

Dagala Bocca d'Orzo

Appellation: Etna Rosso D.O.C.

First released vintage: 2019

Production area: contrada Bocca d'Orzo, township of Randazzo (Catania)

Varietals of grapes: 100% Nerello mascalese

Extension of the vineyard: 0,75 ha

Yield per hectare: 4 tons/ha

Characteristics of the soil: volcanic, the soil is quite deep and with a small presence of stones

Exposure: northern slope of the Mount Etna, 800 meters a.s.l.

Average age of the vines: between 70 and 80 years old

Type of cultivation: en goblet and modified en goblet

Harvest: second decade of October

- **Vinification:** alcoholic fermentation under controlled temperature (28-30° C)
- Aging: spontaneous malolactic fermentation and aging in French oak barriques, tonneaux. Bottling after 14 months of wood aging and 1 month in steel.

Colour: ruby to pale ruby

Nose: penetrating bouquet, rich ripe fruit and spice

Flavour: structured, complex, with smooth tannic feel

Food matches: meat, seasoned cheese

Suggested serving temperature: 18-20° C

Alcohol %: 14 %

Annual production: 800 bottles (0,75 l)