



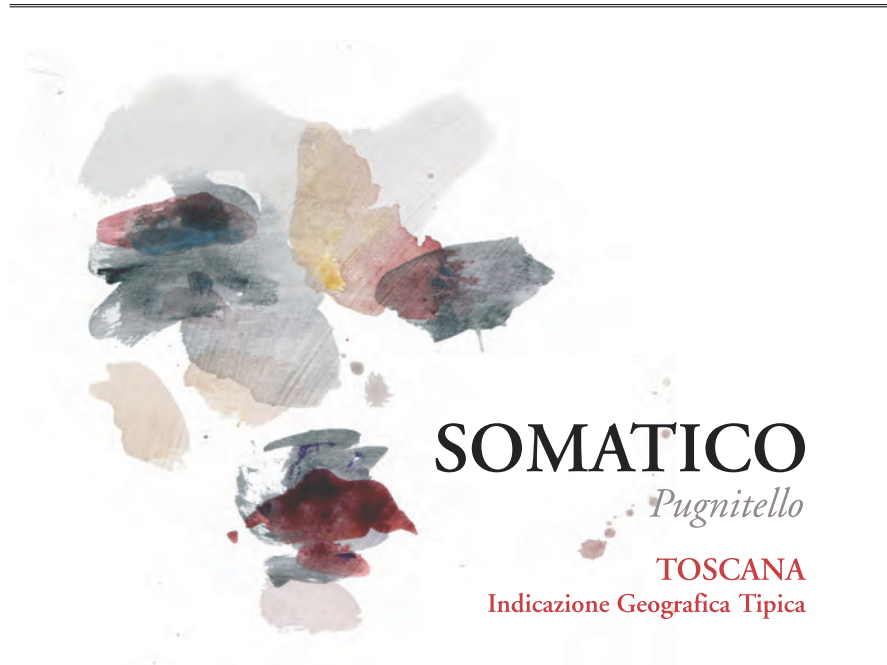
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IL CASTELLACCIO

## PROFILE

Podere Il Castellaccio is situated in Castagneto Carducci, in the Livorno area of Tuscany. Alessandro Scappini founded the winery in 2009, but the estate has belonged to his family since the 1960s. The estate is situated on the hills along the Costa degli Etruschi, at an altitude of 100-160 meters above sea level in the world-famous Bolgheri area. The vineyards occupy 3.5 hectares and are planted to Sangiovese, Ciliegiolo, Foglia Tonda, Pugnitello, and Cabernet Franc. Podere Il Castellaccio is the process of organic certification and the ultimate aim of the winery is to become a certified biodynamic producer in the near future.

James Suckling writes of the 2016 vintage: "Aromas of violets, tar and blackberries follow through to a medium to full body, chewy tannins and a flavorful finish." (93 points)

The Somatico label was created by Andrea Carciola, an artist local to Livorno. It intends to evoke the thought of time passing and honors the idea that the wine changes and evolves with every new vintage.



## SPECIFICATIONS

**Wine:** Somatico

**Varietals:** Pugnitello

**Appellation:** Toscana IGT

**Location:** Livorno

**Exposure:** North and south

**Area:** 1 hectare

**Altitude:** 160 meters

**Soil:** Schist, galestro

**Vineyard Age:** Average of 40 years

**Pruning:** Guyot

**Agricultural Method:** In Organic Conversion (BioAgriCert), Biodynamic



**Production:** 1,000 bottles

**Vinification:** Fermentation in cement casks. Maceration on the skins for about two weeks. After racking, blending is carried out and the wine is aged in 500 hl wooden casks for 12 months, then a further 12 months aging in bottle.

**Tasting Note:** Notes of red forest fruits and red flowers followed by savory balsamic and spicy hints. Rich, round, and deep.

**Alcoholic Content:** 14%



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