



POGGIO AI GINEPRI Rosato 2010

TOSCANA IGT

The wine resembles the color of a bright pink peony. On the nose it expresses high toned notes of red fruit. Shades of cherry and raspberry underline its freshness. A well-balanced palate gives way to an aftertaste not only of berries but of rosehips.

COMPOSITION

Cabernet Sauvignon 70% Syrah 30%

VINIFICATION

Soft pressing, low temperature fermentation. Aging on the fine lees exclusively in stainless steel tanks at a controlled temperature, then the wine was assembled and bottled.

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TERROIR

Altitude:	80/100 m. asl
Vineyard exposure:	OVEST
Plant density:	6500 plants/ha
Yield per hectare:	90 qa/ha

CLIMATE

Below average temperatures in the winter allowed vines to have necessary rest. Mid-March saw a heavy snowfall and Spring was colder than usual with heavy rainfall. The sesonal development brought a delay in budbreak and veraison and a slower plant growth in the initial stages. July was hot with plenty of sunshine and no rain, allowing the plants to develop well, while August brought about 70 mm of rainfall but with temperatures withstanding above 32°C. Harvest began 2 weeks later than usual because of Spring's delay, finishing in mid-October with overall excellent polyphenolic development and balance in sugars.

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