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WINE Montepulciano d'Abruzzo DOC

APPELLATION Denominazione di Origine Controllata

Abruzzo

GRAPES Montepulciano

COLOR

Ruby bright and intense red

TASTE Still

Dry

ALCOHOL CONTENT 12,5%

SUGAR CONTENT 3 - 4 g/l

CONT. NET. 0,751

BOUQUET Notes of ripe red fruit, vanilla and licorice

FLAVOUR Intense and persistent, with pronounced but well-balanced tannins

FOOD PAIRINGS Ideal with red meat courses (also game) and seasoned cheeses

SERVING TEMPERATURE 16 - 18 °C

The origin of the cultivation in Abruzzo is very old: the first evidence of the presence of this grape is in 1700. Some versions of the story tell that it has been imported by a traveler who brought the grape from Tuscany to Abruzzo in the 19th century; others say that it was originally cultivated in Valle Peligna, in the Province of L'Aquila. All these different versions also mix with the legend: Polybius, a Greek-Roman historian, said that Hannibal made his soldiers drink Montepulciano d'Abruzzo and this healed them from scabies.

There are traces of Montepulciano also in Ovid's "Metamorphoses."



PACKING DETAILS	
BOTT/CASE	6
CASE GROSS WEIGHT	7,4 KG
PALLET TYPE	EUR-EPAL
	80x120
CASES/PALLET	100
BOTT/PALLET	600
PALLET GROSS WEIGHT	761 KG

**CURIOSITY**