d.o.c. Rosso

Grape variety: 60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Barbera d'Asti

First vintage produced: 1995 Production area: south of Asti Exposure: south-southwest

Soil composition: calcareous clayey loam with predominantly

silt loam

Vineyard altitude: 650-820 feet a.s.l.

Training system: Guyot

Vineyard density: 4,000 - 5,000 plants per hectare Harvest: selection in the vineyards of the healthiest and ripest grapes

picked by hand in 40-pound baskets

Vinification system: maceration with contact with the skins

with short and gentle pumping over the skins cap

Malo-lattic: fully realized

Aging: 12 months in French oak barrels

Color: dark purplish red

Aroma: balsamic, mineral and lead pencil hints Taste: tasty

and complex

Pairing: red meats, cured cheeses Serving temperature: 18° C.

Sizes: 0,750 Î - 1,5 l

