

## **CONTESA**

## Montepulciano d'Abruzzo DOC



**Grape variety** Montepulciano d'Abruzzo 100%

Production area Collecorvino – 250 mt

Soil Clay calcareous soil

Methods of training

Rows, cordon spur

**Plant density** 4400 plants per hectare

Yield per hectare 130 q per hectare

**Harvest time** Second half of October

**Vinification** Skin maceration with pumping over the cap for

about 8/12 days at a high temperature (28-30

degrees).

**Ageing** 30 hectolitres oak barrels for 10 months.

**Chemical** Alcoholic degree: 13,00% vol.

analysis Sugar: 1,50 gr/lt

Total acidity: 5,50 gr/lt

**Tasting** Deep ruby red colour with granadine tints, very

limpid and full-bodied. At the olfactory evaluation it appears intense, persistent, of fine quality. It has a fragrance of ripe red fruits especially of wood and jam fruits, with tones of toast cocoa and chocolate. The taste is full , round, warm, just tannic. The wine is well

structured and mature.

**Food link** The wine links well with first succulent dishes

succulent, with roast meat, grilled meat, and also

with cheese and processed pork meat.

This Montepulciano could be appreciated within

3 or more yers.

Serving temperature: 16/18°C