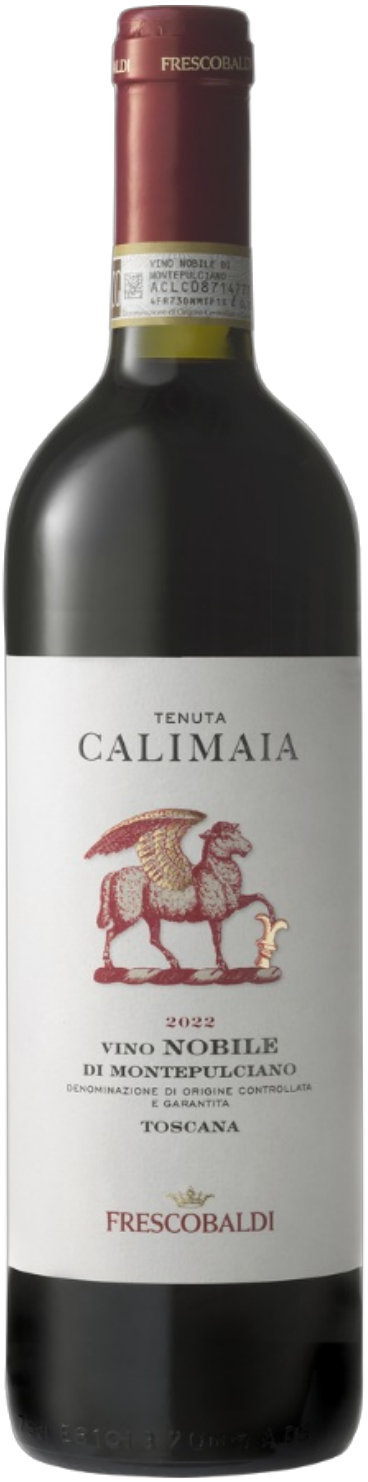
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Vino Nobile di Montepulciano DOCG

Located in a historic area for the production of Vino Nobile di Montepulciano, known for its particularly ideal conditions, Calimaia is found in the gentle hills between the Val di Chiana and the Val d'Orcia. Laid out around the winery's hill, the vineyards sit at an altitude of 300 metres above sea level and are differentiated by exposure and soil type, thus helping to bring out the best in each variety grown.

Climatic trend

The winter was mild, with temperatures only dropping below freezing a few times. Fortunately, after a warm and dry spring and summer, with very light and insignificant precipitation, winter was also very rainy, which helped to refill the aquifers. The harvest began early, in the first week of September, and concluded around 20 September.

Technical notes

Wine Variety: 90% Sangiovese, known locally as Prugnolo Gentile, and 10% complementary red grape varieties
Alcohol content: 13.5%
Maturation: 24 months in oak barrels

Vinification and ageing

Once harvested by hand, the grapes were vinified in stainless steel tanks at a controlled temperature (26 °C), and fermentation took place spontaneously. Maceration on the skins allowed for perfect extraction of the polyphenols, assisted by frequent pumping over in the initial stages of fermentation, "délestage" in the intermediate stage, and further pumping over in the final stage. Malolactic fermentation was completed in steel before winter. As usual, the wine was matured in 50 hL oak barrels for 24 months. Before being released on the market, Calimaia was aged in the bottle at our winery for the next 4 months.

Tasting notes

The Tenuta Calimaia Vino Nobile di Montepulciano 2022 is an intense and vibrant shade of ruby red. On the nose, it is predominantly fruity, with hints of red fruits reminiscent of cherries and currants, as well as notes of black berries, followed by hints of undergrowth, wild flowers and spicy notes. On the palate, the tannins are dense and silky. Fresh and balanced. The finish is long.